Purdue Summer Internships

Sydney and London

Why intern abroad?



Highlight your resume



Guaranteed internship within your major



Fulfill a major requirement



Learn about a new culture not just by studying, but within the workforce



Make new friends and professional contacts







LONDON







Eligibility to intern

You must have a declared major in one of the below areas or be in the ENTR certificate program:

AD, AGEC, ANTH, ASEC (AgCom only), BIOL, CGT, CHM, COM, CS, CSR, ENGL, ENTR, HDFS, HIST, HK, HTM, KRANNERT (all majors), MET, NUTR, POL, PSY, SOC, STAT, THTR, TLI (OLS & HRD)

Eligibility to intern

- 2.5 GPA
- Junior or senior class standing (by the time the program starts)
- Have met pre-requisites for the internship course of your major
- Strong English language skills (international students)

Additional requirements

- Independence and Self-Reliance
- A high level of maturity
- Advanced communication skills
- Ability to adapt to challenging or frustrating experiences

The internship

- 3 credits, UNPAID
- Guaranteed placement within your major or within ENTR
- 140 hours worked at internship site
- Internship journal, internship analysis paper and weekly focus session
- GREAT resume builder

Placement Process

- Each student is guaranteed an internship related to their major (or to ENTR if completing for ENTR certificate).
- You will not get to choose the company or organization you intern for and cannot request a specific placement.
- Students receive an individualized placement based on:
 - Major
 - O Previous experience
 - Resume & Cover Letter
 - Internship Questionnaire
 - Placement Area Requests

Potential Employers

- Marriott Hotels
- Kings College Hospital
- H&R Block
- Nickelodeon
- AIG Investments
- Weller Media Agency
- Amnesty International
- Australia Baseball League
- Westminister Archives
- Bank of Ireland
- ESPN

This is just a tiny sampling of places you could be and doesn't guarantee placements are available in these locations for 2023. Many placements are in companies or organizations you may not be familiar with – and placements vary from start-ups to large international corporations.

The course

You will take one 3-credit course in addition to your internship (also 3 credits) for a total of 6 credits. Pick one from the courses offered:

SYDNEY:

- COM 30300 Intercultural Communication with Josh Boyd
- IDIS 49000

 Exploring & Analyzing the Global City, Sydney with local professor

LONDON:

- COM 30300 Intercultural Communication with Caitlin Natt
- COM 32000 Small Group Communication with Jane Natt

Housing

- OHousing is included in the program cost and will be arranged for you by Purdue.
- Shared apartments with other Purdue students.
- There will be some commute to class and work, which is part of daily life in a big city.

Costs

- See our website for cost information. Please note costs vary by location and are listed for last year, this is subject to change.
- Please note full costs for Summer 2023 are expected soon – our website may still list costs for a previous term and some changes may occur. Please use listed costs as a guideline, but due to rising housing and transportation costs, expect some cost increase from 2021/2022.

Costs

INCLUDED

- Tuition (6 credits)
- O Housing
- Internship Placement & Support
- Public Transportation Pass
- Orientation
- Insurance
- 24/7 Student Support
- Guided City Tour
- O Day Trip

NOT INCLUDED

- O Flight
- Visa
- Meals
- Personal Expenses
- Weekend Travel or activities

Scholarships and financial aid

- O You may be eligible for the Purdue Moves Scholarship, the application for this will become available to you after you apply to the program. Please note you must APPLY for the scholarship in order to receive it!
- This scholarship is only open to US citizens.

Note: Students who have previously received a Purdue Moves Scholarship for a short-term or summer program are not eligible to receive this again.

Scholarships and financial aid

- O You can also fill out the Summer Financial Aid Application, available on MyPurdue in January.
- Other scholarships may be available, and more information can be found on our website!

How to apply

O Deadline: February 1st, 2023

- Apply online at Purdue's Study Abroad Website
- Transcript
- Statement of Purpose
- Passport (or proof of applying for one)
- Two letters of recommendation:
 - One academic reference (online form)
 - One work-related reference on company letterhead and signed

Note: If you are NOT a U.S. citizen and are from a non-English-speaking country you will be required to complete a virtual interview with CAPA staff and show English language scores no older than 3.5 years.

Questions?

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