Greetings and Happy New Year from The College of New Jersey's Forensic Chemistry Program.

If you're new to our newsletter, we try to cover different topics in different issues, including information that may be useful to our wide range of recipients, from high school students and teachers to practitioners in the field of Forensic Science. We may give you a little information on what is going on at TCNJ, but the purpose is not to advertise for the college, but to provide information.

This issue is dedicated to Internship Possibilities, since many of you are wondering what you're going to do this summer. Internships are always great to have on your resume, and offer rich opportunities to learn about the field and the people in it. Of course it would be great to be a well-paid intern, but that's often not the case. Still, some internships are such that you could intern for part of the summer and still have part of the summer to work. There are some internships that are at times other than summer, and may last for more than a year. We even found some internships available for high school students.

In the pages that follow, we attempt to identify the organization and area, group(s) of people who are eligible to apply, stipend information, deadlines if available, and URL's so you can investigate them further. We've also suggested some more general sites, such as www.ask.com, where you can search for "undergraduate forensic internships" and get lists of possibilities. There are some web sites on jobs as well as internships, that are useful to look at, even if you're not looking for a position at the moment. If you are serious about pursuing a career in the Forensic Sciences, this is a useful exercise - to see what the job requirements are, where there are openings now, etc.

We hope you find this issue interesting, and hope you will look into some of the possibilities. Keep this issue - you may not want an internship this year, but perhaps next year - and you want to make sure you know when the deadlines are.

Best wishes-

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Internship Possibilities

**Organization:** FBI (Washington, DC)
**Internship Type:** Criminal Justice/Science
**Applicants:** Undergraduate & Graduate levels
**Stipend:** unpaid; compensation for travel to Washington, DC
**Deadline for Application:** Begins Fall 2010 for 2011 internship program
**URL:** http://www.fbijobs.gov/231.asp

**Organization:** FBI (Quantico, VA)
**Internship Type:** Forensic Science/Science
**Applicants:** Undergraduate & Graduate levels
**Stipend:** monthly stipend
**Deadline for Application:** applications accepted year round
**URL:** http://see.orau.org/ProgramDescription.aspx?Program=10063

**Organization:** Federal Law Enforcement Training Center (Homeland Security)
**Internship Type:** Criminal Justice
**Applicants:** Undergraduate & Graduate levels
**Stipend:** N/A
**Deadline for Application:** April 19, 2010– May 7, 2010 (for Fall 2010 internship)
**URL:** http://www.fletc.gov/student-information/college-intern-program

**Organization:** NY State Police
**Internship Type:** Criminal Justice
**Applicants:** Undergraduate level
**Stipend:** unpaid
**Deadline for Application:** apply 2 months before desired start date (available for Fall and Spring semesters, not Summer)
**URL:** http://www.troopers.state.ny.us/Employment/Internships/

**Organization:** National Security Agency (Fort Meade, MD)
**Internship Type:** Engineering Sciences
**Applicants:** College Sophomores & Juniors
**Stipend:** paid
**Deadline for Application:** March 31, 2010
**URL:** http://www.indeed.com/q-Forensic-Student-Internship-jobs.html (click on advertisement labeled “Sponsored Job Semester Intern Program for Science and Technology” which is sponsored by the National Security Agency in Fort Meade, MD)
Organization: Ames Laboratory, US Department of Energy
Internship Type: Science
Applicants: Undergraduate Level
Stipend: paid
Deadline for Application: ASAP

Organization: Los Alamos National Laboratory
Internship Type: Science
Applicants: Undergraduate & Graduate Levels
Stipend: paid
Deadline for Application: N/A
URL: http://www.lanl.gov/education/undergrad/internships.shtml

Organization: National Energy Technology Laboratory
Internship Type: Science
Applicants: Undergraduate & Graduate Level
Stipend: paid
Deadline for Application: N/A
URL: http://www.netl.doe.gov/careers/StudentPrograms.html

Organization: Pacific Northwest National Laboratory (U.S. Dept. of Energy)
Internship Type: Science
Applicants: Undergraduate & Graduate Level
Stipend: unpaid
Deadline for Application: April 12, 2010
URL: http://www.pnl.gov/nsd/nsip/current_openings.stm

Organization: National Museum of Natural History (Smithsonian Institute)
Internship Type: Science
Applicants: Undergraduate & Graduate Level
Stipend: N/A
Deadline for Application: apply year round for general internships
URL: http://www.nmnh.si.edu/rtp/apply/form_links_other.html
Organization: National Sciences Resources Center (Smithsonian Institute)
Internship Type: Science
Applicants: Undergraduate & Graduate Level
Stipend: N/A
Deadline for Application: March 15, 2010 for Summer internships; year round for other internships after Summer 2010
URL: http://www.nsrconline.org/about_the_nsrc/Internship_program.html

Organization: American Museum of Natural History
Internship Type: Anthropology/ Science
Applicants: Undergraduate & Graduate Levels
Stipend: paid
Deadline for Application: April 1, 2010 for Summer or Fall 2010; December 1, 2010 for Spring 2011
URL: http://rggs.amnh.org/files/AnthroInternF.pdf

Organization: United States Secret Service
Internship Type: Forensics
Applicants: High School & Undergraduate Level
Stipend: unpaid
Deadline for Application: N/A
URL: http://www.secretservice.gov/opportunities_interns.shtml

Organization: National Security Agency
Internship Type: Science
Applicants: High School, Undergraduate & Graduate Levels
Stipend: paid & unpaid
Deadline for Application: N/A
URL: http://www.nsa.gov/careers/opportunities_4_u/students/high_school/index.shtml (High School)
http://www.nsa.gov/careers/opportunities_4_u/students/undergraduate/index.shtml (Undergrad)
http://www.nsa.gov/careers/opportunities_4_u/students/graduate/index.shtml (Graduate)

***Job Opportunity***
(need experience)

Organization: Ron Smith and Associates, Inc.
Job Type: Forensic Science
URL: http://www.ronsmithandassociates.com/
Useful Websites

www.totaljobs.com
Type in search words such as “forensic jobs” to get a list of job opportunities available.

www.ask.com
Type in search words such as “undergraduate forensic internships” to get a list of available internships that are available to undergraduates.

http://intern.si.edu/internship_types_subject.html#Science
This website gives an exhaustive list of internships that are available at the Smithsonian Institute.

http://www.usajobs.gov/studentjobs/
This website allows you to search for government jobs and internships that are available.

http://www.dhs.gov/xabout/careers/gc_1206970430094.shtm
This website gives a list of entry level job opportunities for Homeland Security.

www.ehow.com
Type in searches such as “How to get an internship with the United Nations” or “How to get a National Security Internship” to get interesting “how to” results.