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Thanksgiving Break - November 21
Thanksgiving Break will begin Wednesday November 21 until Friday November 23. Classes will not meet during these times and campus will be closed. Classes will resume Monday, November 26. For more information about upcoming dates for the semester, please visit https://www.usm.edu/registrar/fall-2018-academic-calendar

Backpacking with a Purpose Applications Now Open - November 23
Operation Groundswell is a non-profit organization that facilitates deeply immersive, educational, and volunteer experiences around the world. We dig into social justice issues while working in solidarity with local activists, non-profits, and communities. We want you to join us in our mission to create a more equitable, just, and sustainable world through travel. Apply by November 23rd! Programs are filling up quickly, so apply as soon as possible. Financial assistance is available for all students on five- and six-week programs. You may also be able to use our programs for academic credit. Talk to us about your options! START YOUR JOURNEY WWW.OPERATIONGROUNDSWELL.COM

Internship and Job Opportunities
A. Internship Opportunities

I. Dow Jones Summer Internship Program
College juniors, seniors and graduate students are invited to apply to the Dow Jones News Fund for paid, prestigious internships in data journalism, digital media, business reporting and multiplatform editing during summer 2019. The application and test deadline is Nov. 1.

The Fund's internship programs offer interns a week of advanced training at top universities in data journalism, digital media, business reporting and multiplatform editing before they report to work. During each residency interns are taught the latest newsgathering, editing and storytelling technologies.

Data journalism interns are trained to collect, analyze and visualize data to unlock compelling stories; digital media interns augment their range of reporting skills using video, audio, data and social analytics; business reporters spend a week in New York learning to cover all sectors from Wall Street to personal finance and local companies; and multiplatform editing interns hone their news judgment, headline writing, copy editing and page design skills.

American City Business Journals has sponsored training for 10 business reporting interns. The goal is to identify strong, local candidates who live or attend school near ACBJ newspapers to increase the potential for employment when internships end. Interns accepted into this program have attended pre-internship training at New York University with visits to CBS News, Conde Nast and the New Yorker. In the past four years, 38 business reporting interns have participated.

The Fund and sponsoring media cover travel costs to and from training and to newsrooms. Interns are responsible for their housing and commuting costs during the internship. Students who return to school after a successful internship will receive $1,000 college scholarships.
Students enrolled full-time on Nov. 1 are eligible to apply, including December graduates, and U.S. students studying abroad.

To apply, students should visit the programs page on the Fund website. Applicants are required to complete an online application and take a one-hour test for the program(s) they are applying to by Nov. 1.

Visit the Fund's Directory of Test Monitors to find the campus contact for your school. Don't see your school? Professors and college staff may sign up here to be test monitors and to receive program materials to distribute on campus. Students may also recruit monitors on their campuses.

The Fund will host informational webinars for students and professors Wednesday, Oct. 3 at 3 p.m. EDT and Monday, October 8 at noon EDT. Click here to RSVP for either session.

II. Special Events Internship at the Smithsonian's National Museum of American History

As part of the Development branch of the museum, the Office of Special Events at the National Museum of American History plans and coordinates over 100 events each year including: exhibition openings, press conferences, donation ceremonies, staff receptions, donor cultivation events, and corporate dinners and receptions.

Attached is an internship description which includes testimonials from former interns. Additional information concerning qualifications, responsibilities, and learning objectives can be found here. Information about events at the Museum can also be found by visiting http://americanhistory.si.edu/museum/special-events. To apply, please create an account on SOLAA and choose “National Museum of American History (NMAH) Internship Program” with Special Events as your program choice. The application deadline is Thursday, November 1st.

While unpaid, we typically offer a one-time $500 stipend to help with travel and transportation expenses.

III. Mississippi Department of Transportation Internship for Spring 2019

It’s that time of year again. The Mississippi Department of Transportation (MDOT) Public Affairs Division is seeking an intern for the 2019 Spring Semester. We are looking for a junior, senior or graduate student to fill this position. Interviews will begin in November. For any additional information about this internship, please contact Jason Scott at jscott@mdot.ms.gov

V. Mississippi Republican Party Internship

The Mississippi Republican Party is looking for interns during the fall semester. The internship program will provide direct grassroots field experience in candidate, political, and issue-oriented campaigns that will also enhance and augment students’ classroom education. Students will learn from fast-paced GOP operatives who have years of presidential, in-state, and local experience throughout the country. The Republican Leadership Initiative will teach interns the expertise needed to become a professional political organizer by developing leadership and interpersonal skills of their own, building a network, and mastering cutting-edge campaign technology. The internship offers an unparalleled way to gain first-hand experience in voter contact operations, campaign strategy, and mobilizing for events. The internship is specifically designed to work with class schedules in order to be completed during the fall semester. With completion of the internship and an individual direction through a designated departmental advisor, students can receive 400 level Political Science course credit. This is a great opportunity to gain work experience, build your resume and make valuable connections. For inquiries, please contact Alex Tapia at alexandriat@msgop.org or 505-469-0530.

B. Job Opportunities

I. Marketing Assistant Job Opening

Davis & Crump in Gulfport are looking for a Marketing Manager! Job duties include:
Assists with the creation, implementation, and management of an effective marketing strategy for the company. Evaluates and reports on results including everything from budgets to client responsiveness.

- Updates and maintains the website, including creating new content, blogging and responding to clients’ messages or questions.
- Manages all aspects of social media marketing by creating content, taking photos, posting company updates, interacting with clients and other businesses, through Facebook, Twitter, Google+, LinkedIn, YouTube and Vimeo.
- Designs internal and external marketing materials in print and digital. Examples include items such as brochures, newsletters, mailers, posters, signs, flyers, training documents, invitations, and mass email communication. Also responsible for creating press releases.
- Plans social functions for the law firm including attorney parties, employee events, golf and sport outings, Mardi Gras events, and Christmas parties.
- Updates and maintains a large, detailed contact list for attorneys to be used for mailing things such as newsletters, brochures, Christmas cards and baskets.

