INTERNSHIPS FOR ACADEMIC CREDIT

Why should I do an internship for credit?

- Credit for internships might fulfill a course credit requirement for your degree
- Many internship employers require that student interns are enrolled for academic credit
- Internship credit is recorded on your transcript. Prospective employers will see this when they request your transcript. This may also be helpful if you apply to graduate school
- An internship faculty advisor is available to you for guidance and consultation

What are the academic options?

- Only the academic area or college can award credit for internships. It is best to begin with your faculty advisor to learn about whether your program (major) offers internship credit and what are the eligibility requirements to register for credit. Some program areas will assist with your search for an appropriate work site and some will refer you to Career Services for assistance.

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