Janne Nolan Nuclear Security Visiting Fellow

Truman Center for National Policy and Truman National Security Project seek a visiting nuclear security expert to help shape the public narrative around nuclear weapons and nuclear non-proliferation. **From October 2020 - May 2021, the Janne Nolan Nuclear Security Visiting Fellow** will help shape public policy and execute foundation grant deliverables through Truman Center for National Policy.

The three main projects include:

1) Leading the vision behind a short 2-minute explainer video featuring members of the Truman National Security Project laying out the urgency of nuclear threats. This will be published and promoted by Truman’s communications team. The Visiting Fellow will work closely with Truman Center to see the video through from creation (including a script, choosing the speakers, the topics to be covered), to publication.

2) In consultation with Truman chapters and members, the Visiting Fellow will design a training for Congressional staff and state-level elected officials about key nuclear policy priorities. Topics covered may include the importance of nuclear policies (nuclear force modernization, no first use, etc.), arms control agreements (New START and the future of arms control arrangements), nonproliferation efforts (diplomacy with Iran and North Korea), and nuclear security and the threat of nuclear terrorism. The goal is to reach 6 key committees and 35 legislative offices at the federal level, and 16 offices at the state level, working with Truman members and other partners from the policy community as appropriate. The Visiting Fellow will have support from Truman HQ to identify and help with Hill engagement.

3) Arrange 2-3 panel discussions between October and May focused on nuclear issues.
Truman HQ will also support the Visiting Fellow with publishing and promoting their own written products, including op-eds.

During their tenure, the Visiting Fellow will be fully incorporated into the Truman team and afforded the opportunity to attend all HQ events; regional Member events and retreats; and numerous political and policy events with leading political and national security officials. The Fellow will be encouraged to regularly meet with Truman’s community of Security Fellows, Political Partners, and Defense Council members.

Reports to: Director of Programs

Requirements: Current Ph.D. students, or 3-5 years working on nuclear security issues (MA preferred.)

Timeline: Part-time October 2020 - May 2021

Stipend: $15,000

To Apply: Send cover letter, CV/resume and writing sample to rrizzo@trumancnp.org. Please visit www.trumancenter.org and www.trumanproject.org before applying. We are unable to accept phone calls regarding this role.

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