HRI is seeking applications from students interested in participating in its Legal & Policy Advocacy Project. This project will involve collaboration between the Institute’s Dash/Muse Fellow and a student knowledgeable and passionate about human rights advocacy in the Spring semester of the 2014-2015 academic year. The student will be hired as an HRI RA (the position is remunerated).

Work in the Legal & Policy Advocacy Project will provide the opportunity to undertake legal research and writing and/or strategic analysis and policy writing to support HRI advocacy related to children’s rights, migrants’ rights and/or the role of human rights in international development and the global economy. In the spring semester of 2013-2014, students in the Legal & Policy Advocacy Project contributed to an HRI-Amnesty International expert declaration of law presented to the Inter-American Commission on Human Rights regarding the human rights of children sentenced to life without the possibility of parole in the United States. In the fall semester of 2014-2015, the Project contributed to an HRI collaboration with the United Nations special rapporteur on the rights of indigenous peoples.

The work will require a commitment of approximately 30-50 hours in total (with a flexible schedule to be determined). Only students able to make and keep to a firm work schedule and reliably meet deadlines should apply. Early applications are encouraged. Interested applicants should feel free to contact the Dash/Muse Fellow with questions in advance of the deadline.

**Interested students should submit a statement of interest (shorter than 1 full page) along with a résumé and references to Ian Kysel, Dash/Muse Fellow at imk6@law.georgetown.edu by no later than 1:00 PM on Friday, December 5.**