WLWT Internship Program

WLWT-TV offers a year round internship program for college students who have identified their career goals in broadcasting. The aim of the WLWT internship is to expose the student to the daily demands and challenges of a commercial broadcasting operation and to provide as much “hands on” opportunity as possible, appropriate to individual interests, training and talents. All interns are encouraged to learn about all aspects of commercial broadcasting. The UNPAID internship requires the student to receive academic credit for the successful completion of the internship through the institution in which he/she is enrolled. WLWT, the intern, and the sponsoring institution recognize mutual obligations and regard the intern experience as an important stepping-stone to a college education.

The duration of the unpaid individual internship is synchronized with the academic team and is typically 8-10 weeks on a part-time basis. While the News Business Manager and Human Resource Department coordinates the program, each intern is interviewed and accepted by a specific department or unit. Departments accepting interns include: News Department, Sales Department, Creative Services Department and Engineering Department.

Qualifications:

- Junior, senior or post-secondary status at a four-year accredited university.
- Preference is given to students majoring in a communications field such as television broadcasting, media, journalism, speech communications.

Application Procedure:

Submit resume and cover letter stating department of interest and academic term in which you are available, a letter of recommendation (preferably from an academic professor or advisor) and proof of junior, senior or post-secondary status to WLWT at the address below. Qualified students will be contacted for an interview.

WLWT-TV
Internship Program or carmstrong@hearst.com
1700 Young Street
Cincinnati, OH 45202
WLWT-TV, Channel 5 is Ohio’s first television station and became the first NBC affiliate in the country. Channel 5 has a rich and storied history in Greater Cincinnati and the Tri-State. WLWT maintains a state-of-the-art digital facility and continues to set the standard for embracing new technology.

WLWT-TV is owned by Hearst Television. Hearst’s stations collectively reach approximately 21 million U.S. TV households ranking it among the top TV station groups in the country. Hearst stations are among the nation’s most-honored for their local-news and community-service leadership, stretching from Boston to Albuquerque and from Orlando to Sacramento.

All full benefit package is available to WLWT full time employees including health insurance, life insurance, 401K savings plan, and various other options.

WLWT job openings can be located at www wlwt com and company wide openings can be found at www careers hearsttelevision com