



HIRING: Media Fellow

POLARIS National Security is seeking a Media Fellow to advance our work educating the public, policymakers, congressional candidates, and other stakeholders on foreign policy and defense issues. This role is designed for a conservative national security communicator who can translate geopolitical issues into compelling public-facing content.

The Media Fellow will help drive the organization's political messaging, rapid-response communications, digital content creation, and audience engagement across POLARIS platforms. The successful candidate should already possess a working knowledge of major national security issues and be capable of producing accurate, policy-informed content with minimal supervision and editing.

This position is well-suited for a former congressional staffer, administration official, campaign communicator, journalist, or graduate student with professional experience seeking to remain engaged in the political arena through the 2026 midterms. This part-time fellowship will run through November, with the possibility of extension based on organizational needs.

Candidates should bring a strong digital skillset and be comfortable operating in a fast-moving environment while responding to breaking developments in the news cycle. The ideal candidate can confidently discuss topics such as national defense, China competition, Iran policy, the Abraham Accords, and security in the Western Hemisphere. A significant portion of the fellowship will involve creating, managing, and distributing content across digital platforms while helping grow the organization's audience and expand the reach of the POLARIS brand.

POLARIS offers significant opportunities for leadership, professional growth, and engagement with senior policymakers and practitioners. Work responsibilities are largely remote but access to Washington, D.C. is beneficial. Stipend is commensurate with experience.

Eligibility

- Prior professional experience in Congress, the Executive Branch, political campaigns, journalism, public affairs, strategic communications, or a related field;
- Experience producing content for social media, digital platforms, broadcast media, or political communications;
- A demonstrated ability to articulate complex national security issues to public audiences;
- Strong understanding of current developments overseas as well as domestic U.S. politics;
- Ability to operate with minimal supervision and exercise sound political judgment;
- Excellent writing, editing, and storytelling skills;
- Willingness to respond rapidly during key news-cycle moments;
- An entrepreneurial mindset and willingness to operate in a fast-moving environment;
- Broad alignment with our values, as found on the POLARIS National Security website.

Deadline

To apply, please send your resume, a statement of interest, and the names of two professional references to info@polaris-us.org. The application deadline is Friday, July 3, though applications will be reviewed on a rolling basis. Candidates are encouraged to apply early, as interviews may begin before the deadline and POLARIS may fill the position once a suitable candidate is identified.