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ELIZABETH PAIGE FIERMAN NAMED LEAGUE INTERN FOR 2008-2009 SEASON

BOSTON - Hockey East Commissioner Joe Bertagna has announced that Elizabeth Paige Fierman, Boston University '08, has been hired as Hockey East's intern for the upcoming 2008-09 season.

Fierman will assist in day-to-day operations in both the men's and women's league, which includes marketing and media relations efforts. She will also be very involved in preparations for both upcoming league tournaments in March of 2009, which includes Hockey East's 25th anniversary season.

"Elizabeth brings a wealth of experience and many skills to the position. She will be a great asset during our 25th anniversary season," said Commissioner Joe Bertagna.

Fierman, a native of Glastonbury, Conn., graduated Cum Laude from Boston University's College of Communication in 2008. She received her Bachelor of Science in Journalism with a minor in American Studies in May. Fierman spent three years as an athletic communications intern for Boston University athletics. During her time at BU, she spent her time writing for game programs, media guides and press releases, organizing community relations projects and assisting with game day operations for many Terrier teams. While at BU she spent her senior year as a team manager for the nationally ranked men's ice hockey team, assisting with statistics, practices and travel coordination.

Outside of the realm of sports, Fierman served as the President of the College of Communication Student Assembly and as a Peer Advisor. She also spent time on the Programming Council and as Hospitality Coordinator of BU Central, the campus concert and comedy venue. She was inducted into the university's Scarlet Key Society as well as awarded the College of Communication's Blue Chip Award.

Fierman has also worked as a post-season media relations runner for the Boston Red Sox during the 2007 playoffs. She also served as a production assistant for Denis Leary's "Comics Come Home" to benefit the Cam Neely Center for Cancer Care from 2006 to 2008.

The Hockey East Association is a 10-team Division-I college men's hockey conference and an eight-team Division I women's league which began play in 2002-03.

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