Internship News

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Internship Resource of the Week: How to Receive Academic Credit for An Internship



Found an internship you would love to take but it doesn't pay? Ask if you can get credit for it instead! Many internships are available for up to three credits—the equivalent of a semester long course! How to go about getting credit depends on your school.

Both Arts & Sciences and the School of Management offer one-credit internship course. To apply for credit, students need to first contact their department and

then the appropriate Associate Dean's Office. Certain departments within A&S and CSOM also offer three-credit internship seminars. These seminars generally include a regular meeting with an instructor or faculty advisor to discuss different aspects of your work experience in the context of a set of analytical readings. How to set up these seminars vary by department. Contact your academic advisor for more information.

A third option is to incorporate your internship into your academic program through the development of a Readings and Research course. Readings and Research courses must be approved by a faculty member and the academic department.

For more information of receiving credit for internships, visit our website.

Special Points of Interest

- The deadline for the Non-Profit Summer Grant is Friday, March 30th!
- For more information and a lot of great resources, visit our website at www.bc.edu/offices/ careers

Non-Profit Grant Deadline THIS WEEK!

With the BC Nonprofit Summer Internship Grant, you get to follow your passion AND get paid! Four stipends of \$3,900 will be available to juniors who plan to do an unpaid summer internship in a not-for-profit field dealing with social and human services. Please note this is only for students who have completed their junior year at BC.

There are just two simple steps. First, apply for an internship. For help finding an internship, check out our <u>resources page</u> or stop by the Internship Office during drop-in hours (Monday-Friday, 1-4pm). Next, simply download, fill out, and submit an internship stipend proposal, including a copy of your resume. Applications are available <u>online</u> and are due **Friday, March 30th** by **4:30pm**.

For more information, visit the Not-For-Profit Summer Internship Grant webpage.

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Help Yourself and Others! Become a Peer Advisor Intern

Perfect your interviewing skills. Learn to write professional resumes. Build your leadership abilities. Help fellow students! These are the simple goals of the peer advisor program at the Boston College Career Center.



Peer Advisors provide assistance to undergraduate students; lead resume/cover letter writing workshops and

interview workshops; critique resumes and cover letters; conduct practice interviews; and orient other students to the services of the Career Center. The internship is three hours of time in the Career Center weekly and a one hour weekly staff meeting. Through this experience you are able to help others and gain knowledge for your own internship and job searches.

To apply to become a peer advisor, download the Peer Advisor Application, available online. Applications are due April 10, 2007. Please direct any questions to Jessica Hartley, Assistant Director, Career Center at 617-552-1905 or <a href="mailto:storing:

Considering Law School? Get help for the LSAT!

One of the most common concerns about students considering law school is how they will handle the LSAT entrance exam. Even more scary than the overall exam is the logic section. Come learn how to master this section at an event co-sponsored by the Career Center and the BC Office of Continuing Education. On **Thursday, March 29th** in **Fulton 230** from **5:30-7:00pm**, a special session will be held introducing the logic games part of the LSAT. The



program is open to anyone interested in getting a head start on preparing and will help get make you familiar with the patterns and strategies of the logic section.

Out of clutter find simplicity; from discord find harmony; in the middle of difficulty lies opportunity."

"Three Rules of Work:

-Albert Einstein

Sports Management and Entertainment Career Fair

The Three Time Super Bowl Champion New England Patriots and New England Revolution would like to invite you to participate in their 2nd Annual Sport Management and Entertainment Career Fair. The Fair will be held at Gillette Stadium on Sunday, May 6th from 2-5pm with admission to the Revolution v. Chicago Fire match following the event.

This is a great opportunity to meet and speak with professionals from different companies representing professional sports teams, college athletic departments, sports apparel companies, media companies, public relations/advertising agencies, and many more! They will be available to answer your questions about full/part time jobs, volunteer work, as well as internships within the New England Area.

The registration cost for the event is \$25 if you sign up before April 29th (\$35 the day of the event) and includes a ticket to the Career Fair, complimentary parking and a ticket to the Revolution v. Chicago Fire match following the Career Fair. To sign up, log on to gillettestadium.com and check out the Event Calendar.

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National Jesuit Collegiate E-Fair

The National Jesuit Collegiate e-Fair offers access to internships and full-time jobs across the country. The e-Fair has been extended through April 14th! Twenty-two Jesuit colleges and universities have joined together to offer this unique event.



The event is open to all students and alumni of the participating Jesuit institutions. In order to participate, visit the BC Career Center homepage. There, follow the link to the e-Fair and fill out your profile. Upload your resume and apply for any opportunities of interest to you.

This is a tremendous opportunity to put your unique Jesuit education to work for yourself. If you have any questions, visit the Career Center during drop-in hours and a career counselor will be able to help.

