The McCain Institute for International Leadership seeks:

**Decision Science Intern**

Based in Washington, DC, the McCain Institute for International Leadership at Arizona State University offers outstanding internship opportunities for college students, graduate students and recent graduates. Students interested in advancing character driven leadership, playing a role in finding solutions to the world’s most pressing humanitarian issues, and working to effect change in both domestic and foreign policy are encouraged to apply.

The Decision Theater at the McCain Institute is a powerful tool for helping experts and policy-makers proto-type better decisions. By creating interactive, collaborative models in an immersive, visually stimulating environment, the Decision Theater brings clarity to understanding complex data and analysis. The goal is to display the dynamics of a problem, and the effects of various policy options, in a clear and compelling manner—thus helping experts develop and demonstrate the best approaches to tackling a problem. The Decision Theater projects team is looking for one decision science intern, reporting to the Decision Theater Lab Manager, who will help in the planning and execution of various simulation projects.

**Position Responsibilities:**

- Participate on team that will be developing and designing new data visualization simulations and projects;
- Study and catalogue relevant maps, data, websites, and applications for possible use in Decision Theater simulations;
- Help research and study new and interesting tools and software for use in Decision Theater;
- Help Next Generation Leaders cohort with using the Decision Theater; and
- Help with IT system administration and/or programming.

**Requirements:**

- Responsible, mature, professional, flexible;
- Ability to work independently and exercise excellent judgment; be a self starter;
- Must be highly organized, able to balance multiple priorities, meet deadlines and work well in team-oriented environment;
- Excellent writing skills and attention to detail;
- Experience creating and producing data driven products;
- Experience with JavaScript, data visualization software and IT administration; and
- An interest in the intersection between foreign policy, international security and data analytics.