



Korematsu Institute Summer 2011 Internships

Our internships offer unique opportunities for students interested in civil rights, education, historical research, communications and media, documentary film and multimedia work, community and youth outreach, and event planning. The program will also help students develop leadership skills in order to foster understanding among different minority communities whose rights have been threatened by religious and racial profiling. There are many internship projects to work on during this early, exciting period of the Institute. Some project areas include:

Education: help design school curriculum about Fred Korematsu's story and the current relevance of his case. Work with the Institute's director on introducing curriculum to schools.

Design and Technology: design fliers and marketing materials for events, enhance web site design

Documentary Film: produce and edit short documentary films, archive historical footage, work with filmmakers to set up film screenings.

Events: coordinate events, including fundraising and outreach events, museum exhibitions, and collaborations with other civil rights groups across the country.

Research: research historical archives to create an organized database about Fred Korematsu and his case.

Media and Communications: track media coverage, draft newsletters for supporters

Depending on your background and interest, we may be able to dedicate most of your internship to one or two of these project areas, however interns are expected to be flexible and willing to take on additional tasks, including some administrative work.

Compensation: Our internships are unpaid, but very often, undergraduates can receive college credit for fulfilling their intern assignments.

Time Requirements:

Summer schedule: [May/June to August](#)

Start/end dates are relatively flexible to accommodate your class schedules. [The internship requires a minimum of 12 weeks, and 12 hours per week \(some hours may be worked remotely\)](#). You must be available during regular office hours from 9am-5pm.

We need individuals who are passionate about our cause and committed to following through on every task to contribute to our Institute's mission. We are looking for extremely organized team members who are skilled at multitasking. Research, multimedia, design and leadership skills are a plus.

Application: Please email the following materials to info@korematsuinstitute.org:

- 1) Completed internship application form (available at <http://korematsuinstitute.org/get-involved/>). Please complete and email the form to us.
- 2) Resume
- 3) Phone numbers and email addresses for two school or work references

Deadlines:

Summer 2011 internship deadline: **Friday, March 4, 2011.**