



**Position:** Reporting Internship

**Location of Internship (city, state):** Bradley University, Peoria, IL (or remote).

**Compensation:** Unpaid (for-credit) internship; paid positions available for returning interns or exceptional candidates.

**Internship Supervisor:** Tim Shelley, News Director, [tsshel1@ilstu.edu](mailto:tsshel1@ilstu.edu), (309) 438-2255

**Description of Internship:** Student will report to WCBU's News Director and will work with all members of the station's news team. Responsibilities may include covering news events, capturing photos and/or sound assets at those events; writing stories for on-air and digital platforms; rewriting wire or news release copy for use on-air and on digital platforms; editing and repurposing on air interviews for use on digital platforms; assisting with production of news stories and podcasts; maintaining newsroom story background files; updating quarterly FCC-mandated Issues and Programs filings; and providing staffing assistance at station fundraising events.

**Required background:** Demonstrated understanding of the basic principles of journalism. Preferred prior experience with a student news publication. Communication and journalism majors are preferred but not required.

**Academic terms available:**

Deadline to apply for summer term is generally the March prior.

Deadline to apply for fall term is April prior.

Deadline to apply for spring term is the November prior.