

**Application: Page One**

**Return the completed application below via e-mail along with a copy of your resume to Ken Stroupe, Chief of Staff, UVA Center for Politics at [kstroupe@virginia.edu](mailto:kstroupe@virginia.edu).**

**Information about you:**

- 1. Name:**
- 2. Are you a UVA student? Year?**
- 3. Major/Course of Study as of date of submission of this application:**
- 4. Expected Date of Graduation:**
- 5. Overall GPA?                      GPA within your major (if declared):**
- 6. Physical address where you expect to be during the internship:**
- 7. Permanent Address: (if different from above)**
- 8. Local Phone:**
- 9. Email:**
- 10. Emergency contact:**

**For the requested information below, you may attach additional pages as necessary.**

- 11. List any political or governmental experience.**
- 12. List any other political/governmental/policy-related activities and/or relevant courses that you have completed.**
- 13. Specific work hours will vary by unit, but please tell us the specific days of the week and number of hours per week are you able to commit to this internship?**
- 14. University units participating in the summer internship include the Center for Politics; the Miller Center/Democracy Initiative; the Frank Batten School of Leadership and Public Policy; and the Weldon Cooper Center/Sorensen Institute. Of these units, please indicate your first, second, third and fourth choice. **As resources allow, selection committees will attempt to place selected students based on preference you select.****

15. **Personal Statement/Essay:** This program is committed to providing funded opportunities for UVA undergraduate whose public-sector internships and summer jobs have been cancelled due to COVID-19. As such, first preference for selecting students for this summer internship program will be given to rising Second-Third- and Fourth-Year undergraduate students of the University of Virginia who have lost public-sector 2020 summer internships and job opportunities as a result of the pandemic.

Please prepare ONE short essay (maximum of 500 words) that addresses each of the following topics within the same essay: *A) What public-sector internship or related summer job have you lost as a result of the pandemic? B) Why is it important for you to participate in this kind of program? C) How does your background/interests align with the field of public service and government?*

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