Brook Ellis
“This summer I interned for the Mitt Romney Campaign at headquarters in Boston. I had an incredible experience working on the Romney Finance team. I worked with the Industry and Affinity Group Fundraising team. I learned many valuable lessons from this experience, I learned to come to work early and leave late. I learned to do what you say you will, and get it done early. I learned how to be proactive in an office environment; as a result I was soon given my own projects.”

Erin Meyers
“This past summer, I participated in the International Development Internship program in Chiang Mai, Thailand offered through BYU’s Kennedy Center. My work during this internship was primarily focused on contributing to the research agenda of Dr. Ralph Brown...His research focuses on the social and economic impacts of motorcycle use in Southesat Asia. More specifically, the research I participated in investigated how Thai people modify motorcycles (such as attaching vending carts and other contraptions) so that these motorcycles become an asset to their business and means of generating income...This experience has been very beneficial to me in helping me to achieve my academic goals.”

Taylor Jacoby
“[T]his summer a Roberts Grant enabled me to attend an educational tour of European Union and NATO institutions in Brussels, Belgium. The program was organized by the EU Center of Excellence at the University of North Carolina and is intended to teach US undergraduates and high-school teachers about the European institutions responsible for transatlantic relations. While in Brussels, I had the opportunity to tour and attend briefings at the European Parliament, Council, and Commission, the US Mission to the EU, the External Action Service, and the NATO headquarters. Access to these institutions also provided an opportunity to set up and conduct interviews with two Members of the European Parliament. These interviews, as well as the background information I gained during the organized briefings, provided very useful information for a research project on the EU’s role in state-building that I helped conduct in Bosnia the week following the Brussels trip.”