

NSPR Fall 2026 Internship

Digital News Production Intern

Position Summary

The Digital News Production Intern will gain hands-on experience producing digital content for North State Public Radio (NSPR) while learning how local news is adapted and presented for online audiences. The intern will work in NSPR's newsroom alongside journalists to develop skills in digital writing, editing, publishing and audience engagement.

Internship Details

- 3 units of academic credit
- 135 hours over the semester (approximately 9 hours per week for 15 weeks)
- Mid-semester and final evaluations

Learning Opportunities and Responsibilities

- Develop skills in digital news writing, editing, AP style and newsroom editorial standards
- Learn to adapt broadcast stories for NSPR's website and other digital platforms
- Learn to write and produce newsletters highlighting NSPR's local news coverage
- Develop skills in writing headlines, summaries and other digital copy
- Learn how digital content is published, organized and presented to online audiences
- Participate in newsroom meetings and professional trainings through NPR and the California News Hub
- Shadow NSPR journalists and digital staff to learn how news is produced across platforms

- Complete a final digital news project demonstrating skills developed during the internship

Qualifications

- Chico State Journalism, English or Communications major
- Meets department requirements for academic credit internship
- Strong writing, editing and communication skills
- Interest in local news and digital storytelling
- Willingness to learn and receive feedback in a fast-paced newsroom
- Completion of a copy-editing course preferred

How to apply

Applications will be reviewed on a rolling basis, so students are encouraged to apply as soon as possible. The final application deadline is Sunday, Sept. 13.

To apply, email **sarah.bohannon@mynspr.org** with:

- Your resume
- 2-3 work samples - writing or audio for Radio and Digital internships; photos or video for Photo/Video internship. Class assignments are welcome.
- Brief answers to these questions:
 - Why are you interested in interning with NSPR?
 - What are you hoping to learn?
 - Which internships are you interested in - Radio News Production, Digital News Production or Photo/Video?

Selected applicants will be invited for a short interview.

