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MEDIA INTERNSHIP

OPEN TO COLLEGE STUDENTS AND
RECENT GRADUATES

**Gain media experience
with the award-winning**
PITTSBURGH BLACK MEDIA FEDERATION



Journalist, Chris Moore

2026 APPLICATION GUIDELINES AND INFORMATION PACKET

**THREE POSITIONS ARE AVAILABLE
BEGINNING IN JANUARY 2026.**

**DEADLINE FOR APPLICATIONS:
DEC. 20, 2025**

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The Pittsburgh Black Media Federation's Chris Moore internship allows promising college students and/or recent graduates an opportunity to gain reporting, writing and marketing/communications/publication experience.

Chris Moore interns develop the tools and skills and networking to shape their own futures. The internship aims to provide students with first-hand experience writing, reporting, and publishing. Core responsibility to PBMF include social media management, writing news releases, and other marketing and communications duties.

MEDIA OPPORTUNITIES

Paid writing opportunities are available with local media, including:

- Serving as a reporter with Pittsburgh Media Partnership Newsroom
- Soul Pitt Media
- The Northside Chronicle
- Writing communications intern with PBMF
- Other writing opportunities



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PROGRAM OVERVIEW

- PBMF stipend supports any writing published in The Northside Chronicle
- University of Pittsburgh/English Department stipend supports one intern (to be selected via PBMF, must be a Pitt student)*
- All interns can seek paid opportunities with the internship's other news and writing platforms and partners.
- PBMF's journalism intern will work closely with PBMF administration to help develop content, create social media messages, manage some administrative tasks, and perform other duties as assigned

* See more information in the application

INTERNSHIP CRITERIA

- Must be at least a rising college sophomore
- Have a GPA of 3.0 or above
- Have experience in campus or community journalism, news writing, or communications/marketing discipline

QUALITIES FOR CONSIDERATION

- Journalism, Marketing or Communications or other relevant background
- Strong analytical and critical thinking skills.
- Excellent written and verbal communication skills
- Strategic thinker with strong research skills.
- A sense of ambition and accountability

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PITTSBURGH MEDIA PARTNERSHIP NEWSROOM

The Pittsburgh Media Partnership, a project of Point Park University's Center for Media Innovation, seeks motivated student journalists for its internship program.

This internship is intended to give a student with a serious interest in a journalism career — particularly those who are underrepresented in the industry — an opportunity to learn on the job, improve their portfolio and leverage the experience so that they can break into the industry more easily after graduation.

Students will focus on producing stories in words, images, and video with a special emphasis on government, community news and issues of regional interest to Southwestern Pennsylvania.

Interns will produce reported stories through the PMP's newsroom, a teaching program designed to support local news outlets and early-career journalists. The stories developed from the Newsroom will be shared across more than 30 members of the Pittsburgh Media Partnership, which has a combined reach of 6 million.

Interns will be based at the Pittsburgh Downtown Media Hub, 223 Fourth Ave. Interns will earn \$15 per hour up to 10 hours per week.

Candidates should be at least 18 years of age and enrolled at one of seven Pittsburgh area college institutions: Carlow University, Chatham University, Duquesne University, La Roche University, Point Park University, Robert Morris University or the University of Pittsburgh.



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INTERNSHIP SUPPORTED BY THE UNIVERSITY OF PITTSBURGH

Students are encouraged to do more than one internship, but Writing, Literature, and PPW students may not do more than two internships for credit toward their major or certificate, and only one in a given term. An internship will count as extra credits outside of the major if electives.

University of Pittsburgh students must work in the internship at least 150 hours across a semester if interning during the fall or spring semesters; the student must work 225 hours if interning during the summer.

These hours ensure that the student can earn a full three credits for their work. The University of Pittsburgh stipend is only available for one semester, and students are only eligible for one grant. However, for a student intern with the Pittsburgh Black Media Federation over multiple semesters, the student would be able to seek stipend support one semester and pursue course credit the other semester. However, the student is able to pursue both credit and a grant in the same semester.

The Deitrich School and Pitt English Department



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