The Experience Network

The Center for Experiential Learning is pleased to introduce The Experience Network. This is a new program and database that will contain student paperwork for internships and co-ops. It will house internship and co-op opportunities and process all learning agreements for internship and co-op students. The Experience Network, is also accessible from the right margin of our departmental website. **All students have an account in The Experience Network (Your username is your Oswego email address) and can begin using the new system immediately by selecting Forgot your password? You will then be emailed your password and you can log in immediately and set up your Profile.**

The Experience Network has a Resource Library for students that includes program information and prerequisites, the Experiential Learning Application Packet and tips on searching for an internship and co-op. Students who participate in internships and co-ops will now use The Experience Network to complete the new online learning agreement that is required for these programs. The Experience Network will give SUNY Oswego students access to over 1200 internships and co-ops! We are sure you will find the user-friendly interface of The Experience Network simple to use! We encourage you to log in to your account as soon as possible to become familiar with the program and complete your Profile. While in your account, visit the Resource Library to find out how you can add an internship or co-op to your resume! *(Laker Leads is still the active database for full and part-time JOBS and is maintained through Career Services)*.

The Center for Experiential Learning will provide Experience Network demonstrations at our scheduled Information Sessions and in-person support to students who would like assistance. Please come to an Information Session or stop by our office in 145 Marano Campus Center for assistance.

InternShop Recently Launched:

SUNY just announced the launch of InternShop, a cutting-edge database that matches employers with prospective student interns who meet their expressed criteria. The database will be used exclusively by SUNY students and TBC member companies through the Spring 2016 semester and then expanded to TBC member colleges and universities state-wide. It includes a mobile site and is available for immediate use at www.suny.edu/internshop.

Upcoming Workshops:

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(Workshops held in 145 Marano Campus Center)
Consider Educational Housing Services!

All EHS Residences Feature:
Furnished Rooms with Private Bathrooms. Free: WIFI, Cable TV, and Air Conditioning, 24-Hour Security, Complimentary Sightseeing Events and more!

Have an unforgettable summer living with interns from around the world. Call EHS for more information at (888) 255-0296 or visit http://studenthousing.org/

Disney College Program now accepting applications!

Go the distance this year, and experience the internship opportunity of a lifetime as a Disney College Program participant at the Walt Disney World Resort or Disneyland Resort. Disney is now accepting applications for the following 2016 program sessions:

Walt Disney World Resort (near Orlando, FL)
2016 Fall – approximately August - early January
2016 Fall Advantage – approximately mid/late May - early January

We do not have a summer-only program session available for first-time participants.

Disneyland Resort (in Anaheim, CA)
2016 Fall - approximately August - early January
August - January participants must reside in Disney company-sponsored housing
2016 Fall - approximately May - early January
May - January participants must be able to provide their own housing.

How to apply:
Visit www.disneycollegeprogram.com to learn more about this unique program.
Click “Apply Now” and follow the instructions to submit an application.

Disney Professional Program also accepting applications:

Now accepting Disney Professional Internship applications for Summer and Fall 2016. Be part of a global company that impacts people every day – our recruiting season for Disney Professional Internships is now underway! Segments across The Walt Disney Company are seeking top talent, including:

Disney | ABC Television Group
Disney Interactive
Walt Disney Parks and Resorts
Disney Consumer Products
ESPN
The Walt Disney Company (Corporate)
The Walt Disney Studios

Each of the unique areas of our global company offer participants an opportunity to add practical, real-world entertainment company experience. Participants will advance their knowledge beyond the classroom and put learned theories into practice in their field of study, offering the chance to sharpen skill sets as well as seek out new learning opportunities while networking with leaders in the industry. Internships are offered in a wide range of areas, including but not limited to:

Animal Programs
Broadcast/Production/Journalism
Costuming/Entertainment
Culinary Management
Engineering
Finance/Accounting
Human Resources
Graphic Design/Creative
Operations Management
Technology

Develop your skills and experience with a Fortune 100 company; apply today! For more information, visit www.disneyinterns.com.
Co-op leads to Employment with SRC:

James Dejong, Software Engineering student, has accepted a position with Syracuse Research Corporation (SRC) upon completion of his Co-op. SRC is an independent research and development corporation applying science, technology and information to solve grand challenge problems in the areas of defense, environment and intelligence. James, a resident of Syracuse, NY, graduated December 2015. “Co-ops allow for a quicker transition from schooling to work,” says James. “The Co-op at SRC allowed me to grow my skills and create a great professional network as well as attain for me a full-time job after graduation.”

