Internship for Credit in the Information Systems Program

Policy Statement

Internships are supervised work experiences either on or off campus and are related to your academic interests and career goals. As an Information Systems major you may apply a cumulative maximum of 3 units of academic credit for internship experience toward your undergraduate degree. To earn academic credit, you must arrange an Information Systems faculty sponsor who agrees to define the academic component of your work, monitor your progress, and assign a final grade. You also need to have a work site supervisor willing to communicate with the faculty sponsor and provide an evaluation of your work before a final grade is assigned. Information Systems internships will be graded on a pass/fail basis only.

The course number for an IS internship is 67-505. The course section is determined by the faculty member who works with you. You may apply for 1 unit, 2 units or 3 units of credit for an IS internship. No more than 3 units of internship credit may be applied toward your Information Systems degree per year as an undergraduate student.

Permission for receiving credit is given after the attached contract form is completed and submitted to an IS advisor, Brandy Wilson or Gary DiLisio (Hamburg Hall 3031). An IS advisor will add the internship to your schedule of classes.

You must satisfy the following requirements to be eligible for internship credit:

- The internship must be related to information systems.
- Application (including project proposal and site supervisor's signature) must be complete prior to the first day of classes for the semester in which you will have the internship.
- You must be enrolled in the IS internship course while you are doing the internship work. Retroactive credit for internships will not be granted.
- You must maintain regular contact with your faculty sponsor as agreed to at the beginning of the internship.
- In addition to any required written assignments, upon completion (but before grades are due) you must submit a reflective evaluation of your internship experience to the faculty sponsor.
- Additionally, students are responsible to see that site supervisors submit a brief written evaluation of the student's internship to the faculty sponsor before the grade is entered.

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Internship Credit Request
Information Systems Program

Date: _______________ Semester: _______________

Student's Last Name: __________________________ First Name: __________________________
Andrew ID: __________________________
Course Number: 67-505 Information Systems Internship
Course Section: ____________
Number of Units: ____________ (3, 6, 9, or 12)
Class: Freshman Sophomore Junior Senior

Faculty Sponsor: ________________________________________________________________
Company / Organization: ________________________________________________________
Address: _______________________________________________________________________
Internship Supervisor (name and title): ____________________________________________
Internship Supervisor Phone/Email: _______________________________________________

Academic component of internship (proposal of project, assignment(s), and deadlines: ______
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Student Signature: __________________________ Date: ______________

Site Supervisor Signature: __________________________ Date: ______________

Faculty Sponsor Signature: __________________________ Date: ______________

Application Deadline: End of first week of classes of the semester of the independent study.
Return to:
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Approved
Not Approved

IS Academic Advisor Signature / Date

S3 Updated: ______________ Date: ______________

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