As an organization founded by Catholic Sisters and open to all who share our passion:

We value women's leadership.

We accept and appreciate people from religious as well as secular backgrounds.

We welcome and affirm members of the LGBTQ+ community.

We engage in the ongoing work to become a multicultural anti-racist organization.

Application and More Information:
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Our Mission

NETWORK — a Catholic leader in the global movement for justice and peace — educates, organizes and lobbies for economic and social transformation.

A year-long position in legislative advocacy & social justice in Washington, D.C.
The NETWORK Associate Program is an 11-month intensive educational and professional position in legislative advocacy rooted in principles of Catholic Social Justice.

From August through July, Associates will immerse themselves in Washington, D.C. and all it has to offer, undertaking experiences in legislative policy, research, lobbying, coalition-building, community organizing, curriculum development, networking, digital platforms and media.

**POSITIONS**

All Associates will have the opportunity to learn about and engage in every aspect of a faith-based advocacy office, in addition to working in their individual positions.

**Communications Associate**

 Creates and edits media to effectively communicate NETWORK’s message to the press, our members, and our activists. Works across multiple social media platforms to activate and engage our members.

**Grassroots Mobilization Associate**

Cultivates relationships with communities across the country to connect people with politics. Develops and presents workshops to help the public understand the intersection of politics and faith.

**Government Relations Associate**

Takes on specific federal issues, learning about them in depth, conducting research, and creating materials for NETWORK’s lobby work. Conducts and attends lobby visits on Capitol Hill and participates in coalition meetings.

**BENEFITS**

Associates receive:

- $15,000 stipend
- $800/month housing stipend
- $100/month transportation stipend
- Two weeks (10 days) paid vacation
- Platinum health and dental plan
- Twelve sick days a year
- One-on-one mentorship
- Professional & spiritual development

The Associate Program gives individuals seeking their first professional experience the opportunity to learn about and engage in faith-based advocacy at a hands-on level. You will be a fully involved member of NETWORK’s staff.