INTERNSHIP SPOTLIGHT

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<u>Graduation Semester & Year</u>: Spring '25 <u>Semester & Year of Internship</u>: Spring '25

<u>Major</u>: Public Policy <u>Hometown</u>: Reading, MI

Hobbies: Being outside, painting, and being with my cat!

<u>Campus Activities</u>: Res Life, Residence Hall Association, Pitt Fight <u>Future Plans/Career Goals</u>: To continue nonprofit and advocacy work

Internship (company/your title):

Protect PT/General Intern

• How did you find your internship?

Through the Internship Coordinator, Kristen Stratton!

• What were your duties?

As a general intern, I helped around the office in different areas with different projects, including event planning and fracking/ well maps!

• How many hours per week were you at your internship site?

Around 10-12 hours

What did you enjoy most about your internship?

The connections I made with the people I worked with.

What was the most difficult aspect of the internship?

Keeping up with their fast-paced work environment and the policy changes that Protect PT was working with

• How did your experience at UPG and within the Public Policy major prepare you for your internship?

Pitt-Greensburg helped prepare me for a professional setting and helped me prepare for the workplace

How has your internship prepared you for a career?

My internship really got my foot in the door. I feel more prepared, and I am very excited to continue my nonprofit work

• What recommendations do you have for other students about doing an internship?

Be confident! No one expects you to be the perfect intern; this is a learning experience, so learn as much as you can!

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