

TEMPLE UNIVERSITY FMA INTERNSHIP PROGRAM

The FMA Internship Program mission is to provide students with a bridge that connects the precarious gap between craft, creative voice and entertainment business. The program allows Juniors and Seniors in good academic standing to receive a maximum of 4 academic credits gaining introductory work experience in the film and new media marketplace. The program helps students identify both short and long-term career goals and career-launching skills for competitively packaging their industry experiences for future employment upon graduation. Interested candidates may apply for enrollment via application and interview. Here are some answers to some frequently asked questions.

How do I register for an internship?

- File an application (found online or in the FMA office) and schedule an appointment with the Internship Director in Tomlinson 217.
- Once you have been approved for the internship program, you will need to fill out a drop/add slip to register for FMA 397 Internships.
- You will also need to log on to Temple's Blackboard Learning System via <<https://TUPortal.temple.edu>> the course listing is FMA Internships SCT1936. This will provide you access to current internship listing and other course information.

What are the requirements in order to be accepted into the internship program?

- FMA students must be of junior standing.
- You must have a 3.0 cumulative GPA or have permission from the FMA Internship Director.

How many credits is an internship?

- It varies depending upon the number of hours you want to commit to the experience. The maximum number of credits you can receive for an internship is 4 credits. Credits relate to the number of hours on site and you must make at least two days available in your schedule to accomplish this, we recommend 15-20 hours per week for 4 credits.

What are the responsibilities of an intern?

- Set up a workable schedule with your supervisor and adhere to it. It is best to allocate two full days as opposed to a few hours here and there.
- Attend meetings on campus with the Internship Director.
- Write two papers during the semester.

How can I find out about intern opportunities?

- There are several leads that will be posted on Blackboard.
- You can check the Philadelphia Creative Directory. There are also reference guides in the BTMM office and at the Temple Career Service Center.

Can I get credit for an internship I did last semester?

- No, there is no retroactive registration for the internship.

Can I do an internship during the summer and pay for it in the fall?

- No, for insurance reasons, you must be registered in the semester in which you are on site.

QUESTIONS?

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