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CONGRESSMAN JOE SESTAK... is working for you.





Congressman Sestak talks with Summer 2007 Interns about issues affecting them.



SAVE THE DATE: AUGUST 19 CONGRESSMAN SESTAK HOSTS JOB READINESS CONFERENCE UPPER DARBY HIGH SCHOOL 6:00 PM

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QUESTIONS ABOUT PASSPORTS, VISAS OR **OTHER ISSUES?** CONTACT CONGRESSMAN SESTAK'S DISTRICT OFFICE IN MEDIA

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INTERN MOTTO

"Tell me and I forget. Teach me and I remember. Involve me and I learn."

- Benjamin Franklin

If you have a question or issue, or would like to share your opinion, please feel free to contact Congressman Sestak's Washington, D.C. Office (202-225-2011) or District Office in Media (610-892-8623).



CONGRESSMAN JOE SESTAK is working hard on the issues you care about...

COLLEGE FINANCIAL AID

- Helped pass the College Cost Reduction and Access Act to increase Pell Grants by \$1,090 and cut interest rates in half on federally subsidized loans
- Sponsored an amendment to the Higher Education Act that makes transferring credits easier to save students money
- Co-sponsored legislation that helps ensure access to student loans by increasing Stafford loan limits to \$2,000 and allowing parents to defer payments on PLUS loans

AFFORDABLE HEALTH CARE

- Voted for the CHAMP Act that allows states to provide health insurance coverage for young adults under the Children's Health Insurance Program
- Co-sponsored "Michelle's Law" to ensure health coverage for students who take medical leave of absence from school
- Voted for the Promoting Health Information Technology Act to create a nationwide health information technology system that would reduce costs as much as \$162 billion a year

VETERANS RETURNING HOME

- Helped pass the GI Bill for the 21st Century, giving full college tuition to members who served up to 3 years active duty after 9/11
- Voted for the Foreclosure Prevention Act to protect returning Veterans from foreclosure
- Co-sponsored the Homes for Heroes Act to increase grant funding for non-profits that help low-income veterans find permanent housing

SMALL BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES

- Passed legislation that reduces barriers to microloans of up to \$35,000 for very small startups, increases access to capital and provides entrepreneurial tools for small business owners
- Created and published the 7th Congressional District Federal and State Grant and Resource Directory, available online at www.sestak.house.gov/services2.shtml

ENERGY AND ENVIRONMENT

- Co-sponsored the Safe Climate Act and the Climate Matters Act, reducing greenhouse gas emissions 80% by 2050
- Supported bills promoting alternative energy sources, including wind, solar, geothermal and cellulosic ethanol
- Voted for the Green Jobs Act, promoting renewable energy jobs

VOCATIONAL CAREERS

- Held education and workforce development summits to promote artisan skill training that meets the demands of regional business, such as manufacturing
- Introduced amendment to No Child Left Behind to ensure that high school students enrolled in technical school also receive credits toward a post-secondary technical degree