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|  | **Legal Internship (Dutch/French)**  **at the UN Refugee Agency,**  **Brussels Office** |  |
| The Office of the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees offers assistance and protection to refugees around the world. UNHCR is one of the largest refugee agencies, with a staff of 10,700 employees who help some 65 million people in over 128 countries.  The Protection Unit for Belgium and Luxembourg seeks one legal intern for a six-month internship, starting in February 2019.  The intern should be a Dutch or French speaker at native speaker’s level, with a Masters in Law, International Affairs, or Political Sciences, an excellent command of written and spoken English and a very good knowledge of French or Dutch. Evidence of previous experience or a strong interest in refugee matters or human rights is appreciated. | | |
| What we offer | | |
| * Experience with a UN agency * Work in a dynamic, international environment * Learning about refugee and statelessness issues with one of the largest humanitarian organisations in the world * First-hand accounts of refugee situations, via presentations given by staff assisting refugees in Belgium and abroad * A variety of interesting tasks * Opportunity to use languages (English, French and Dutch) | | |
| General description of internship | | |
| * Monitoring and analysing Belgian and Luxembourg asylum law and practice * Researching country of origin information and a variety of refugee and statelessness issues * Drafting a wide variety of documents including reports and correspondence, and responding to information requests * Writing, editing and translating texts (in English, Dutch and French, according to native language) * Assisting with the organization of events * Assisting with general office tasks | | |
| How to apply | | |
| Please e-mail your CV and cover letter no later than 30 November 2018 to belbrhr@unhcr.org with the subject “Your surname - Legal intern Spring 2019 Brussels’’.  Please note that only shortlisted applicants will be contacted. | | |