

Washington Spring Program Internship #10 - PGE

Hi Springies,

Here is a great internship opportunity and yes its with PGE in Washington DC. We had a student there a year ago and he gave it very high marks. A former Davis participant who is now a graduate student at Cornell interned there last fall and he loved! If you are interested in lobbying with an emphasis on environmental issues, ie climate change—this may be a good opportunity for you. The office is located at Gallery Place which is just two metro stops from the Center.

If you meet the qualifications, email me your cover letter/resume to Rick Carter [rick.carter@pge-corp.com], Director of Federal Government Relations and Chief Lobbyist. Please copy me on the email if you apply. Thanks. – sl

Quarterly Internships with PG&E Corporation, Washington DC Office

It's Your Future

We want to be a part of it! We provide highly talented undergraduate and graduate students the opportunity to gain valuable, practical experience in a professional work environment.

Interns perform project-focused assignments that provide hands-on experience and enhance one's education. As an intern, you will have the opportunity to contribute to our business and will be surrounded by people who are committed to helping you learn.

Requirements

A successful intern has the following qualities:

- A strong work ethic, initiative and motivation
- The ability to work well in a team environment
- Strong written and verbal communication skills
- Active involvement in extracurricular activities
- Good academic standing from accredited universities

Purpose and Tasks

Not only will the intern have an opportunity to network and build skills, but will also:

- Experience working in a large corporation in a rapidly changing industry, and
- Participate in activities that will expose you to what we do, our company culture and help you further develop

Specifically, the experience will provide the intern with a broad overview and specific work assignments related to the Washington DC Federal operations of a major Fortune 500 energy

company. Opportunities will include experience with current and relevant major legislative and environmental issues, legislative meetings with Members of Congress and staff, interaction with company employees and outside company contacts, and a chance to see the political process at work in the nation's capitol.

For Winter and Spring Quarters 2008, specific task assignments will typically include 1) Support and research for Climate Change legislative activities, including review and analysis of legislation and background information; 2) Support for the Annual Corporate Responsibility Report, including issue identification and benchmarking analysis, and 3) Support and background research for ongoing energy policy legislation.

In addition, as appropriate, the intern will attend legislative meetings and briefings with members of Congress and staff, attend various meetings of energy associations and environmental organizations, and attend political functions with members of Congress.

The intern will work directly with PG&E's Director of Federal Government Relations and Chief Lobbyist and Director of Federal Environmental Affairs and Corporate Responsibility. Contact will be made with a wide-variety of internal corporate contacts as well as external contacts in the corporate and environmental world. Internal reports, publications, intranet and internet resources will also be used.

At the end of the time period, the desire is that the intern has gained a broad knowledge of the operations of corporate Federal office as well as the operations of the political and legislative processes of Washington, DC.

What is PG&E Corporation?

Based in San Francisco, PG&E Corporation is the parent company of Pacific Gas and Electric Company, which was incorporated in California in 1905 and is one of the largest combination natural gas and electric utilities in the United States. PG&E has approximately 20,000 employees who carry out the company's primary business—the transmission and delivery of energy. The company provides natural gas and electric service to approximately 15 million people throughout a 70,000-square-mile service area in northern and central California. More information can be found at www.pge.com.

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