Asia Society Intern Opportunity

Location: New York **Department:** Global Initiatives – Business Programs **Period of Internship:** Spring 2019

Announcement:

Asia Society, a leading non-profit cultural and educational institution, seeks a talented intern for the Global Initiatives team and their business programming. The ideal candidate for this internship will have a keen interest in Asia in the areas of business, economics and international affairs; be a student or recent graduate; and have an interest in gaining experience with an international organization. We would prefer the intern to come to Asia Society between 20-30 hours/week for 3-4 months, starting immediately. After-hours availability (2-3 times per month) required.

The intern will receive training and hands-on experience in the following areas:

- Researching business trends involving the Asia-Pacific.
- Program development for public programs on business, with emphasis on research and gathering information in support of concept papers written by program officers and other staff members.
- How to monitor news briefings on business trends and current events from major outlets from key countries in Asia.
- All of the inner workings of Global Initiatives;
- Event production and logistics

Please note that this internship opportunity is unpaid

Education and prior experience most suited for this internship:

Current student or recent graduate; demonstrated strong interest in Asia; knowledge of an Asian language a plus but not required; interest in and understanding of global business concepts, international trade, geopolitics, etc.; strong computer skills, including experience with Microsoft Office suite, cloud computing, web content management, and social media; strong writing skills and attention to detail; ability to perform under pressure/time constraints; ability to maintain composure and exercise good judgment in public; good organization skills and ability to work independently; native or proficient English speaking and writing.





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How to apply:

To apply, kindly email the following:

- **1.** Cover letter, indicating your interest in the position and the days and hours you are available
- 2. Most recent resume;
- **3.** Writing sample (3-5 double-spaced pages; abstracts are accepted) in Word or PDF format;
- 4. E-mail Ms. Yoshie Ito at YIto@asiasociety.org with subject line: GLOBAL INITIATIVES, BUSINESS PROGRAMS INTERNSHIP

No phone calls, please. Only those candidates considered for an interview will be contacted. Please consider your application received unless it has bounced back.



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