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Action Required - Internships - Advocacy - Diversity

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Fri, Mar 31, 2017 at 3:42 PM

CSG Leadership,

Cultural Service Internships

Thank you to those who have responded with their interest in paid interns from YMLA/YWLA. These young folks have been learning about our CSG orgs this school year and are really excited about the potential opportunities. If you have not responded please do so as soon as you know. I can resend the one page paperwork if you need me to. I'm going to accept submission of these until the students apply online through the Mayor's Summer Jobs Program. I am very happy that the MSJP is helping us double the number of students who can learn and earn from this program. Our partnership with MSJP, CareerSource, and DCPS on these internships is new but the assets of the program from a training and measurement standpoint is really helpful.

We are conducting a get to know the students/CSG event on April 11 from 1:30 to 3pm at the school. Patrick will send a calendar notice that you can confirm or regret. If you can't make it but have materials that you would like for us to distribute, please have them delivered to the CCGJ before April 11. If you are not working with interns this summer, I still would love for you to meet these students and for them to know more about our sector by meeting you and/or a delegate from your organization. The format is that each org will have a round table of about 10 chairs. Students will come and spend time at your table (5-10 minutes) where you'll talk about your organization and its mission. You need not go into too much detail about your projects, roles, or tasks interns will do at your spot but the students may ask.

Advocacy

We've looked at the calendar and while I love the idea of each CSG participating in public comment at City Council meetings in an organized way, we'd have to have four or more orgs each meeting. Since that is a lot of orgs, I think I'd rather just encourage your organization to participate at a meeting you wish to make the comments. I've discussed this with some folks at city hall and have received some feedback. No one was against the idea but it was brought to my attention that some public comments drone on and on especially if there is a hot button issue on the agenda. I'd suggest keeping the comments short and to the point. I think it is a good idea to present facts, funding data etc, but also as important is to have anecdotes, especially if there is something you can relate to a council person about something in their district. It is interesting to see what city council members have CSG's in their districts. Not many do.

Joyce Morgan (1)
Lori N. Boyer (5)
Matt Schellenberg (1)
Reggie Gaffney (12)
Bill Gulliford (4)
Jim Love (2)

It was also suggested that we stay away from national issues such as the NEA funding and things that this council has no control over. Since we are keeping it short and to the point I think this is ok. I remain confident that we will get an increase in funding this year but advocacy from the community is always encouraged and I know you and your supporters are passionate and compelling. This will help. We have advocacy bookmarks at the Cultural Council if you'd like some. Once we have the ROI data we are making materials and a cool poster and will be distributing those. You can see more of our advocacy resources at culturalcouncil.org/advocacy

Diversity & Inclusion

The Chamber is hosting another forum on the [Business of Inclusion](#) in May. The Cultural Council will again sponsor any CSG leader who wishes to attend. Just let me know and we will register you. The last one was very interesting and useful.

Ashley from our office will be reaching out soon for our Diversity and Inclusion (as it relates to eligibility) meetings with each org.

As always, let me know if I can be of service. I look forward to seeing you all very soon.

Thanks,
Tony

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Fri, Mar 31, 2017 at 3:53 PM

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Thanks, Tony and Patrick. I think we got our paperwork in last week (late but sounds like that's not an issue!). I'm not sure April 11 is going to be feasible due to a Board Meeting that afternoon but I'll let you know ASAP.

Please register me for the "Business of Inclusion" seminar.

Thanks, have a great weekend!

Thanks,

Chris

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Cc: Tony Allegretti <tony@culturalcouncil.org>, Ashley Sedghi-Khoi <Ashley@culturalcouncil.org>

Hi Patrick,

Will you please add Tony's email to the Member's Only website?

Thanks!

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Amy Palmer

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Tony already has access to that page.

culturalcouncil.org/cultural-service-grantees

Please let me know if you have any issues accessing the page.

Best Regards,

Patrick

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Fri, Mar 31, 2017 at 4:29 PM

Ok cool. I will register all at once for the inclusion event so you won't get a confirmation right away but please put in your calendar.

Thanks!
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Done, thanks! Very glad I'll be able to make it this year!

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Amy Palmer <apalmer@culturalcouncil.org>
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Fri, Mar 31, 2017 at 4:45 PM

Sorry, I meant will you please post his email --the one he just sent about interns, advocacy, etc., on the Member's Only website so orgs can have access to it again later. Thanks!

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