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 **Department of Native Studies**

**2016 FOR A BETTER WORLD INTERNSHIP**

This is an opportunity to check out your future profession and apply for a paid internship in your field with an Aboriginal organization located in Winnipeg. The paid internship may be for four months, part-time in the school year or for two months plus part-time work during the school year. Internships will provide a stipend of $2,500 (gross) per month for fulltime summer placements. Part-time placements during the school year of up to $2,500 per term are based on 10 hours per week for approximately 16 weeks.

**Eligibility:** Canada’s Indigenous students who have declared Native Studies as their major or minor as well as Indigenous students registered in the Aboriginal Governance Stream at University of Manitoba**. If you missed declaring your minor or major** at registration time for this term, you can contact Faculty of Arts by email or in person and they will help you.

**Deadline:** Submit an application to Native Studies Department, 204D Isbister Building by 4:30 pm on November 10, 2016 to Brittany.Bowman@umanitoba.ca or by hard copy. Only on time and complete applications will be considered.

**Questions:** Email Dr. Wanda Wuttunee at w.wuttunee@umanitoba.ca

Q&A regarding the application:

* Is there a list of approved organizations

No. This list is a guide and will be thoroughly discussed with the winner.

* Is it up to the student to set up with the organization?

No, that is part of the process with the winner and the Internship supervisor

* Do applicants have to have a place set up before they apply?

No, this will be part of the process with the winner.

**APPLICATION FOR 2016 FOR A BETTER WORLD INTERNSHIP**

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| Bold one: Native Studies Major/Minor/Aboriginal Governance Stream |  |
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| Current Year of Program |  |
| Expected Month/Year of Program Completion |  |
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| Bold one: First Nation/Metis/Inuit/Non Status |  |
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|  Name of Community |  |
|  Location |  |
| Submit a photocopy of membership document OR Letter outlining connection to a status member with supporting documentation  |  |
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| If you receive the internship, please bold your preference: four month summer internship; part-time school year placement;two month summer internship and a part-time job during the school year |  |
| If you receive the internship, please list your top three possible choices for internship host. Rely on Winnipeg-based profit or non-profit organizations. You can also choose to list your areas of interest. See <http://www.gov.mb.ca/ana/publications/aboriginal_orgs_in_manitoba.pdf>If you want some ideas.  | 1.2.3. |

Please submit a letter in .doc or .docx answering each of the following questions in no more than two double-spaced typed pages.

* What is your targeted future career or goals?
* How will the internship help you reach your personal goals?
* What do you bring to the table that will be of benefit to yourr host who will guide you through this internship experience?
* Please describe your current connection to your community.
* What changes on this connection would you predict as a result of this internship?