

## FAQ's

### **Does the leadership academy coordinate CSIS's intern selection process?**

No. Human Resources handles all intern and job applications. For questions about the CSIS internship program, contact Jennifer Groves at [jgroves@csis.org](mailto:jgroves@csis.org) or apply online at [www.csisopportunities.org](http://www.csisopportunities.org).

### **Who can attend the leadership academy's training events?**

AILA reaches out to you through CSIS activities and events. We occasionally have events open to the public, but those will be advertised as such.

### **Does AILA function as an actual school?**

No. AILA is not a school in the traditional sense of the word. Instead, it is an in-house training program. Therefore it does not accept applications, nor allow people outside of CSIS to attend events.

### **How can I apply for the leadership academy?**

The leadership academy does not accept applications. We do occasionally seek partner organizations for joint participation. If your organization would like to partner with the leadership academy for an event, please email [leadership@csis.org](mailto:leadership@csis.org).

### **What is the difference between an AILA intern and other CSIS interns who participate in AILA events?**

AILA interns assist in the planning and execution of, as well as directly participate in, AILA events. Participation in AILA events as a CSIS intern is completely voluntary.

### **How do I apply for AILA's International Fellows program?**

AILA does not openly solicit for applications to the International Fellows Program. Fellows are chosen based on a combination of credentials and potential contribution to the program, as well as being nominated by an affiliated organization. Currently, there is no open application process.

### **Who are the Young Professionals and Interns who attend the leadership academy's events?**

Young professionals and interns are currently working or interning with programs at CSIS. You do not have to work or intern for AILA in order to attend our events. Our events are open to everyone at CSIS on a voluntary basis.

### **Can I intern for the leadership academy?**

Yes. AILA does accept 2-3 volunteer interns each semester to support the academy in a variety of ways. To learn more about interning with AILA click [here](#). To apply for an internship with AILA, apply through the CSIS online internship application process found [here](#). When applying, be sure to select AILA as your preferred program.

### **Are there any employment opportunities with the leadership academy?**

Currently, there are no staff positions available.