



WorldLink ~ Connecting Youth to Global Affairs

Joan B. Kroc Institute for Peace and Justice
Joan B. Kroc School of Peace Studies
University of San Diego

2014 WorldLink Summer Internship Application

Application packet must include:

- I. Completed and signed application
- II. Personal Essay
- III. Writing Sample
- IV. 1 Letter of Reference
- V. Signed Parental Consent Form

Application deadline and directions:

The application packet must be *received* by [Wednesday, May 14 at 4:00pm](#).

Mail to:

Debbie M. Martinez, WorldLink Program Officer
Joan B. Kroc Institute for Peace and Justice, Suite 121 – Room 130
Joan B. Kroc School of Peace Studies
University of San Diego, 5998 Alcalá Park, San Diego, CA 92110

Questions? Contact:

Debbie M. Martinez, WorldLink Program Officer
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I. Application

First Name: _____ Last Name: _____

Date of Birth (MM/YYYY): _____

Signature: _____ Date: _____



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I. Application (continued)

Student Background Information

Home Address: _____

E-mail Address: _____

Home Phone: _____ Cell Phone: _____

Do you have access to transportation? _____

Do you have access to a computer (with an internet connection) and a printer? _____

School Information

School Name: _____

School Address: _____

Academic Advisor: _____

G.P.A.: _____

Enrollment status as of September 2014:

- Sophomore Junior Senior High school graduate*

** High school graduates may only participate the summer immediately following graduation.*

Are you applying for academic credit for this internship at your school? _____



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List coursework relevant to this internship: _____

Extracurricular activities (include any work experience here): _____

Do you speak more than one language? If so, please detail your proficiency: _____

Please list your computer skills, your knowledge of specific software applications and proficiency level: _____



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Have you been involved with WorldLink or the Youth Town Meeting? If so, what has been your experience? _____

How did you hear about the WorldLink Internship Program? _____

Please list three global regions or global issues that are of most interest to you, and give a one to two sentence explanation of each area of interest: _____

Can you attend these mandatory meetings? All meetings are three hours in length, and will take place at the Joan B. Kroc Institute for Peace and Justice, located at the University of San Diego. **These times and dates are subject to change, pending intern schedules.*

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Meeting 1: Wed. June 18, 9:30am-12:30pm | <input type="checkbox"/> Meeting 5: Wed. July 16, 9:30am-12:30pm |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Meeting 2: Wed. June 25, 9:30am-12:30pm | <input type="checkbox"/> Meeting 6: Wed. July 23, 9:30am-12:30pm |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Meeting 3: Wed. July 2, 9:30am-12:30pm | <input type="checkbox"/> Meeting 7: Wed. July 30, 9:30am-12:30pm |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Meeting 4: Wed. July 9, 9:30am-12:30pm | <input type="checkbox"/> Final Presentations: Wed. August 13, 12:00-2:00pm |



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II. Personal Essay (500 word maximum)

Please state your interest in WorldLink, your objectives and expectations of this internship and how these relate to your personal goals.

III. Writing Sample (5 page maximum)

Please submit a writing sample on a global topic. **The 5 page limit does not include a bibliography or works cited page.*

IV. 1 Letter of Reference

Please provide 1 letter of reference from a teacher, counselor or supervisor. The letter may be included in the application packet (signed and sealed) or mailed directly to

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V. Parental Consent Form

I, _____, grant permission for my son/daughter _____
(name of parent/guardian) (name of student)

to participate in the WorldLink Internship Program. During this internship, selected students will be responsible for several projects in preparation for the 18th Annual Youth Town Meeting, in addition to researching pressing global topics while supervised by the WorldLink Program Officer. WorldLink summer research interns will gain valuable skills while providing crucial administrative support for the Institute and additional home projects, 8-10 hours per week. Schedules will be determined during the WorldLink Summer Internship Orientation.

I understand that this is a volunteer position and that this internship is **unpaid**.

Parent/Guardian Name (printed)

Date

Signature

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