Connect real-world experiences to your future career

University Internship Program (UIP) courses fulfill Experiential Learning and general elective credit and can help you prepare for your future career. Take one or take them all!

UIP 250: You, Your Work and the World
Learn about societal and world issues, gain valuable career planning skills, and create a digital portfolio.

UIP 251: Finding Your Leadership Potential
Examine the values and operating methods of visionary leaders and learn how to analyze and apply leadership skills in your workplace.

UIP 252: Creativity as a Change Agent in the Workplace
Examine creative innovations related to invention, leadership, advertising and marketing, teaming concepts and collaboration, and the drive behind entrepreneurship.

UIP 253: Careers for the Common Good
Discover potential career paths with nonprofit organizations. You will explore foundations, branches of government, unions, for-profit companies that provide a public service, and more.

UIP 254: Corporate Social Responsibility
Examine your own internship experiences, along with real-world case studies, research, and commentary, to learn about the critical decision-making processes organizations address as they balance competitive advantages against the weight of social progress.

UIP 255: Navigating the Changing Workplace
Understand the challenges your workplace is facing. Gain critical knowledge and career search techniques from senior practitioners in your field. You need one of the following qualifications for this course: more than three years of work experience, an already-completed departmental internship, or completion of another UIP course.

UIP 240: Career Pathways: Explore Your Options
In this 2-credit course, you will analyze your skills and personality preferences to further develop a foundation for career possibilities. You will also connect with a professional mentor in your field of interest.

UIP 241: Uncovering Your Skills
In this 2-credit course, you will learn how your academic studies, as well as your work and campus activities, will transfer to the workplace. By the end of the course, you will know how to articulate both your academic accomplishments and relevant skills in a way that will impress potential employers.

These courses do not require an internship and do not fulfill the Experiential Learning requirement.

Ready to Enroll?

Complete the UIP Orientation:
Register for a UIP Orientation by logging onto depaul.joinhandshake.com
* Orientation is not required for the UIP 350 course.

Submit Your Internship Proposal
Once you have secured an internship or job, you must complete the online proposal form: uip.depaul.edu

Questions?
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