Technology Management Student with a Co-op at PAC Associates- Local Oswego Company

Miranda Moore, Technology Management- Facilities student, participated in a 6 month Co-op, July 2015-December 2015, with PAC Associates of Oswego. PAC Associates is a Central and Northern NY third generation, general construction company providing expertise in all forms of building construction and renovation.

“Participation in a Co-op at PAC and Associates gave me a greater look into the business and working world. I experienced an office dynamic and was given responsibilities that I had never taken on before. I worked alongside colleagues on various projects that gave me insight to different details that go into the commercial general contracting business. Overall, I am very grateful for my opportunity at PAC and Associates and value the connections I made with the employees,” states Moore.

Co-op Scholars, Electrical & Computer Engineering and Physics Students visit Novelis- The World Leader in Rolled Aluminum Products

On November 19th, 2015, Co-op Scholars, Electrical Computer Engineering and Physic Students, visited Novelis for a career exploration informational session and tour. The day, led by Antonio Chagas, Global Technology Automation Leader, Steve Schrecengost, Plant Automation Lead, and Eva Drake, HR Recruiter, included an informational session about the plant, Co-op, internship and career opportunities for students as well as an industry tour of the plant facilities. Novelis’s Engineering Development Program (EDP) offers university students many exciting career opportunities upon graduation enhancing technical, leadership and professional skills through assignments and training around the globe.

SUNY Oswego Advisory Board Luncheon

Co-op Scholars Meet with Employers at SUNY Oswego’s Advisory Board Luncheon During Oswego’s Alumni Homecoming Event

On November 13th, Co-op Scholar students participated in SUNY Oswego’s Advisory Board luncheon during Alumni Homecoming weekend. At the luncheon, students were able to meet with various company employers from Oswego’s common council, school advisory and alumni boards to get an industry perspective about the “real world” of work as well as engage in conversations about Co-op and job opportunities.
For Spring 2016: New Partnerships in the Community:

Co-ops:
- Port Authority
- Syracuse Academy of Science Charter School
- YEP- Youth Exchange Program

RISE Summary: 2015-16 Highlight of Student Presentations

Susanne Sumell, October, 2015
 Assistive Technology Conference, Tupper Lake
 Poster Session:
 “He’s Really Writing!”: Using Assistive Technology and Powerful Teaching to Reach Common Core Standards in Writing for Students with Disabilities Dr. Amanda Fenlon & Graduate Students in Special Education from SUNY Oswego: Ms. Jennifer Hand, Ms. Emily Monette, Ms. Catie Furletti, Ms. Brianna Streeter, Ms. Susanne Sumell

Matthew Doyle- January , 2016
227th American Astronomical Society Annual Meeting,
Kissimmee, FL
Poster Session:
Title: Evaluation of Data Visualization Software for Large Astronomical Data Sets
Authors: Matthew C. Doyle, Roger S. Taylor, Shashi Kanbur, Damian Schofield SUNY Oswego S. G. Djorgovski, Ciro Donalek California Institute of Technology Scott Davidoff Jet Propulsion Laboratory

“Our research was primarily concerned with the evaluation of a 3D data visualization application used by astronomers to classify variable stars. The data used in this study was derived during the Kepler mission, which takes a snapshot of a small segment of the sky to gain a better understanding of the types of celestial bodies present in that sample,” said Doyle.

Kalli Morris- December, 2016
American Anthropological Association’s annual meeting(AAA). Denver, CO
Poster Session:
“Making for a Healthy Home: Intersections of Health and Social Housing in Canada’s Sub-Arctic”

MLK Day with Mentor-Scholars

The Mentor-Scholar Program, for the second year, participated in a service project to honor the Martin Luther King, Jr. holiday with two days of service at the Oswego Middle School.

The project, was designed to answer the MLK call to action “what are you doing for others?” and included Mentor-Scholar students and staff creating fleece blankets to donate to the local youth homeless shelter.