2020-2021 Menard CSII Student Internship Stipend Application

MCSII’s mission is to provide leadership on issues pertaining to civil liberty and related institutions and innovations through scholarly inquiry, educational activities and community outreach. To promote this mission, MCSII will provide up to $4000 per student during the 2019-2020 academic year to support faculty supervised student internships related to civil liberties or the relationship of civil liberties to institutions or innovation. The supervising faculty member may receive a stipend up to $1000.

Only students, undergraduate or graduate, enrolled full time at institutions participating in the MCSII campus network are eligible. Applicants are encouraged to contact the MCSII Director about potential proposals. Applications are accepted on a continuous basis. Send completed proposal to MCSII as email attachment to Dr. Tim Shiell, MCSII Director, at shiellt@uwstout.edu. Proposals will be reviewed by outside experts.

In no more than five pages, proposals should explain:

(1) A description of the internship (e.g., who with, what work will be done, internship objectives, timeline, etc.);
(2) How the internship relates to civil liberties and/or their relationship to institutions and innovation;
(3) How the student’s internship will be assessed/evaluated;
(4) What reflective/intellectual/academic component the internship includes;
(5) Qualifications of the student and supervising faculty member to perform the internship successfully.
(6) The budget and budget justification.

Note: Since internship and faculty supervisor stipends will be paid as income to the recipients, there may be subsequent income tax liability.

Within three months of completing the internship, a brief report summarizing the research must be submitted to MCSII. Recipients are expected to credit MCSII financial support when acknowledging or disseminating internship information. To help us track the success of the program, recipients are strongly encouraged to notify MCSII of any further results (e.g., publications or presentations) resulting from MCSII funded activity.

Direct questions about this opportunity to Dr. Tim Shiell, MCSII Director, shiellt@uwstout.edu 715-232-1490