The National Association of Television Program Executives annual NATPE Market & Conference is the only American program market serving the worldwide television community. Companies and individuals involved in buying, selling, developing, financing, advertising, marketing or licensing content; implementing technology; exploiting rights; or leveraging media assets, attend the annual Market & Conference each January.

Conference interns help with information distribution, registration, seminar seating, publications and other assignments that make the event go smoothly. The conference is not open to the public thus the student interns receive a unique, behind-the-scenes view of the television industry. Interns put in long hours but each student has an all-access pass to the conference. For 2015, the NATPE Market & Conference is scheduled for January 20th – 22nd at the Fontainebleau Miami Beach. Interns would be needed for pre-conference duties beginning the evening of Saturday, January 17th.

For more information about NATPE or the conference, visit: http://www.natpe.com/

Who is eligible?
To be eligible, you should be 21 years old and a currently enrolled student. December graduates may apply. Students younger than 21 may apply but must furnish a signed parental waiver if they are selected.

If I’m selected, what am I responsible for?
You must be able to:
• Arrange transportation to and from the Fontainebleau Miami Beach.
• Be available to work from Saturday evening, January 17th until Thursday evening, January 22nd.
• Dress appropriately; attire for the event is smart casual….Khaki or other slacks.

What does NATPE provide?
NATPE provides meals, conference registration materials, access to the conference, and onsite housing or an offsite transportation allowance for interns in the Miami area.

How do I apply?
Eligible students should send a cover letter and resume, a recent photo, and a letter of recommendation. Your letter and resume should tell us:
• Why you should be selected as a NATPE intern and what you have to contribute as an intern
• What activities you have been involved in at school
• Related activities outside of school, if any
• Any special skills you possess (production, typing, foreign language, computers, etc.)
• What type of career you hope to enter after graduation
• Conflicts that might restrict the hours you are available for intern duties
• A photograph to help NATPE staffers get to know your face prior to the conference

You may also include any other information you think will be helpful to the selection committee in making their decision. Mail your application materials to: Dr. Greg Pitts, 144 Doubletree Lane, Florence, Alabama 35634. Applications should be postmarked by November 5, 2014.

Questions? Contact Greg Pitts by phone 256-627-2677 or email: gpitts.phd@gmail.com or gpitts@natpe.org