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UCI School of Humanities Career Development & Experiential Learning

Attention Humanities Students!

- Are you a Humanities major who cares about the environment?
- Are you interested in helping others understand climate change?
- Would you like to learn more about how climate change unevenly affects different California communities, and what scientists, policymakers, and community leaders are doing to address these impacts?
- Do you have a passion for communication and an interest in growing your skill set?

If so, this paid internship program in Climate Communications may be for you!

As part of the **Wildlands-Urban Interface Climate Action Network (WUICAN)**, you will work with a campus or community partner on communications projects related to environmental justice and community-driven solutions to climate change. As a Climate Communications Intern, you will assist with projects such as social media posts, composing or contributing to news items, and supporting meetings and events. You will also receive two P/NP units by enrolling in WR 197 Writing Internship, with Prof. Julia Lupton.

This **paid, credit-bearing internship opportunity** will broaden your skills and employment horizons while engaging you in meaningful climate action work.

The program will take place Fall 2024 and is open to UCI undergraduate humanities majors. Preference will be given to seniors and juniors with a GPA of 3.5 or higher.

Commitment:

1. Complete WR197/ Writing Internship, Wednesdays 2:00-2:50 pm, Fall 2024; 2 Units, P/NP.
2. Work 8-10 hours per week for a campus or community partner affiliated with WUICAN in Fall 2024. You will be supporting the communications needs of the site. Duties may include attending group meetings, composing social media posts, conducting and writing interviews and other news stories, and event planning, documenting and support.

Compensation:

- Students who are placed in a position off campus and who successfully complete the program in Fall 2024 will receive a stipend of \$2000 in Winter 2025. Please note that stipends may affect your financial aid eligibility.
- Students who work on campus will be hired as student employees and will be paid accordingly.

Info Session: Wednesday, April 24, 2024, 2:00-3:00 pm; register [here](#) for Zoom Link

Applications Due: May 31, 2024

Application includes a short personal statement, a writing sample, and a copy of your unofficial transcript.

Apply here: <https://forms.gle/Rhty8357ob3EmMXP7>

For further information: Contact Dr. Matthew Hartman, Climate Communications Post-Doctoral Fellow at mhartman@hri.uci.edu

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