Street Sense Media is a nonprofit media center based in Washington, D.C. Since our flagship publication was founded in 2003, we have offered economic opportunities to people experiencing homelessness through selling our newspaper. This model is used by 110 publications worldwide, like the Street Sheet in San Francisco.

The paper and a suite of other professionally-led workshops for our vendors — theater, photograph, writing and more — elevate the voices of people experiencing homelessness and encourages debate on poverty and injustice. Our innovative approach harnesses the talents, aspirations and hard work of men and women who are homeless. At Street Sense Media, we define ourselves by our work, talents and character, not by our housing status.

We are seeking skilled journalists willing to spend time with us covering homelessness and other issues related to poverty for our twice-monthly newspaper and online, here in the nation’s capital.

Interns spend their time reporting, writing, taking photographs, and helping with print and web production in our small office located in a Civil War era church 2-blocks from the White House.

Starting and ending dates are flexible, as we work with interns from a variety of different schools and programs. We unfortunately cannot offer a salary, but our interns are eligible to receive a supplemental Rebele stipend of up to $5,000.

Applicants are welcome to send a resume, cover letter, and three work samples to Eric Falquero at ericf@streetsensemedia.org.

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