



National Organization for Women **WISCONSIN**

WI NOW Internships:

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The Wisconsin chapter of the National Organization for Women (NOW) works to bring about equality for women in Wisconsin through collaborative planning, grassroots organizing, and policy advocacy. Our goal is to eliminate discrimination and harassment, secure reproductive rights, eradicate racism, sexism and homophobia, end all forms of violence against women, and promote equality and justice in our society

Summary: WI NOW is looking for a creative, independent, and enthusiastic student to fill the position of Legislative Intern. The Legislative Intern will work with the Vice President-Action to assist with research, legislative tracking, and other political work. This position offers the opportunity to gain valuable experience working with the Wisconsin chapter of the largest organization of feminist activists in the country.

Position Location: Madison, Wisconsin

Reports To: Vice President-Action

Responsibilities:

- Assist with legislative tracking
- Research legislative/political issues and candidates
- Plan and run trainings or education sessions on pending legislation, legal updates, or information about crucial issues
- Perform other duties as they arise

Qualifications:

- Strong commitment to women's rights and equality and knowledge of WI NOW's mission and goals
- Excellent communication skills, including writing and public speaking
- Working knowledge of women's equality issues and the legislative process in Wisconsin
- Have basic computer/internet skills, including Access and PowerPoint

Details:

This internship begins in January and lasts until the end of the academic year unless the applicant wishes to extend the position through the summer. The intern is asked to dedicate at least 10 hours a week to the position. Internships with WI NOW are an excellent way to build your resume while gaining valuable experience with a non-profit advocacy organization. WI NOW will work with the university to ensure academic credit if possible.

If you are interested in this position or would like more information, please contact our Executive Director, Robyn Klinge, at admin@winow.org.