



# PPF

## PUBLIC POLICY FELLOWSHIP PROGRAM

*"My participation as a STEM Fellow gave me the opportunity to write my first of many memos and to create the foundation for continued partnerships between the Hill and NGOs. My mentors at the Environmental Defense Fund and Rep. Cárdenas' office provided me with the resources, support and confidence to excel within the world of policy."*



**ANDY VARGAS**

**2016-2017 BP STEM Public Policy Fellow**

Los Angeles, California

Dickinson College

B.A., Environmental Studies, B.A., Latin

American, Latino & Caribbean Studies

Placement 1: Environmental Defense Fund

Placement 2: Office of Rep. Tony Cárdenas

Currently: Legislative Correspondent,

U.S. Senator Kamala Harris

The Public Policy Fellowship Program (PPF) offers talented Latinos a paid, nine-month fellowship to accelerate their careers as public policy leaders. Participants will be placed in a congressional office on Capitol Hill for the first half of their fellowship and will have the opportunity to pursue a different placement during the second half that best matches their policy interest. The range of placements include: congressional offices, committees, federal agencies, the White House, national non-profit advocacy organizations, and government-related institutions.

Applicants to the Public Policy Fellowship Program must have earned a bachelor's degree within two years of the program start date.

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## SELECTED PARTICIPANTS WILL RECEIVE:

### WORK EXPERIENCE IN WASHINGTON, D.C.

### COMPETITIVE PAY

Amount will vary depending on the year; please refer to the CHCI website for current stipend amounts.

### BENEFITS

- Domestic round-trip transportation to Washington, D.C.
- Health insurance (premium covered by CHCI)
- Optional short-term housing\*
- Leadership training, networking and more

*\*CHCI secures and deducts service costs out of stipend.*

