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Sample Internships

- AFL-CIO
- USDA Rural Housing Service
- Department of Labor
- AARP
- National Association of Social Workers
- Washington, D.C. Public Schools
- Child Welfare League of America
- Consumer Product Safety Commission
- Equal Employment Opportunity Commission (EEOC)
- Department of Housing and Urban Development
- DC Public Defender Service
- Department of Education
- The Urban Institute
- U.S. Citizenship and Immigration Services
- Department of Health and Human Services
- The World Bank
- Inter-Agency Council on Homelessness
- Rosemary Joyce (UC Berkeley)
- John Sutton (UC Santa Barbara)
- T.S. Harvey (UC Riverside)
- Sally Mckee (UC Davis)
- Danny Oppenheimer (UCLA)
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  UC Berkeley
- Crime and Delinquency
  John Sutton
  UC Santa Barbara
- Public Health, Media, and Risk Management
  T.S. Harvey
  UC Riverside
- Collecting Ourselves and Others
  Sally Mckee
  UC Davis
- Psychology for Public Policy
  Danny Oppenheimer
  UCLA
- The History, Theory, and Practice of Non-Profits
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