

IRELAND

A GVSU INTERNSHIP PROGRAM



Ireland: EUSA Internship Open to: All majors

TELL ME ABOUT THIS PROGRAM

Dublin is the capital city and modern center of education, arts, administration, economy and industry in Ireland. With half its population under 30, it is young, outward looking, and vibrant, while its smaller size creates great advantages for newcomers. A recent economic boom has attracted global pharmaceutical and information technology companies that now have European headquarters or operational bases in the city. Placements are available for undergraduates in almost any major who would like to gain valuable work experience.

You will participate in the intern program working full time, six hours, four days a week, for eight weeks. Work placements are in professional offices in an industry related to your academic major and career goals. Because the program is designed to be academic in nature, the internships are unpaid.

To ensure your adjustment to the city and the program, the program begins with a one week long orientation prior to the commencement of the internship.

WHEN CAN I GO?

May 28 - July 28, 2018
(9 weeks total,
8 weeks of internship)

WHERE WILL I LIVE?

Students will live in shared apartments.

WHO IS ELIGIBLE TO PARTICIPATE?

This program is open to all full-time, degree seeking students with at least 30 completed credits. 2.5 GPA (undergraduates) or 3.0 GPA (graduates) required.

For health science placements, students are required to have a minimum 3.0 GPA and have taken at least one course related to the discipline.

HOW DO I APPLY?

To apply for this program, log on to www.gvsu.edu/studyabroad to begin your online application.

APPLICATION DEADLINE: February 1, 2018

WHAT CREDITS WILL I RECEIVE?

XX 490 Internship (3—6 credits)

Students arrange to pursue the coursework related to their internship under the supervision of a Grand

Valley faculty member in their chosen field. Credits are variable depending on the coursework undertaken and the policies of the department. Students are graded on a credit/no credit basis. A course designation is determined according to the disciplinary focus of the internship (e.g., ACC 490 Accounting Internship, etc.). Students seeking a practicum meeting professional licensing requirements should consult their advisor before applying to determine whether this program fulfills licensing requirements. This program is not designed to fulfill student teaching requirements for teacher certification. For more information on student teaching overseas, explore the Consortium for Overseas Student Teaching. Contact Sherie Williams at willshe@gvsu.edu for details.

HOW MUCH DOES THE PROGRAM COST?

The approximate fee for this program is Program Fee: \$5,900.

Includes

- Placement in a professional practice internship
- Telephone placement meeting
- Pre-departure orientation
- On-site orientation in Dublin
- Nine weeks of housing in student residences
- Cultural exploration activities program
- Airport pick-up for group designated flight
- Third-party liability insurance for each student

Other Expenses

- GVSU tuition - 6 credits (\$3,150)
- Additional meals (\$2,700)
- Airfare (estimated \$1,000)
- Personal Expenses (\$200)
- Passport/Photos (\$140)
- ISIC card - optional (\$28)

Total Estimated Cost: TOTAL PROJECTED COST (Program Fee + Other Expenses) = \$13,118

FINANCIAL AID

All Students considering study abroad should have their financial aid reevaluated regardless of whether they are currently receiving federal aid. **Early application for financial aid is strongly recommended.**

GRANTS

EUSA Live, Intern, Learn Abroad Scholarship

Amount: Up to \$2,000

APPLY NOW: <http://www.eusainternships.org/live-learn-intern-abroad-scholarship-application.html>

PIC INTERNSHIP GRANT: PIC offers a grant specifically for internship programs. These grants, which award up to \$1,000, are based on financial need and academic excellence. Grant funding is limited. Due to limited funding, not all eligible students will receive a grant. An application is required. Students accepted to a GVSU internship program should contact Elena Selezneva at seleznee@gvsu.edu for a PIC Internship Grant application.

PIC GRANT: These grants, which are approximately \$1,500, are based on financial need only; academic and other criteria are not taken into consideration. All degree-seeking students accepted into a GVSU internship program are automatically considered for the grant if they have a current FAFSA on file in the Financial Aid Office. No application required.

CAREER SERVICES INTERNSHIP AWARD: Contact the Career Services Office for more information: <http://gvsu.edu/careers/career-center-internship-award-59.htm>

WHO CAN TELL ME MORE?

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