

HACU National Internship Program: Summer 2024

The Hispanic Association of Colleges and Universities (HACU) National Internship Program (HNIP), in partnership with the **US Department of Agriculture (USDA)**, is currently seeking students to fill the following paid internship positions. Please disseminate this information at your campus.

- Pay rates:
 - o Graduate students: \$18.75
 - o Undergraduate: \$17.20
- This position is in person in Riverside, CA.
- This position is open to individuals who hold U.S. Citizenship status.
- Applicants do not have to be of Hispanic descent.

Students interested in the positions available must email their resume and unofficial transcript to lorena.delvallelopez@hacu.net by May 24, 2024. Make sure to state which position you are interested in.

For any additional questions, you may contact the HNIP office at hnip@hacu.net or at 202-467-0893.

Eligibility Requirements:

- Completion of freshman year of college before the internship begins.
- Minimum 2.5 GPA (on a 4.0 scale)
- Positions generally require U.S. citizenship, per security clearance requirements.
- Enrollment in a degree-seeking program (e.g., BA/BS, Masters, JD, MD, or Ph.D.) at an accredited higher education institution. Students pursuing only a credential or certificate program will be considered ineligible.

POSITIONS AVAILABLE: Biological Sciences Technician

Description:

- 1. Assist with plant disease assays.
- 2. Assist with plant propagation.
- 3. Assist with genomic and metabolomic investigations.
- 4. Assist with other types of research.
- 5. Assist with care of experimental plants.

Skills:

- Knowledge of statistical analysis.
- Desired majors: Biology, Botany, Plant Science, Entomology, Plant Pathology.