



OPPORTUNITY: RESEARCH INTERNSHIP

A growing nonpartisan nonprofit working to modernize U.S. democratic institutions against polarization is seeking a part-time, remote intern to assist in state and local-level election administration research.

[Election Reformers Network](#) (ERN) is a nonpartisan 501c3 advocacy organization founded in 2017 by election experts with extensive reform experience in the U.S. and overseas. ERN actively supports systemic reforms such as impartial election administration, electoral college reform, and independent redistricting.

POSITION SUMMARY

The specialist will assist our Senior Election Reform Fellow in research and occasional administrative work. Key responsibilities will include:

- Research and organization of state election code;
- Contributing to ERN reports, op-eds, and/or state overview or strategy documents;
- Assistance in drafting communications/social media posts;
- Learning and reading about ERN's key issues;
- Other tasks as assigned.

The intern will report to the Senior Election Reform Fellow, based in Chicago, Illinois. This is a remote, flexible position designed to be part-time and conducive to the intern's school or work schedule. A monthly stipend will be provided.

It is essential that candidates be open-minded, non-dogmatic, and skilled at understanding and working with a wide range of people and perspectives. Additionally, candidates should be confident in working both independently in a self-directed manner and as part of a small team.

EXPERIENCE, AND SKILLS REQUIRED:

- Enrolled in (or recently graduated from) a college program in election law, political science, public policy, public administration, and/or a related field;
- Willingness to learn about and understand complicated issues, particularly pertaining to election administration;
- Familiarity with Google office software (such as Docs and Sheets);
- Background or interest in systemic issues facing U.S. democracy;
- Ability to make comparative assessments between differing state laws and systems.

Interested candidates should submit cover letter and resume by email to avanderklipp@electionreformers.org. No calls please.

Election Reformers Network is committed to a diverse workplace, seeking voices and expertise from people from across the political spectrum. We are committed to equal employment opportunities (EEO) for all applicants seeking employment. ERN makes consultant decisions based on organizational needs, job requirements and individual qualifications without regard to race, color, religion, sex, national origin, age, disability, marital status, sexual orientation, personal appearance, military status, gender identity or expression, genetic information, political affiliation, educational status, unemployment status, place of residence or business, source of income, or reproductive health decision making. Additionally, harassment or discrimination based on these characteristics will not be tolerated at ERN. To perform the essential functions of this position, reasonable accommodations are available to qualified individuals with disabilities.