



Campaign Internship– Yetta Kurland for New York City Council  
Application Deadline: May 30<sup>th</sup>, 2013  
Internship Duration: June-September 2013

This is a high-level internship for talented undergraduate and graduate students with a passion for social justice and progressive politics to play an integral role in leading city council campaign. Interns will receive training in campaign strategy and grassroots organizing and have the opportunity to take on significant responsibilities as they hone their skills. We invest in our interns through a premiere leadership development program, skills training, and excellent mentorship. Interns will gain knowledge of the local political ecosystem and the inner workings of a campaign in addition to developing a specific skills-set through an internship track: policy, communications, events and logistics, data, or field.

Responsibilities:

- Complete campaign strategy and grassroots organizing training provided by campaign staff
- Train volunteers to conduct phone banking and door-to-door canvassing
- Collect and analyze data from the field and contribute to strategic planning meetings
- Provide general campaign support, problem-solve, and staff events

Qualifications:

- Must be an undergraduate or graduate student in a relevant field
- Must be committed to advancing progressive values and social justice
- Must possess a strong sense of judgment, professionalism, and emotional maturity
- Must possess excellent critical thinking, communications, and people skills
- Must have a demonstrated interest in civic engagement, public service, and leadership

Terms:

- Internship duration: June – September (primaries)
- 15-20 hours a week + special events
- Internships are unpaid

About Yetta Kurland:

- Yetta Kurland is a civil rights attorney, educator, radio host, small business owner and community activist. She was at the center of the campaign for Marriage Equality and virtually every other fight for LGBTQ equality over the past two decades. Yetta has been a key figure in building bridges between communities of color, low-income communities and other under-represented communities on a wide range of social justice issues.

To apply, send a resume, cover letter, and name of a reference with their title, e-mail address and phone number to [internships@yettakurland.com](mailto:internships@yettakurland.com) by May 30<sup>th</sup>, 2013.