An academic internship is work experience for which you receive academic credit. Students must:

- Seek and secure an internship prior to the commencement of the semester that is relevant to your major
- Enroll in an internship course
- Complete course requirements as prescribed in the course catalog

**Prerequisites**

- Successful completion of 90 units, including all BIOL core requirements
- Instructor Approval Required

**Faculty Internship Coordinator**

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**Unit/Hours Requirement**

- 3 (90 hours of internship total)
- Max 6 units of internship can count toward graduation (at department advisor discretion)

**International Students**

All international students are required to obtain a CPT I-20 before beginning an off-campus internship. Contact the International Students & Scholars Office (ISS) office for full information before beginning your internship search to understand the process and timelines.

**Need Assistance?**

Visit Us: Langsdorf Hall 206  
Hours: Monday-Friday 8am-5pm  
Call Us: (657) 278-3746  
Email Us: cice@fullerton.edu

### INTERNSHIP STEPS

Note: Timelines are suggested though final step must be completed prior to beginning your internship hours.

#### Step 1: Prepare your application (4 months before)

The CSUF Career Center in LH208 can help you develop a résumé and cover letter and prepare for interviews. Visit [www.fullerton.edu/career](http://www.fullerton.edu/career).

#### Step 2: Apply (3 Months before)

**Option A: Find an internship in Titan Connection**

- Visit [www.fullerton.edu/career](http://www.fullerton.edu/career)
- Click on Students > Jobs & Internships
- Click on View Jobs & Internships on Titan Connection
- Login using your campus portal
  - Fill out survey if first time logging in
- In the left menu, click the Jobs and then click Search Jobs & Internships
- Click Position Type and select Intern (academic/for college-credit)
- Enter relevant Keywords and click Search
- Click on positions to review and apply

**Option B: Find your own**

If you secured an internship outside of Titan Connection:

- Go to: [fullerton.edu/cice/newsite](http://fullerton.edu/cice/newsite)
- Complete the online request form

An email with instructions will be sent to your site supervisor. It is the student’s duty to ensure their site is approved in a timely manner. Please allow up to 3 weeks to finalize your site registration.

**Internships outside U.S.:** Students must begin by contacting the Study Abroad office at minimum 4 months prior to departure AND request academic credit. Do not continue this process until advised by Study Abroad.

#### Step 3: Enroll (1 – 2 months before)

Enroll in your internship class. Consult your department for enrollment instructions.

#### Step 4: Complete CICE Registration (1 – 4 weeks before)

Follow the instructions by using this link: [www.fullerton.edu/cice/placement_instructions](http://www.fullerton.edu/cice/placement_instructions)

A video guide demonstrating the process above can be found at [fullerton.edu/cice/students](http://fullerton.edu/cice/students)