2026 CENTER FOR PUBLIC SERVICE OREGON SUMMER 5027 FELLOWSHIPS

ABOUT

The 10-week Oregon Summer Fellowship provides paid summer placements with state and local governments, and nonprofits around Oregon.

The program is designed for currently enrolled graduate students from a variety of public service disciplines who seek a project oriented, applied learning experience.

Ideal candidates will possess a strong record of scholarship and demonstrable interest in public service. In addition, they should have completed at least their first year of advanced degree work prior to starting their summer assignment.

PREVIOUS SPONSORS

Fellows have been placed in a variety of federal, tribal, state, regional, and local governments, agencies, bureaus, and nonprofit organizations. Recent examples are:

- Association of Oregon Counties
- Bonneville Power Administration
- City of Portland
- Higher Education Coordinating Commission
- League of Oregon Cities
- Metro
- Oregon Department of Administrative Services
- Oregon Department of Transportation
- Oregon Health Authority
- And many more!

FAST FACTS

- Ideally-suited for those with Pacific NW roots and/or aspirations!
- Most assignments with public and nonprofit sponsors in the Portland region or Salem (Oregon's state capital).
- \$6,500 stipend; 10-week commitment.
- Starting dates range between May and June, depending on the prospect's academic calendar.
- Designed for exceptional Masters and Ph.D. candidates who have completed at least their first year in public policy, public administration, business administration, information technology management, or another relevant public service discipline.
- The Fellowship is administered by the Center for Public Service within the Mark O. Hatfield School of Government, Portland State University.
 - PSU is an EOE/AA Employer.



2026 APPLICATIONS OPEN NOW!

Early matching deadline is February 27

Standard matching deadline is March 27



