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NCR Bertelsen Editorial Internship Program

The National Catholic Reporter's Bertelsen Editorial Internship is a semester-long program designed to provide recent college graduates with firsthand newspaper experience. This is a full-time, paid position.

Goals

The internship will provide experience in a fast-paced newsroom, reporting for print and web, newspaper production as well as exposure to maintaining an online news site, including social media, multimedia and blogging. *NCR* interns have opportunities to set goals for achievement based on personal and professional interests.

The Program

The intern will work as a full-time staff member in the newspaper's Kansas City, Missouri, headquarters. Normal business hours are 8 a.m. to 4 p.m., Monday through Friday. Some work will happen outside normal hours, including evenings and weekends. *NCR* will provide a monthly stipend and housing assistance.

Program dates

Generally, internships begin either in the fall (late July or early August) and run until the end of the calendar year or begin in January and run until the end of June or July. Dates are flexible, with the opportunity to begin earlier and/or extend, in consultation with the editor.

Responsibilities

- Report and write for *NCR*'s print edition and its website as assigned by an *NCR* editor.
- Help maintain the *NCR* website under the supervision of the editor.
- Participate in the production of the biweekly newspaper, which includes:
 - proofreading pages;
 - writing news briefs and photo captions;

- other duties assigned by an *NCR* editor.
- According to the intern's interest, she or he can help in the design and layout of print pages.
- Similarly, if interested, the intern may develop multimedia presentations for the *NCR* website, including podcasts, videos, etc.

How to Apply

To be considered for this opportunity, send a cover letter, a resumé and three writing samples to Stephanie Yeagle, managing editor, at syeagle@ncronline.org [1]. In the cover letter, explain how you learned of this opportunity and why you think you would be a good fit for *NCR*. If selected for an interview, applicants will be asked to provide references.

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[1] <mailto:syeagle@ncronline.org?subject=NCR%20Editorial%20Internship>