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2012 SUMMER IN D.C. INTERNSHIP PROGRAM

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The James A. Baker III Institute for Public Policy is seeking applicants for the ninth cohort of the Jesse Jones Leadership Center Summer in Washington, D.C., Policy Research Internship Program. The program will provide stipends sufficient to support a select group of Rice undergraduates conducting policymaking research at government agencies, private think tanks and nongovernmental organizations in D.C. in summer 2012. Those accepted must be currently enrolled as full-time undergraduates through fall 2012. Those selected will attend a seminar on public policy and global affairs coterminous with their internships in D.C., write a research report for publication and presentation before Rice faculty and researchers at the beginning of fall semester 2012, and also organize a public policy education activity for academic year 2012–2013. Applicants are individually responsible for selecting and establishing internships and residency in D.C.

Interested students should send the following materials by **January 31, 2012**, to **Dr. Steven Lewis, Washington Internship Committee, Baker Institute, MS-40**:

1. A letter of application with your campus and home addresses, telephone numbers and email addresses;
2. A short essay of no more than 600 words describing your career goals, your internship plans (including the organizations to which you have applied or intend to apply), and how these tie in with the mission and policy research programs of the Baker Institute;
3. A resume;
4. An official, sealed transcript;
5. One letter of recommendation, preferably from a Rice faculty member or researcher who can discuss your ability to conduct policy research.

Questions should be addressed to swlewis@rice.edu.