CHCI’s Award-Winning Programs Offer an Unparalleled Experience

CHCI is seeking to offer exceptional Latino college graduates from across the country unparalleled exposure to a professional experience in the public policy arenas of energy and engineering while participating in CHCI’s nationally acclaimed leadership development training program. **CHCI- API Energy Graduate Fellows** also have the opportunity to publish a policy paper and develop/execute a policy summit.

**Eligibility Criteria**
- Applicants must have completed a **Master’s Degree** or post-graduate degree prior to the program start date
- High academic achievement (3.0 GPA or higher preferred)
- Evidence of leadership skills and potential for leadership growth
- Demonstrated commitment to public service-oriented activities
- Superior analytical skills, outstanding oral and written communication skills
- Applicants must be U.S. citizens, lawful permanent residents, asylees, or individuals who are lawfully authorized to work full-time without restriction for any U.S. employer and who, at the time of application, possess lawful evidence of employment authorization.
- **NOTE:** Individuals who are seeking consideration under the “Deferred Action for Childhood Arrival” (DACA) policy must possess an Employment Authorization Document at the time of application

**Benefits**
This nine month **paid** Graduate Fellowship Program offers selected participants the following:
- $2,900 gross monthly stipend to help cover housing and local expenses
- Opportunity to work on Capitol Hill and at the office of the American Petroleum Institute
- Free roundtrip travel to Washington, DC
- Professional Development Funds
- Monthly metro stipends
- Optional health insurance
- Optional short-term housing

To learn more about the program please visit [www.chci.org](http://www.chci.org).

**Selection Process**
The selection process is competitive; CHCI receives five applications for every one available fellowship. CHCI processes applications to identify the most qualified candidates. Applications are reviewed by a selection committee composed by Alumni, Board of Directors, and CHCI staff. Only top candidates receive an invitation for an interview. A selected number of fellows are selected annually, based on the quality of their application and their interview scores.

**Online Application Instructions**

*Applications reviewed on a rolling basis*

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