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with Jennie Thomas and Francesca McCaffrey '14. Afterwards, the Scholars split into several groups, integrated by class, so that older Scholars could give advice to their younger peers, especially the freshmen. After a shared dinner, a

night of laughter followed, as the retreat

Ever to Excel: Class of 2018 Summer Internship Experiences

By Harry Shanmugam CSOM '21

A Summer Abroad

By Rachel Duquette MCAS '21

As a part of the Program, Presidential Scholars spend the summer after their sophomore year abroad, but the choice of where to go, and what to do in addition to language acquisition, is up to them.

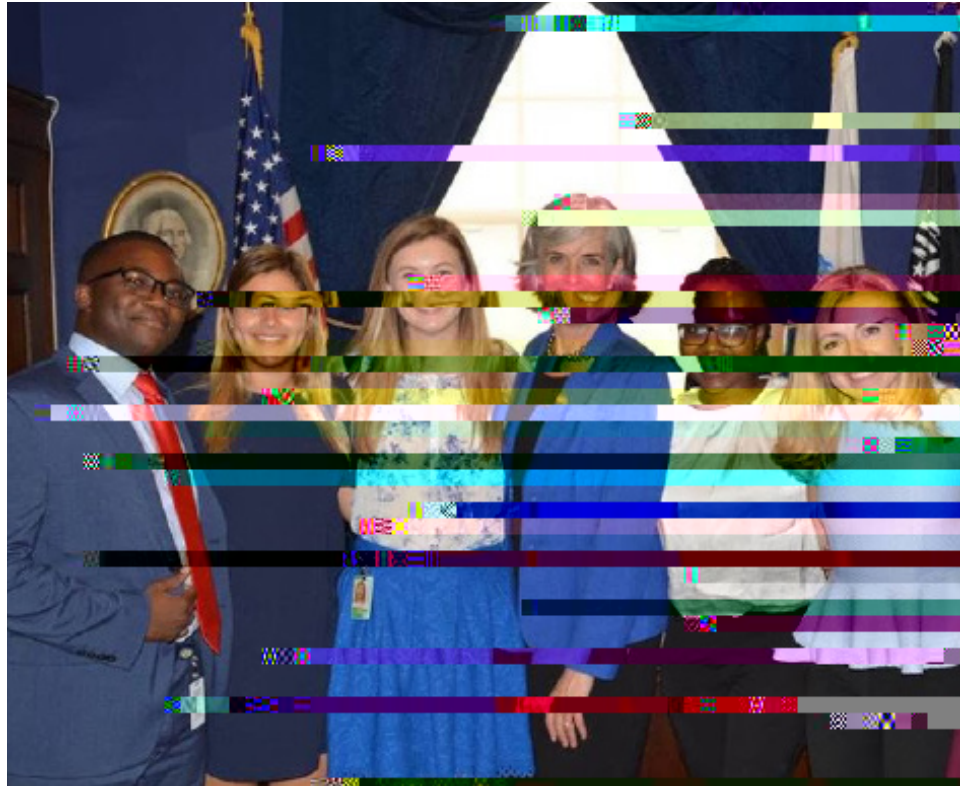
For Katie Gold, the experience of living in Paris, France for nine weeks was an exercise in independence. "It forced me to do stuff alone," she said. With nine years of French under her belt, Gold lived and worked almost completely in French. While in Paris, Gold interned with a late stage start-up called Reputation Squad that helps clients create and manage an online presence. A Marketing and Business Ana-



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**Class of 2020 Finds Service, Learning, and
Camaraderie During their Summer Experience**



Welcome GPSP Class of 2021!



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