ACLU of Michigan Campaign Internship

Campaign Internship: The American Civil Liberties Union of Michigan is seeking interns for a unique program which seeks to organize, on the grassroots level to transform our criminal justice system. The ACLU is one of the nation’s premiere defenders of civil rights and civil liberties. The ACLU’s core program areas include: First Amendment, Equality Rights, Privacy, Due Process, and Racial Justice. We are seeking students from a wide range of disciplines, including public policy, communications, political science, computer science, social work, and law. An internship with the ACLU provides students with an opportunity to work on important issues facing our state, today. The ideal intern has a general familiarity with the American Civil Liberties Union, and general knowledge about the history of civil rights and constitutional law.

Overview:
We are seeking campaign interns to work in key neighborhoods to push forward, the ACLU of Michigan’s agenda on criminal justice reform. Campaign interns will be the face of our organizing and are essential to helping us win on criminal justice reform.

TASKS & RESPONSIBILITIES

- Recruit, train, and manage volunteers to expand the volunteer network.
- Manage and execute phone banks, canvasses and other activities.
- Win support for the ACLU of Michigan’s agenda on criminal justice reform

REQUIRED SKILLS & BACKGROUND

- Great energy and attitude.
- Well-organized.
- Ability to speak confidently to community members
- A deep dedication to civil liberties and civil rights.
- Candidates with organizing and campaign experience are preferred.