The OU Center for Intelligence and National Security is an Intelligence Community Center for Academic Excellence (IC CAE). We are committed to providing the academic foundation necessary for outstanding engineering, science and critical language students to engage in meaningful research and educational experiences. Our core objective is to provide significant opportunities for a diverse pool of high-quality science, technology, engineering and mathematics (STEM) and critical language students to acquire unique skill sets, enrichment experiences, and the personal motivation required to develop the next generation of STEM professionals and linguists necessary to ensure the Nation’s security.

In this document you will find descriptions of several IC programs and links to their opportunities for students. If you find opportunities that you are interested in applying for please let us know and we will be available to help through the application process. Contact either Dr. Mould, Dr. Antonio, Dr. Regens, or Chris Sartorius. Their contact information is available at the OU CINS Website.

List Of Student Opportunities By IC Agency:

▶ DIA (Defense Intelligence Agency) Opportunities:


- STEM Internship
- Technology Internship
- Mission Services Internship
- Intelligence Internship
CIA (Central Intelligence Agency) Opportunities:

CIA offers an undergraduate Co-Op program, undergraduate internship program, undergraduate scholarship program, graduate scholarship program, and graduate studies program. General requirements are US citizenship and minimum 3.0 GPA on a 4.0 scale. To be considered for Summer 2016 employment submit your online application by October 15. Applications for winter, spring, and fall employment should be sent nine to twelve months before the desired start date. Learn more about and apply for specific internship and co-op positions by visiting the Undergraduate and Graduate Student pages.

– CIA Student Opportunities

NSA (National Security Agency) Opportunities

The NSA offers a summer internship in Intelligence Analysis which is open for applications now through 15 October 2015. This highly competitive and paid internship is 12 weeks long, and immerses the student in real world foreign intelligence problems. Historically the program has accepted only rising seniors, new for this year, NSA is adding students pursuing a graduate degree as well.

Many of the same qualities that make applicants attractive for the summer program also apply to those seeking full-time work as entry level analysts. NSA has a reputation for seeking employees with STEM backgrounds. While that need is enduring, NSA also has needs in other areas. The civilian workforce is made up of over 20 different broad skill communities that enable all NSA functions.

– Career Fair Information
– Undergraduate Student Internships
– Graduate Student Internships
– Full time Employment

NGA (National Geospatial Intelligence Agency) Opportunities:

NGA offers students both employment and scholarship program opportunities. General requirements are US citizenship and minimum 3.0 GPA on a 4.0 scale. To be considered for Summer 2016 employment submit your online application by October 10, 2015. Learn more about and apply for specific opportunities by visiting the student opportunities page.

– NGA Student Opportunities