



## Call for Applications for the Simmons College Lee Family Foundation Intern Fellowship program Spring 2018

The Simmons College Lee Family Foundation Intern Fellowship program seeks to give young women exposure to and education in the nuts and bolts of Massachusetts's political leadership through practical experience and therefore, increase the amount of young women who enter the pipeline of political leadership.

The grant, made possible through the generous donation of Simmons College alumna Barbara Lee, allows for a number of paid internships, **open to students across the undergraduate college, from all majors.**

Selected students will register for an eight-credit internship through the Department of Political Science and International Relations, will receive a stipend of \$2000 and placement with a female legislator at the Massachusetts State House. Kristina Pechulis ([Pechulis@Simmons.edu](mailto:Pechulis@Simmons.edu)) is the coordinator of the program.

### Criteria for application:

1. Seniors preferred, juniors considered;
2. Minimum 3.0 GPA;
3. Essay 500 words or less indicating why you want to participate in the program;
4. Resume;
5. Simmons Transcript,(formal or informal printed from AARC accepted); and
6. Letter of Recommendation from a faculty member under separate cover addressed to Kristina Pechulis, CAS Dean's Suite (C-313).

Please submit all items together in a packet with a cover letter to the front desk in the CAS Dean's Suite (C-313) by Thursday, November 6, 2017 at 2 pm.

Students who make it past the first round will have an interview with representatives of the Foundation and Kristina Pechulis the week of November 14, 16 and 21. Final selections will be made by November 30.