CPGC Domestic Partnership Summer Internships:

Philadelphia Futures

**Overview:** Philadelphia Futures is a nonprofit organization that provides Philadelphia’s low-income, first-generation-to-college students with the tools, resources and opportunities necessary for admission to and success in college. The organization transforms lives by breaking down the barriers that have historically excluded this population of students from achieving college success. The students Philadelphia Futures serves are provided with a comprehensive, time-tested array of programs designed to reduce the institutional, academic, social and financial barriers to college success.

Through its two direct service programs, Sponsor-A-Scholar (SAS) and College Connection, Philadelphia Futures annually serves nearly 600 high school and college students with academic enrichment services, personalized college guidance, placement and retention services and financial resources. Unique in their depth and duration, these intensive, individualized programs support students from high school through college completion.

**Project:** Interns are needed to work as instructional support for one of the many of the summer programs taking place on various college campuses (Drexel, Temple, Eastern) in the Philadelphia area. Interns will work alongside dedicated professionals and award-winning professors to lead small group work, provide one-on-one technical and writing support, and
promote a positive learning environment for the students participating in the program. Interns will also engage in one-on-one work with individual students, as well as administrative support in the Center City Philadelphia office. Interns will also help with coordination of the College Admissions Marathon hosted by Haverford College in June.

**CPGC’s Internship Program:** The CPGC internship program includes a social justice retreat and enrollment in a course upon students’ return to campus. This course requirement will help students integrate their experience into political, historical and cultural contexts. Students may choose from a menu of courses offered by CPGC, or propose another course that relates more to the internship.

**Stipend:** CPGC covers Haverford’s interns’ costs, including travel, lodging, local transportation, food, as well as the summer earnings expectation for students who receive financial aid.

**Eligibility and Application Information:** This opportunity is available for Haverford freshman, sophomores, juniors, and seniors. Applications include completing a form, uploading your one writing sample and your transcript (unofficial is fine), and requesting a recommendation from a faculty member. Apply through CPGC’s web site.

**Deadline:** February 7, 2016. Faculty recommendations are due February 7, with a one-week grace period. The application process includes an interview. Application form is available on CPGC’s web site: [http://cpgc-apply.haverford.edu/](http://cpgc-apply.haverford.edu/)

**For More Information:** Visit [www.philadelphiafutures.org](http://www.philadelphiafutures.org), contact Rashni Stanford, domestic internship coordinator at [rstanford@haverford.edu](mailto:rstanford@haverford.edu); 610-896-1308. Talk with previous interns: Katy Frank, Sherilyn Galvez ’15, Jee Soo Kang ’16, Sarah Dwyer ’17.