The Archdiocese of Chicago Office of Catholic Schools Legislative Action Board is offering internships to students interested in promoting the concept of School Choice. 

Building on our Illinois School Choice Rally on September 25, when over 500 people gathered at the State of Illinois Building and more than 13,000 people participated in rallies at local schools, we would like interns to help us continue promoting the value of School Choice legislation in their local area. It appears that there will be school choice legislation in the 2015 Illinois legislative session, which is why we are reaching out now to build a more extensive legislative team.

We are contacting a select number of higher education institutions to offer students the opportunity to work with our Legislative Advisory Board and to also work with small groups near their institutions or their homes to promote and educate regarding school choice.

The work they will be doing includes:
- Education regarding School Choice and its options
- Education and familiarization with Illinois legislative strategies
- Participation in Legislative Advisory Board meetings
- Creation of outreach strategies
- Implementation of outreach in their local area
- Participation in legislative outreach strategies
- Potential lobbying activity

The Legislative Advisory Board is hosting an Internship Interest Meeting on Tuesday evening, November 11, 2014 at 6:00 p.m. at the Office of Catholic Schools, 835 N. Rush Street, Chicago, Illinois 60611. Snacks will be provided and free parking is available at the parking lot across from Holy Name Cathedral at Superior and State Streets. Entrance to the parking lot is from Superior Street, an east-bound street. The Office of Catholic schools is at the corner of Rush Street and Pearson – one block north of Chicago Avenue and two blocks east of State Street.

Please have any students who are interested in participating in this exciting opportunity respond regarding their attendance by November 10th to Sue Bordenaro at 312-534-5304 or sbordenaro@archchicago.org.