

POSITION: Legal Intern
LOCATION: The Hague, the Netherlands
STARTING DATE: April 2018
DEADLINE FOR APPLICATIONS: 20 April 2018

The **Coalition for the International Criminal Court** (CICC; www.coalitionfortheicc.org), a program of the World Federalist Movement-Institute for Global Policy (WFM-IGP), is recruiting a Legal Intern for its international secretariat in The Hague, The Netherlands.

The Coalition includes 2,500 civil society organizations in 150 different countries working in partnership to strengthen international cooperation with the ICC; ensure that the Court is fair, effective and independent; make justice both visible and universal; and advance stronger national laws that deliver justice to victims of war crimes, crimes against humanity and genocide. The ICC is the only permanent Court with the mandate to bring to justice individuals who commit the most serious violations of international humanitarian law, namely genocide, crimes against humanity and war crimes.

THE INTERNSHIP

The intern will assist the Coalition's staff in advocacy efforts through a mix of legal research and administrative tasks. The intern will report directly to the CICC Director of Programs. **The position is on a full-time basis for a minimum of 3 months.**

Responsibilities

- Attend meetings at the ICC on thematic issues and country situations that relate to the ICC, reporting on the sessions for CICC members;
- Monitor trial developments at the ICC;
- Draft talking points, factsheets, and op-eds;
- Provide support to advocacy efforts in The Hague and abroad;
- Undertake special projects and assignments as may arise.

Qualifications

- Advanced undergraduate or graduate student in law, preferably International Public Law;
- Knowledge of the ICC, or peace and security matters in ICC situation countries;
- Excellent written and oral communication, research, organization and writing skills;
- Ability to work independently and within the constraints of tight deadlines;
- Perfect knowledge of English, additional language proficiencies are a plus, especially French, Spanish, and/or Arabic;
- Interest in the goals of the CICC.

REMUNERATION

Please note that this is an **unpaid** internship and the Coalition cannot cover associated transportation or accommodation costs. We recommend all prospective candidates to seek financial assistance from their academic institutions or seek outside fellowships, grants, and personal resources. The Coalition cannot sponsor individuals applying for internships to help them obtain visas.

APPLICATION PROCEDURE

Please apply by 20 April by sending a cover letter and CV by email to cicc-hague@coalitionfortheicc.org with the subject header, “[First and last name] - Hague Legal Intern”.

Applications will be reviewed on a rolling basis; therefore it is advised to send in applications early. Short-listed candidates will be invited for a telephone/Skype interview. Due to the great number of applications, only short-listed candidates will be contacted.

NO phone inquiries please.

The WFM-IGP is an equal opportunity/affirmative action employer strongly committed to hiring and retaining diverse and internationally representative interns.

ABOUT WFM-IGP

WFM-IGP works to advance the global promise of peace and is committed to building a safer and more just world. The organization includes a comprehensive set of programs that work to protect civilians from the threat of genocide, war crimes and crimes against humanity; facilitate transparency in governance; increase access to justice; and promote the application of the rule of law. WFM-IGP works in partnership with the United Nations and often serves as a hub of information and collective action on UN-related issues. In addition, we work with governments, and other international and regional institutions around the globe – as well as with thousands of committed individuals and world leaders – to advance a mission of peace, prosperity, and security for all.

WFM-IGP is co-located in The Hague, the Netherlands and New York, USA and has ECOSOC consultative status with the United Nations. WFM-IGP currently oversees the following programs: the Coalition for the International Criminal Court (CICC), the International Coalition for the Responsibility to Protect, and the International Democratic Governance program, amongst others. For more information about WFM-IGP, please visit our website: www.wfm-igp.org.