



CLIMATE POLICY FELLOWS PROGRAM

Apply by Mar. 15, 2021

The Colin Powell School for Civic and Global Leadership is recruiting fellows for its third cohort of Climate Policy Fellows. Launched in 2019, the Climate Policy Fellows program supports CCNY undergraduate students from the social sciences, sciences, architecture, and engineering. The program provides training, professional development, and internship opportunities that link climate-related science, engineering, and economics to public policy.

SUPPORT

Fellows will receive a \$1,000 stipend per semester for two semesters. An additional \$5,000 stipend is available for approved summer internships.

PROGRAM

Led by Trevor Houser, a 2006 CCNY alum who is an international climate and policy leader, the program involves:

WORKSHOPS

Four to six intensive workshops will prepare fellows to understand how science, engineering, and economics research affect public policy, and how policymaking shapes these fields of research. They will include a range of senior national and international climate policy leaders, as well as leadership and professional development. Each workshop will take place over two days, with the dates to be announced in August 2021.

Each workshop will include a brief writing assignment that prepares fellows for their summer internships. These may include summaries of public events or analyses of climate legislation.

OPTIONAL SUMMER INTERNSHIPS

Fellows have the option to intern at think tanks and nonprofit organizations in New York City, Washington DC, or San Francisco that are working on climate change policy.

ELIGIBILITY

Applicants must be undergraduate students with at least one year of coursework remaining, and must be available to participate fully in all the workshops. We accept students from any school/major and regardless of citizenship status. The program is intended for equal numbers of science, engineering, architecture, and social science students with an interest in climate and sustainability policy work.

APPLICATIONS AND DEADLINES

Completed applications must include the following:

- This applicant information form;
- Responses to the three questions;
- A resume; and
- A transcript (can be the unofficial version from CUNYfirst).

All applications must be emailed to the Colin Powell School Office of Fellowships at cpsfellowships@gmail.com by 5 pm on Mar. 15, 2021. Please submit all your materials in one email. We will confirm that we have received your application two to four weeks after submission.

For more information about the Colin Powell School Fellowships, visit this website: bit.ly/cps_fellowships

Questions?

Contact Akasha Solis, Program Manager, Colin Powell School Office of Fellowships, asolis@ccny.cuny.edu

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QUESTIONS

Please respond to the following three questions in a separate document. Your combined responses should not exceed two single-spaced pages.

1. How do your educational and professional experiences so far shape your long-term interest in working at a senior level in the climate and sustainability fields?
2. How would you like to see your career develop over the next decade or two?
3. What are three questions you would like to see addressed as part of the program?



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APPLICANT INFORMATION

1. Name: _____
2. Email: _____ 3. Phone: _____
4. Major(s): _____
5. Minor(s): _____
6. Credits as of the end of last semester: _____ 7. Cumulative GPA: _____
8. Anticipated date of graduation: _____
9. How did you hear about the program? Check all that apply.
- Peer Current/former fellow Faculty Staff Social media
- Email Student organization Info session Other: _____
10. Optional: How do you identify? Check all that apply.
- White Latinx Black/African American Asian
- American Indian/Alaskan Native Middle Eastern/North African
- Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander Other _____
11. Optional: What pronouns do you prefer? Check all that apply.
- He/him/his She/her/hers They/them/their Other _____
12. Optional: Were you born in the U.S.?
- Yes No Prefer not to state
13. Optional: Were both of your parents born in the U.S.?
- Yes No Prefer not to state
14. Optional: Does at least one of your parents have a college degree?
- Yes No Prefer not to state
15. Have you participated in another fellowship or honors program on campus?
- If so, which one(s)? _____