THE BIG WEST

2021-22 UNPAID INTERNSHIP PROGRAM OVERVIEW

The Big West’s Unpaid Internship Program provides the opportunity to receive hands-on sport administration education and training in a NCAA Division I collegiate athletic conference office. The Big West interns are needed for the 2021-22 competition season (September through May), and the summer months (June through August) at The Big West Office in Southern California, working in one of the two internship core areas.

In addition to the core internship area identified, interns will be exposed to and involved in the ongoing development of Big West initiatives and will be provided with hands-on training, experience and learning opportunities, while developing lasting relationships in collegiate athletics. The goal for each intern is to receive beneficial learning, relevant education and training that will help prepare them for careers in collegiate athletics and be future leaders in the industry.

**Internship Core Areas**

* Communications
* Marketing & Championships

**Requirements**

Must have received or in the process towards a bachelor’s or master’s degree. Desired qualifications are based on each internship core emphasis. Please see area specific internship descriptions for more information.

**Instructions to Apply**

For full consideration of the 2021-22 competition year internship program, please send your internship core area preference, cover letter, resume and three references to the Alyssa Carillo (acarillo@bigwest.org) by no later than Sunday, August 22, 2021.

**2021-22 Competition Year Summer Program – Application Window TBD**

Internship Start Date: September 2021 Internship Start Date: June 2022

Internship End Date: May 2022 Internship End Date: August 2022

**Many Big West interns have found successful careers after their internship experience.**

**About The Big West**

The Big West is an NCAA Division I member with 11 members with the shared goal of empowering every student-athlete in competition and in life and uniting its university communities through championship experiences. Formed in 1969,  The Big West membership, consists of Cal Poly, CSU Bakersfield, Cal State Fullerton, CSUN, Hawai‘i, Long Beach State, UC Davis, UC Irvine, UC Riverside, UC San Diego and UC Santa Barbara. The Big West is united in the pursuit of boundless opportunities, enduring integrity, bold activism, fearless innovation and the pacific spirit of freedom, exploration and progress.

The Big West sponsors 18 sports at the NCAA Division I level: baseball, softball, men’s and women’s basketball, men’s and women’s volleyball, women’s beach volleyball, men’s and women’s cross country, men’s and women’s golf, men’s and women’s soccer, men’s and women’s tennis, men’s and women’s track and field and women’s water polo.