

# Intern and Fellowship Application Form



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<b>Name:</b> _____	<b>Tribe(s):</b> _____
<b>Current Address:</b> _____ _____ _____	
<b>Current Phone:</b> _____	
<b>Permanent Address:</b> _____ _____ _____	
<b>Permanent Phone:</b> _____	
<b>e-mail:</b> _____	

NCAI offers **internships** for students who are currently enrolled in an institution of higher learning who wish to spend a semester or summer internship at NCAI. For individuals with an undergraduate or graduate degree, we offer 11-month **fellowships** beginning in September. NCAI fellows receive a modest stipend to cover living expenses while they serve at NCAI. Internships are unpaid, but many schools will offer college credit, and some tribes may be willing to sponsor NCAI interns from their tribe. NCAI will be glad to provide information to your school or tribe to assist in securing credit or financial support for your internship.

**I would like to be considered for:**

- \_\_\_\_\_ Summer 2005 **Internship**
- \_\_\_\_\_ Fall 2005 **Internship**
- \_\_\_\_\_ September 2005 to July 2006 **Fellowship**

**Experience and**

**What previous experience have you had with American Indian and Alaska Native issues?**

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**Which areas of NCAI's work are of most interest to you?**

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**Please describe relevant work, volunteer experience, or other involvement you have had in the field of Indian affairs or other political, social, or community issues of concern to you. Please include names of organizations, duties and responsibilities, and dates of involvement.**

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**Please describe your familiarity with electronic communications and research and specific software (word processing and other applications).**

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**Please explain the following using a separate page and limiting your response to a maximum of 500 words:**

- **why you are interested in working with NCAI;**
- **what you hope to gain from the intern/fellowship experience;**
- **how the intern/fellowship experience relates to any long-range plans you may have;**
- **any special skills or experience you feel you would bring to NCAI.**

**Education and**

**College/University/Other Postsecondary Education or Training:**

<b>Name of Institution</b>	<b>Location (city/state)</b>	<b>Dates of Attendance</b>	<b>Degree or Certification Awarded/Expected</b>	<b>Major/Minor</b>

**Awards, Honors, professional or honorary societies/associations:**

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**SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION REQUIRED FOR FELLOWSHIP APPLICANTS ONLY:**

- 1) Please request that a college or university transcript be sent to NCAI.
- 2) Please provide contact information for two individuals who are not members of your family who you believe can offer a good assessment of your work abilities and who you are comfortable with NCAI contacting for a reference. These may include professors or instructors, employers, tribal leaders, or personal references. For each list her/his name, address, telephone number, and

***Please mail, fax, or e-mail your completed application to:  
NCAI - Attn. Internship Program  
1301 Connecticut Ave. NW Suite 200  
Washington DC 20036  
FAX: (202) 466-7797***

***Please contact NCAI at (202) 466-7767 if you have additional questions.***