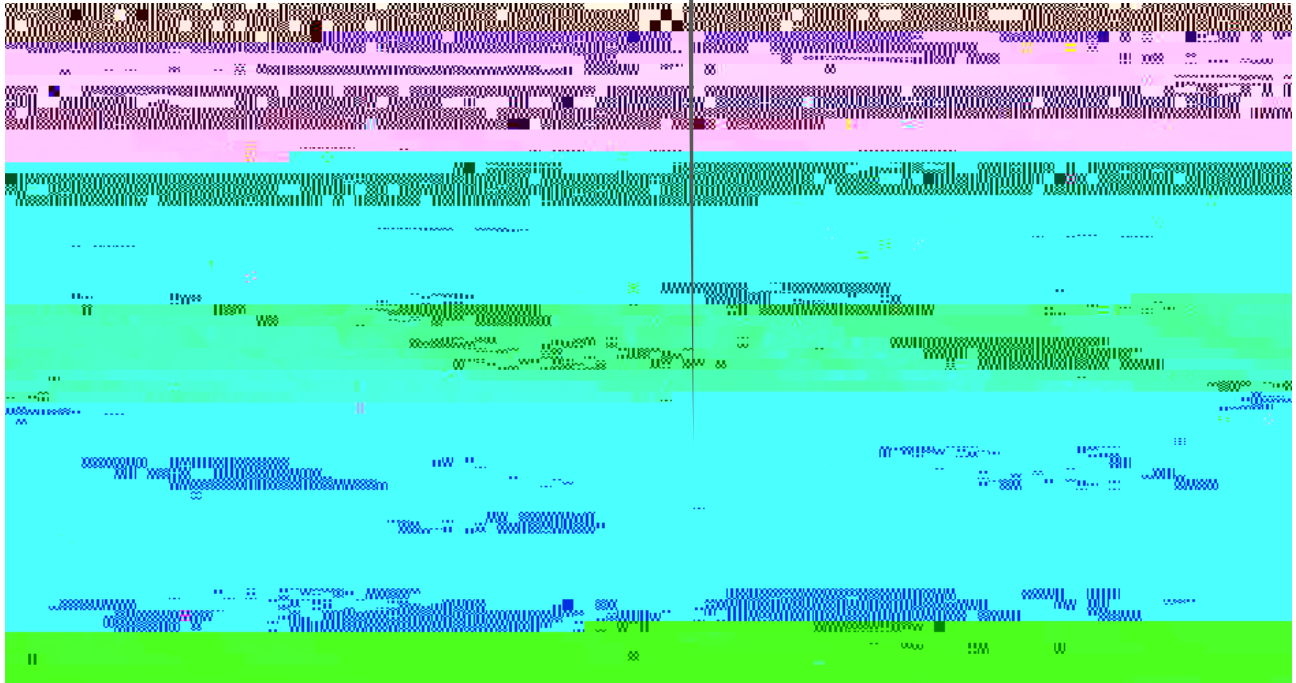


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- Ashley

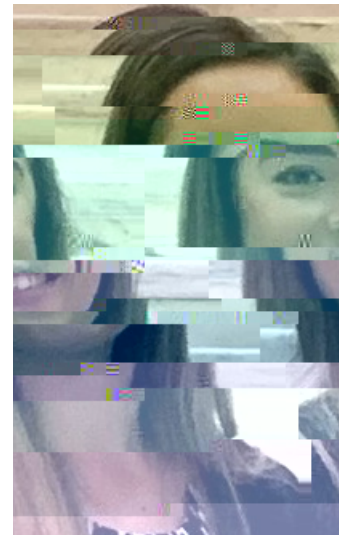
Ashely is a Junior at the UNG Gainesville campus who aspires to become a politician, focusing on healthcare and education. For now, she plans to do another internship with GLIP, then continue with a Master's degree in Public Administration.

What was your favorite part of the experience?

Probably how much I got to do. I had full access to the Chamber floor and worked with members to go line-by-line on bills. I had a lot of hands-on work, which I really liked.

Who inspired you to apply for the program?

From my professor, Dr. Sarah Young. She really encouraged us to apply and I'm so grateful she did.



Avery, a UNG Gainesville student, genuinely enjoyed his time with the Georgia Legislative Internship Program. "I was surprised by all the interactions I had. I completed an internship in Washington, D.C. and I didn't interact much with senators or legislators. I didn't get to do much there. Here, I get to work with a lot of lobbyists and representatives."

During the internship, Avery enjoyed conducting policy analysis to help legislators understand the proposed bills. While working with the House Appropriations Committee, he witnessed budget negotiations and helped legislators research upcoming bills.

Avery is still exploring career areas at this time, but the experience with GLIP has given him many connections and resources to pursue many opportunities in the future.

