POSITION: Intern
DURATION: Summer 2015, June 1st - August 14th
COMPENSATION: Commensurate with experience
DEADLINE: Friday, February 27, 2015 at 11:59pm

The Joseph E. Corcoran Center for Real Estate and Urban Action at the Carroll School of Management builds on the tenets of an undergraduate course that Joseph E. Corcoran ’59 created, Urban Real Estate: Creating Viable Urban Neighborhoods. The Center builds on his legacy of caring mixed income development as it straddles academic disciplines, draws inspiration, and adds seasoned practitioners with business and community-building experience to complement traditional academic scholarship. It provides hands-on experiences to students in community organizations and enables students to study real examples.

The Corcoran Center is devoted to student engagement, curriculum development and support, speaking programs from practitioners, and community outreach.

DESCRIPTION
The Center for Real Estate and Urban Action seeks energetic interns interested in helping urban communities prosper. This internship will provide students an opportunity to gain professional experience and develop skills while working on transformative community projects. Interns will be matched with a local organization from the Center’s network of partners and will complete a project that promotes neighborhood revitalization and urban development. Interns will ultimately prepare a deliverable, representing their work on the project. Deliverables could include a proposal, presentation, or research completed throughout the summer.

Interns will participate in regular collaborative sessions to report on progress, compare experiences, hear from experts in the field of neighborhood revitalization, and participate in skill-building workshops. All interns will present their deliverables and reflect on their summer experiences at the conclusion of the program.

ELIGIBILITY
Internships are available for current undergraduate students, freshmen to juniors, who are motivated and hard working. Applicants should have a demonstrated interest in social justice, housing development, neighborhood revitalization, and making a difference.

ADDITIONAL QUALIFICATIONS
• Passionate about equity and diversity, but guided by a pragmatic approach
• Capacity to think creatively about complex community challenges
• Proven skills in setting and achieving objectives
• Effective communication skills, whether in person, on the phone, or online
• Capable user of office applications and e-mail, PowerPoint, Excel, and Word
• Good writer, able to communicate complex ideas to multiple audiences

APPLICATION PROCESS
Interested candidates may submit a resume, unofficial transcript and cover letter along with a 2-3 page writing sample to internships@tamcc.org.