**API Next is a Virtual Internship Program** focused on leadership and professional development, designed for students interested in skills and experiences (such as project management) to help advance their leadership skills in government, industry and community affairs. This nine-week program, taking place during the Fall, is unique because it provides interns opportunities to put into practice skills that are valuable and transferable in multiple industry sectors.

## PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

The internship provides the following professional experience:

<u>Communications:</u> Learning best practices for successful communication campaigns. <u>Marketing:</u> Integrating proven strategies from entrepreneurs, investors, & politicians <u>Public Relations:</u> Learning skills in direct outreach, public relations, and engagement <u>Virtual Network Building:</u> Developing a virtual network focused on professional growth <u>Primary Research & Content Drafting:</u> Writing research plans, analysis, and reports <u>Project Management:</u> Getting experience in strategic planning and project execution.

## **PROGRAM EXPECTATIONS**

Interns will be expected to:

Work 10-12 hours per week via Zoom (flexible self-scheduled & virtual hours)
Workshop Series: Participate in weekly professional development workshops & training seminars

## **BENEFITS**

- Leadership Positions & Opportunities
- Letter of Recommendation
- Invitation for Future Programs
- Professional Reference
- Professional Development
- Internship Credit for Applicable Majors

## **INSTRUCTIONS**

Please send resume to Patrick Curzon at <a href="mailto:pcurzon@apapa.org">pcurzon@apapa.org</a>
Please title subject line: Intern Applicant - "Your Name"
Deadline: January 5th @11:59pm

Thank you for your time and consideration.

Best Regards.

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