II. Account Executive Needed
CALA Broadcast has an opening for an aggressive, knowledgeable and goal-oriented Account Executive. Individual must excel at client relations, develop solutions to help grow clients’ business through multiplatform opportunities, and in managing contracts through all stages of the sales cycle. Organization, communications, and time management skills are a must.

Job Responsibilities include:
- Responsible for generating revenue by growing existing advertising revenue from current clients.
- Able to develop effective marketing plans to meet clients’ needs and objectives.
- Able to obtain budgets and meet deadlines.
- Responsible for ensuring superior client relations.
- Superior management of sales through the entire sales cycle.
- Keep up-to-date on all station product lines and programming features.
- Prepare and present both written and oral presentations.
- Prepare effective advertising schedules.
- Effectively negotiate advertising rates. If interested please send cover letter along with resume to: kalston@deltanews.tv

III. WTOK- Job Opening
Creative Services Producer
WTOK-TV, in Meridian, MS, is accepting applications for Creative Services Producer.

Producer will be responsible for conception to completion of creative commercials and station promotions. Creative writing and communication skills and the ability to work under tight deadlines and flexible hours are essential. Responsibilities include web content production and implementation. Previous videography and editing skills, radio or TV experience, and extensive computer graphics experience is preferred.

A decision will be made as soon as possible. To apply, please go to our Online Careers website at www.gray.tv/applynow. Pre-employment drug screening and MVR check required. WTOK-TV is a drug
free workplace, equal opportunity employer and also participates in the Homeland Security E-Verify program.

**Morning Anchor/Reporter**

WTOK is looking for an energetic anchor and passionate MMJ reporter to help lead our morning show team. The ideal candidate will be an experienced anchor/reporter with excellent writing and communications skills. The select candidate must be able to multi-task and handle duties under pressure, display good news judgment and be a team player. The select candidate must be flexible both on-air and in the newsroom and deliver the news in an energetic, but calm, clear and professional manner. Duties include but are not limited to anchoring our two-hour morning show, putting together well-written and compelling broadcast and online news stories, appearing at promotional functions and station-sponsored events. Must also be able to operate news equipment in a safe, professional manner, support news promotion, contribute regularly to news coverage and perform duties as assigned. This is not an entry-level position. The ideal candidate will be one of our lead reporters.

A decision will be made as soon as possible. To apply, please go to our Online Careers website at [www.gray.tv/applynow](http://www.gray.tv/applynow).

**IV. Garner Dental Marketing Position**

Garner Dental Group is looking to hire an experienced assistant for the Marketing Director. While this is an entry level position, experience in Wordpress is required. Assistant will help to oversee social media, edit websites, utilize graphic design skills, and assist in the execution of marketing campaigns and company events.

- If a 40 hour work week is not possible, discussion of 30-32 hours can be considered.
- Travel will be required a few times during a month.
- May not work remotely.
- A background in graphic design or website development is helpful.
- If you are currently a student, it will be required that you are able to devote 3 full days of the week.
- Knowledge of website development and WordPress is REQUIRED.
- Salary will be based on experience and availability.

Job Types: Full-time, Part-time

**V. Mississippi Editor Position**

The Mississippi Editor in Ridgeland is looking for a full-time/writer for the Today in Mississippi. Education and experience would include a Bachelor’s degree in journalism, communication, or related and five years of experience. The job objective would be to create content and edit Today in Mississippi publication and related media, and provide support for other special communications projects as needed.

Please send a cover letter and your resume to stewart@ecm.coop.

**Kinney, Fernandez, and Boire Scholarship**

The KF&B Scholarship was created to help students get the education that they need to take the journey into adulthood. The Tampa personal injury attorneys at KF&B understand that education is expensive and want to help one lucky student take a little bit of the stress away from wondering how they’re going to afford school.

Applicants will be required to submit a 500-word essay by no later than March 31, 2019, and the winner will be awarded a $1,000.00 scholarship by April 31, 2019.

Eligibility

You are eligible to apply for this $1000 scholarship if you meet one of the below requirements.
A high school senior that has been accepted into a college or university
A current college student that is not in their final year.

Guidelines

KF&B wants to hear your answer to the question, “What is one law that you think should be implemented to make the world a better place and why?”, in 500 words or less.

Submission Deadline

The deadline for submissions is March 31, 2019. Applications submitted after this date may be considered for the following years scholarship.

Winner Selection

Committee members will review all of the applicants and present the top contenders to the greater scholarship committee for the selection of one winner. The winner of the $1000 KF&B Scholarship will be contacted in April 2019 and will have two weeks to respond before a runner up is selected.

Cengage Unlimited Program

This Fall 2018, Riddle & Bloom is seeking applicants to support the cause of Cengage digital course materials on our campus. This program will give you valuable experience with Riddle & Bloom as a Start Strong Student Advocate for students about Cengage Unlimited (a first of its kind digital subscription that gives students total on-demand access to digital learning platforms, e-books, online homework, and study tools) and show them how to register to use their assigned Cengage digital course materials. Cengage is looking for a persuasive and influential with friends and peers with strong campus connections, are active, outgoing, and comfortable with public speaking, and are interested in gaining experience in marketing & communications. Student applicants must be full-time or part-time undergraduate students and must participate in an online training program launch. For questions about this program, please email Kathleen@riddleandbloom.com