



# CALIFORNIA STATE THREAT ASSESSMENT CENTER (STAC)

CALIFORNIA GOVERNOR'S OFFICE OF EMERGENCY SERVICES (CAL-OES)

## STAC INTERNSHIP PROGRAM OVERVIEW

The STAC is California's state fusion center, and serves as the primary Homeland Security clearinghouse for the Governor's Homeland Security Advisor. As such, the STAC helps shape and support the state's Homeland Security strategy through statewide analytic intelligence products, threat briefings, critical incident support, information-sharing and more.

The California State Threat Assessment Center offers internships to a select group of applicants. These are part-time, unpaid internships located in **Mather, California**. Applications are being accepted as they come in on a rolling basis.

- Must be at least 18-years-old;
- Applicants are preferably enrolled full-time in an accredited college or university; preferably upper-classmen or recent graduate;
- Applications should include resume, cover letter, and one writing sample (not to exceed 500 words);
- Interns should be available to work 20-35 hours/wk during core work hours Monday through Friday, 8-5pm.
- Applicants will undergo a basic background investigation check.

### *Program Highlights—Interns will:*

- Be exposed to all facets of the State Homeland Security and preparedness mission;
- Interact with senior government officials and various government agencies;
- Receive training and career development opportunities;
- Have the opportunity to earn college credits, gain valuable work experience, and brief STAC and Homeland Security officials on the work they did over the course of the internship.

## STAC Chief Mission Areas

Terrorism | Cybersecurity | Transnational Organized Crime | Critical Infrastructure | Homeland Security



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## STAC INTERNSHIP PROGRAM DETAILS

### *Homeland Security Support Intern*

**Job Description:** The STAC Homeland Security Support Intern will serve as an “intelligence analyst” in training, and may support a variety of dynamic mission sets at the direction of the strategic intelligence team manager. Interns may conduct a variety of daily duties to include: research; writing intelligence products; news roundups; administrative duties. Interns may be assigned to work a range of issues, to include: international & domestic terrorism; cybersecurity; transnational organized crime; gangs; social media; homeland security policy, and others. Interns will obtain first-hand experience interfacing with senior state leaders and major state agencies in homeland security and law enforcement, as well as representatives from federal agencies including the Department of Homeland Security (DHS), the Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI), and the National Counterterrorism Center (NCTC).

**Desired Majors:** Area Studies; Language Studies; Homeland Security; Public Policy; Security Studies; Law; Counterterrorism; Criminal Justice; Cybersecurity; English, History, Intelligence, International Relations/International Studies; Computer Science; Math; Engineering; Business; Political Science; Communications/Journalism.

**Desired Qualities:** Strong attention to detail; Research skills; Creativity; Problem-solving; Excellent writing/communication skills; Curious; Responsible; Professional; Reliable; Able to work effectively in teams; Proficient with Microsoft Office applications; Self-motivated; Able to work under tight deadlines. Ideal candidates are those seeking work experience in government; homeland security; public policy; intelligence analysis; counterterrorism; cybersecurity. Interns **must** have excellent writing and communication skills.

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### To Apply:

Send Resume, Cover Letter, Writing Sample (one; 500 words or less); References to: [stac@caloes.ca.gov](mailto:stac@caloes.ca.gov)

Please note **“STAC Internship Application”** in the subject line