

UMBC School of Public Policy

Petition for a Waiver of the MPP Internship Requirement

Please refer to the Public Policy Internship Guidelines before completing this petition. Although the petition must be received no later than 90 days prior to the student's final semester in the program, we encourage you to apply for a waiver as soon as possible.

Name _____

I hereby request a waiver from the internship requirement because of work experience that I believe is equivalent to the internship.

Describe the relevant work experience that you wish to substitute for the internship requirement. In doing so, indicate job title, employer, name, address and telephone number of your supervisor and dates of employment. Explain why you believe your work experience is relevant to your studies in the Public Policy MPP program. Please type your response. Use additional pages as needed. Also, enclose your current resume.

Student Signature _____ Date _____

Please forward this petition and your resume to Shelley Morris (shelleym@umbc.edu)
Public Policy, Public Policy Building, Room 407, UMBC, 1000 Hilltop Circle, Baltimore, MD
21250.

Internship Waiver Approved _____ Date _____
(Graduate Program Director)

Note: One copy of this form shall be placed in student's file, and one copy is to be sent to the student for his or her records.