

## *Gain Professional Experience in Washington, D.C.*

### *Hanyu Shi*

**Country:** China  
**University:** Tsinghua University  
**Semester:** Fall 2014  
**Internship Site:** Center for Strategic and International Studies (CSIS)  
**Program:** Prudential Global Citizens

“Growing up, I wanted to make an impact on my community and the world at large. The Washington Center (TWC) offered me a chance to connect with the world, engage in dialogues with world leaders, and learn to be a responsible citizen. This semester, I was a research intern at one of the leading think tanks in Washington, D.C. Paired with my course “Business and Politics in New Economic Reality: How Washington Really Works,” the first-hand experience at CSIS really opened my eyes and helped me understand the roles of the public, private and non-profit sectors.”



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### *Li Xiao*

**Country:** China  
**University:** Chongqing University  
**Semester:** Fall 2014  
**Internship Site:** D.C. Mayor's  
Office on Asian and Pacific Islander  
Affairs  
**Program:** Ford Motor Company  
Global Scholars

"The Washington Center (TWC) offered me a very unique opportunity to explore my interests and American culture. For me, the TWC experience meant a wonderful learning opportunity in a fantastic internship site, an academic course where I can openly discuss controversial issues with students coming from all parts of the world, and a civic engagement project where I learned the meaning of community service. TWC also helped me hone my intercultural communication skills. Each day I met with new friends coming from countries I previously knew nothing about. I learned more things about their countries and cultures than I'll ever gain in classroom."



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### *Ya Chen*

**Country:** China  
**University:** Tsinghua University  
**Semester:** Fall 2014  
**Internship Site:** Center of Strategic and International Studies  
**Program:** Prudential Foundation Global Citizens (CSIC)

“I’m a second year Masters student majoring in journalism at Tsinghua University in China. My experience in Washington, D.C., which included my internship, civic engagement project, academic course, seminars and networking events, were exciting, rewarding and invaluable. My internship at the Center for Strategic and International Studies involved social media management and a female empowerment project, which enabled me to work hand-in-hand with some of the best professionals in field. All of these components helped me develop a better understanding of cross cultural communication in a global context.”



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