CLA Undergraduate Internship Grant
Deadline: June 25, 2003 by 4:30 pm

Planning an internship for this coming semester? The College of Liberal Arts is offering $1200 grants to CLA undergraduate students participating in unpaid internships during summer semester. Approximately 4 general grants are awarded, in addition to some special awards with more specific eligibility requirements. The application, along with more information regarding the grant, can be found at www.cclc.umn.edu/students/undergradinterngrant.html. Call 612-624-7577 for more information.

Graduate & Professional School Day 2003
Wednesday, October 15, 2003
10:00 am–2:00 pm
Great Hall, Coffman Memorial Union
University of Minnesota–Twin Cities

More than 90 graduate and professional schools from throughout the country will be represented at the University of Minnesota’s Graduate and Professional School Day from 10:00 am to 2:00 pm in the Great Hall, Coffman Memorial Union. This University-wide event, sponsored by the Career and Community Learning Center, will provide you with the opportunity to speak with college and university representatives from law, business, education, health sciences and a variety of other graduate and professional programs.

Admission to Graduate and Professional School Day is free and open to the public.
Hope to see you there!
For more information call 612-624-7577.

Check Out Our Summer Calendar
It’s summer…check out what’s hot at CCLC! This summer you can brush up on your interviewing skills with a mock interview, get help on your resume and cover letter with a critique by a peer advisor, learn about student exchange and internship opportunities and get help with deciding on a major. Our summer calendar is hot off the press so stop by 135 Johnston Hall to pick up a copy. It has all the information you need relating to careers, internships, volunteer opportunities, graduate/professional/law school and domestic exchange programs. It also has the schedules for our free workshops!
current positions

Habitat for Humanity of Minnesota, Inc. (HFH-MN) is a support organization created under the umbrella of Habitat for Humanity International. The focus of the job is to build the organizational capacity of HFH affiliates, leaving a legacy that will have benefits into the future! (These are not home construction positions.) Our program includes fabulous leadership training. The positions begin July 23, 2003 and are one year long. Qualifications include: Bachelor’s degree preferred, excellent oral and written communication skills, self-motivated and able to analyze and solve problems, ability to relate well to and encourage people of diverse backgrounds, effective as both leader and participant in working with individuals and groups, detail-oriented and organized, knowledge of non-profit development, Habitat for Humanity, and/or housing issues preferred. Individuals who are willing to dedicate a year to helping Habitat meet the housing needs of low income families preferred. The right candidates will have a strong orientation to social justice, affordable housing, economic development and social work. There are 15 AmeriCorps*VISTA positions available with Habitat affiliates throughout Minnesota. Each affiliate has created a different work plan for each VISTA position. View complete descriptions of all 15 positions at: www.hfhmn.org.

St Paul’s United Methodist Church in Mendota Heights, a 300-member congregation with a diversity of tastes in music, is seeking a Music Director. Qualified candidates will have a baccalaureate degree in music, vocal performance or conducting experience in choral conducting, knowledge of appropriate church music (traditional, contemporary, folk, gospel), and an ability to work well with others and participate enthusiastically with lead minister and staff. The Music Director provides leadership and coordination of the music ministries of the church. The Music Ministry works with all other ministries through a Council on Ministries, which works toward a church mission and vision. Responsibilities include directing adult vocal choir, Sundays, September through May and responsible for music during the summer months (June, July, August) when the choir is not in session. Also, recruit, provide resources and mentor volunteer leaders/teachers of music for youth and children, encouraging participation from youth and Sunday school children. To apply, e-mail your resume to stpauls@mninter.net.

The National Park Service is seeking enthusiastic, responsible and enterprising candidates with good communication skills. No previous experience is required but applicants should have an interest in education, natural resources and the National Park Service. All interns will receive necessary training. Birding Boat Riverboat Education Interns work with Park Rangers from the National Park Service to develop and conduct the Birding Boat riverboat program. Interns also will assist with program marketing and logistics, and help prepare the Birding Boat guide and other visitor materials. The Birding Boat program teaches visitors and students basic skills in bird observation and exciting Mississippi River facts from a moving riverboat. Intern responsibilities during the programming season include: setting up and staffing the stations, coordinating volunteers and developing new stations for the following year. To apply, please e-mail Thomas Ibsen at thomas_ibsen@nps.gov.

MusicMatters is an event marketing company and so much more. They work exclusively with organic and values-led companies, on social action campaigns, and provide the music industry with socially and environmentally conscious products. They need help with event coordination, office relocation (just down the street from The Wedge), and general office responsibilities. They work with cool organic companies, and you can dress casually! Check out their website at www.musicmatters.net. The internship is available now with opportunities through the summer.
### service-learning & community involvement

**AmeriCorps info session**
Tuesday, May 6, 2003, 10:00–11:00pm, 345 Fraser Hall

AmeriCorps, the domestic Peace Corps, is an awesome adventure and a way to put your idealism into action. If you have what it takes to live up to your dreams to make a community safer, to help kids get a real education, to help protect the environment, then AmeriCorps is for you. This is one year to make a difference, one chance to make your mark, one experience that will change your life. To find out more about AmeriCorps programs like VISTA and NCCC, come to our information session at the University of Minnesota’s Career and Community Learning Center. For more information call 612-626-2044 or e-mail kdawson@class.cla.umn.edu.

**AmeriCorps Admission Possible**

AmeriCorps has lots of job openings starting Fall 2003! For complete job descriptions, application procedures and answers to commonly asked questions, visit our website at www.admissionpossible.org.

- Serve as an Admission Possible representative in a local public high school. Work directly with juniors providing ACT/SAT preparation sessions and working with students on an individual basis providing guidance and subject specific assistance. This is ideal for future teachers, counselors and youth workers. (1,700 hours from September 2003 to June 2004).
- As an AmeriCorps VISTA member, help build Admission Possible capacity by leveraging community volunteers, implementing communications strategy and coordinating partnerships with colleges and universities. (Full-time, August 2003 to August 2004).
- AmeriCorps Coaches work directly with a team of 8 to 10 low-income young people to help them prepare for college. Duties include helping students prepare for the ACT/SAT, and guiding them through the college admissions process. Approximately 12 to 15 hours per week, September 2003 to May 2004, and again from September 2004 to May 2005. All part-time AmeriCorps Coaches will receive comprehensive training. This is ideal for college students seeking experience teaching and working with young people.

**summer camp counselors**

The MS Society’s Youth Camp is for kids who have a parent with MS. It is a typical summer camp from July 15–19 in Lanesboro, MN that also provides respite, support and coping skills for kids who have a disabled parent. Counselors come from all fields and it is especially relevant for students in child development, recreation or health-related fields. We provide training, lodging, meals and an unforgettable experience! Contact Greg Scanlan at 612-335-7955 or gscanlan@mssociety.com.

**fall service-learning classes online!**

Check out the list of classes that combine community work with learning for Fall Semester 2003! Go to http://www.cclc.umn.edu/students/servicelearningcourses.html for more information.
City Arts
What is art? Who gets to make art? How do we use art? What does art say about our culture? How can art be a catalyst for social change? City Arts explores all these questions in a semester-long, 16 credit class that takes place off campus in the Twin Cities area. It includes studying with a small group of engaged students for the term and an internship. Learn more by meeting with City Arts advisor Mara Patton, in 345 Fraser Hall. Contact Mara at cityarts@class.cla.umn.edu or 612-626-8021.

how can art be a catalyst for social change?