

Advocacy Summer Internship

Scholars at Risk (SAR) seeks a dedicated, detail-oriented intern with excellent writing and research skills to join SAR's Advocacy team for Summer 2021. This position reports to SAR's Advocacy Program Associate. The internship is remote.

KEY RESPONSIBILITIES & DUTIES

- Monitoring cases of imprisoned scholars, and writing case updates for staff and our network
- Drafting letters of appeal on behalf of imprisoned scholars or higher education communities under attack, and – with Advocacy staff – sending out action alerts to our network
- Drafting social media relating to imprisoned scholars and attacks on higher education communities
- Support the rollout of SAR's annual Free to Think report
- Researching and drafting reports on attacks on higher education communities for SAR's Academic Freedom Monitoring Project
- Working with Advocacy staff to update content on SAR's website
- Additional tasks, as needed

QUALIFICATIONS

- Exceptional writing skills
- Experience with detailed, investigative research
- Strong attention to detail, and strong organizational and multi-tasking abilities
- Experience with social media highly desirable
- Demonstrated commitment to human rights and/or international education
- Preferable: students with coursework and/or experience in journalism, human rights, education, international studies, or law