



Consultancy Africa Intelligence (CAI) - Internship Programme Call for applications

Attention: **Post-graduate students with an interest in Africa**

Consultancy Africa Intelligence (CAI), an international web-based research and consultancy firm with an exclusive focus on the African continent, is looking for aspiring researchers and analysts with an interest in Africa to join our internship programme for the first half of 2013 (from 1 January - 30 June 2013). Internship positions are available in all eleven of our [research units](#):

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| 1. Africa Watch | 4. Election Reflection | 7. Gender Issues | 10. Public Health |
| 2. Asia Dimension | 5. Enviro Africa | 8. Industry & Business | 11. Rights in Focus |
| 3. Conflict & Terrorism | 6. Finance & Economy | 9. Optimistic Africa | |

In addition, CAI is now also offering internship opportunities with our **Africa Monthly Monitor (AMM) report series**. Interns with the AMMs (titled "AMM Associates") will work with our experienced team of analysts in the development of three dynamic new monthly reports, all with a different but pertinent Africa-related focus. For more information about the AMMs, visit [our website](#).

Who should apply?

The CAI internship programme is open to **Masters and Doctoral students** in applicable fields of study (Economics, International Relations, Journalism, Law, Philosophy, Political Science, Psychology, Sociology, etc). Applicants should:

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| → have strong writing ability and research skills | → have relevant experience |
| → have an interest in, and a passion for Africa | → have good time-management skills |
| → have a drive to acquire relevant experience and exposure | → be diligent and reliable |

What does the internship involve?

Successful applicants will become involved with one of CAI's eleven research units **OR** CAI's AMM report series, depending on their interest, experience and qualifications. The details of these two areas of internship involvement are briefly detailed in the below table. More detailed information is available on [our internship webpage](#).

Internship with one of CAI's eleven research units	Internship with CAI's Africa Monthly Monitor (AMM) report series
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Author editorial-style discussion papers, potentially published on our website and shared with our content partners - Assist with CAI's social networking initiatives, including the opportunity to contribute to CAI's blog, <i>Africa Interpreted</i> 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Assist our analysts with research on assigned African countries/regions, topics or themes - Assist in the development of brief value-adding features and/or graphic content for the AMMs
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Join an international team of expert analysts and researchers - Acquire invaluable experience in the research and consultancy fields - Develop skills and expertise in Africa-focused analysis, research and consultancy 	

The CAI internship is **un-remunerated** and **web-based** (i.e. successful applicants are not be required to relocate). Interns who perform well during their internship may be (a) given an opportunity to contribute to CAI's tailored research; (b) given an opportunity to become involved as a regional analyst or columnist for the AMM reports; (c) offered an internship extension; and/or (d) offered a position on our consultancy team.

How to apply:

Interested post-graduate students are invited to submit (a) their CV, (b) a brief motivation letter and (c) two examples of previously written work to CAI (claudia.forster-towne@consultancyafrica.com) **before 30 November 2012**.

Applicants should indicate in their application e-mail which of the two internship opportunities (**CAI's research units and/or the AMM report series**) they are applying for. If applying for an internship with one of CAI's research units, applicants should specify **which research unit/s** they would like to be considered for.

NOTE: Incomplete applications will not be considered.