

**2010/11 Intern/Fellow Application**

*Must be 21 or older to apply for the Nick Begich Internship/Fellowship  
Please print in ink or type and complete all application fields below.*

**Name:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date of Birth:** \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_  
(First) (Middle) (Last) Month/Day/Year

**Permanent Alaska Address:** \_\_\_\_\_

**City:** \_\_\_\_\_ **State:** AK **Zip:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Mailing/School Address:** \_\_\_\_\_

**City:** \_\_\_\_\_ **State:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Zip:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Home Phone:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Email:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Name and address of school you are currently attending or present employer:**

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**Last Year of College Attended:** 1 2 3 4 5 6 more than six (circle)

**Highest degree achieved:** None HS/GED Assoc. Bach. Masters Ph D

**What is your proposed internship area? (This helps us determine where to place you):** \_\_ Education \_\_ Government \_\_ Youth Development \_\_ Juvenile Justice \_\_ Social Services Other (specify) \_\_\_\_\_

**The Nick Begich Scholarship Intern Fund (NBSIF) places Intern/Fellows at pre-selected sites. At the present time the NBISF may have opportunities to place an intern/fellow in Washington DC as well as in Anchorage and other Alaska communities. Should you be selected, would you be interested in a DC-based internship/fellowship? Yes \_\_\_ No \_\_\_**

**How did you learn about the Nick Begich Scholarship Intern Fund?** \_\_\_\_\_

**List extracurricular activities (volunteer efforts, work experience, sports, clubs, etc.). Attach additional pages if necessary:** \_\_\_\_\_

**List any organizations in which you are currently active:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Letters of Recommendation:** *With your application packet, please include two letters of recommendation: one from a teacher, counselor, employer, or community activist; and one from a peer, friend, or colleague.*

**Essay:**  
*Each applicant is required to include a minimum 500-word statement on a separate sheet detailing your goals, the reasons you are applying, and any other information that would assist the Board of Directors in making its selections. Specifically, if you are applying for an internship, outline why you are interested in that particular field.*

- Please Note:**
1. **The Board will consider only applications of persons interested in the fields of education, government, and public service.** Internships and fellowships are limited, but available to college students, mid-career professionals, and others interested in pursuing work in the areas served by the NBSIF.
  2. Transcripts for student applicants must be included or sent directly from the school. A minimum "C" average for the previous academic year is required.
  3. **No more than three (3) additional pages should be included with your application, excluding transcripts, letters of recommendation, and essay. Additional pages are not necessary.**
  4. Photographs may be included with application but are not required.
  5. Only Alaska residents are eligible for these awards.
  6. Applications must be mailed complete with all required elements and **postmarked by midnight February 12, 2010** to Nick Begich Scholarship Intern Fund, Attn: Tom Begich, Executive Director, P.O. Box 142711, Anchorage, AK 99514-2711, or **e-mailed to cwrecord@alaska.net by midnight February 12, 2010.**
  7. Any questions may be e-mailed to Tom Begich at cwrecord@alaska.net.
  8. Applications may be obtained from the website: [www.nickbegichfund.org/](http://www.nickbegichfund.org/)

**No late applications will be accepted**

- Application Checklist**  
*Please include all of the following with your application:*
- \_\_\_\_\_ Application form
  - \_\_\_\_\_ 500-word essay relating to your reasons for interest in the internship/fellowship
  - \_\_\_\_\_ Academic transcript, if necessary. Transcript must be an official sealed copy from the college registrar's office and may be sent directly from the school, but must be postmarked by midnight February 12, 2010.
  - \_\_\_\_\_ Two letters of recommendation: one from a teacher, counselor, employer, or community activist; and one from a peer, friend, or colleague.