Learn More Without Leaving Campus: Upcoming Employer Information Sessions

Employer Information Sessions are run most Wednesday nights in the Internship Office of the Career Center. Sessions are informal and generally last no more than twenty minutes to a half hour. Bring your resume, bring questions, and bring friends! Upcoming sessions include:

Boston Globe

The Boston Globe offers a variety of positions in its offices, including journalism and editorial assistant internships. Interested in learning more about the world of journalism from the a different perspective? Representatives will also discuss marketing, public relations, design and finance opportunities. There is a co-op program that might also be interesting to many of you!



Wednesday, March 28th, 6:00-7:00pm in the Internship Office (basement of Career Center)

The May Institute

For more than 50 years, the caring professionals of the May Institute have set a national standard for providing comprehensive, research-validated services to children and adults with autism, brain injury, mental retardation, pervasive developmental disorder (PDD), and behavioral healthcare needs. May's award-winning



network of educational, behavioral, and rehabilitative programs blends science with service to help make progress possible for thousands of individuals every year.

Wednesday, April 18th, 6:00-7:00pm in the Internship Office (basement of Career Center)

Still Don't Have an Internship for the Summer? Come By for a Drop-In!

Haven't been able to find an internship that's right for you? Still confused about where to look or start the search? Don't have time to come to the Career Center for an advising appointment? Drop-in question hours are the perfect solution for busy students!

Drop-in question hours are available Monday to Friday from 1:00-4:00pm <u>and</u> Tuesday and Wednesday from 5:00-7:00pm. Drop-in appointments are available on a first-come, first-served basis. You may sign up at the Career Center beginning 15 minutes prior to the start of that day/evening drop-in appointment times.

Drop-in appointments last 15-20 minutes and are appropriate for resume or cover letter critiques and/or focused questions about internships/jobs, including how to search for one! Stop by and see us!

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Great Opportunities You May Not Found Elsewhere

These listings are not available through Eagle Link. They have been sent to the Career Center directly from employers and are provided here for your consideration. Contact information is included for each.

Nantucket Historical Association

The Nantucket Historical Association is seeking Museum Education Interns to facilitate its wide array of summer programming, both in the museum's Discovery Room and at its historic sites. The Education Interns will work in a team-based, collaborative environment, reporting to the Education and Public Programming Coordinator. The Education Internship is a full-time, paid, eight-week position, with housing provided. Hurry, the deadline is March 30th! Find out more and apply online.

GOP Presidential Campaign

Internships are available to incoming college juniors and seniors, recent graduates, or graduate students for summer 2007 on a GOP presidential campaign. Positions are unpaid, but academic credit may be arranged. Full-time and part-time applicants will be considered; however, preference is given to those who can make a full-time commitment. Applicants must have a strong work ethic and be detail oriented. Political experience is a plus. All interested applicants should send resume, references, and completed application to gop2008campaign@gmail.com.

"A positive attitude may not solve every problem but it makes solving any problem a more pleasant experience."

-Grant Fairley

Eagle Link Listings in the Spotlight

Each of the following internships is posted in our <u>EagleLink</u> database. For more information on any of the opportunities described below, log onto <u>EagleLink</u> and search by Employer Name. Not sure how to search the database? Stop by during Drop-In Hours and a career counselor will be happy to help!

Boston Phoenix

Boston Phoenix, STUFF@Night, and People2People Group internships are offered at the Boston offices; FNX Radio Network internships are offered at the Lynn, Portland and Providence sites; and opportunities in editorial, graphic design, research, finance and sales are offered at the Providence Phoenix and Portland Phoenix offices in those cities.

Macy's

Macy's Merchandising Group offers a 9 week paid product development summer internship at our offices in New York City. This internship provides knowledge of the production cycle through in-class experiences and hands-on learning with a product team.

Chesapeake Bay Foundation

The York Chapter is sponsoring the oyster restoration internship to provide educational "hands-on" experience for an individual interested in oyster biology and/or aquaculture. The intern will assist CBF Oyster Farm employees with several potential projects primarily field operations at CBF's oyster aquaculture facility in Gloucester, Virginia.

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For more information on upcoming workshops and events, visit the Career Center events page.

How Can We Help? Internship Office Information

The staff of the Internship Office is available to help you with all your internship and career-related needs. The Internship Office is located in the basement of the Career Center at 38 Commonwealth Ave across from White Mountain Creamery. Stop by for questions and resume/cover letter critiques during our drop-in hours, Monday-Friday from 1pm-4pm. To set up an appointment outside of those hours, contact us at 617-552-4771 or via e-mail at internships@bc.edu. You can also find more information on the Career Center Website.



Looking for Past Issues? Visit Our Archives!

For more helpful tips on finding internships and a sense of what news has gone out in the past, check out the Internships News Archives. Located on the web, these past issues offer more valuable insight on making the most of your internship experience. Enjoy!