

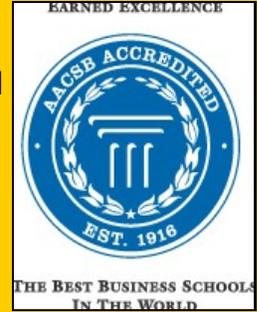


College of Business

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Excellence With A Personal Touch

One of the best professional development opportunities offered by the McNeese College of Business is the internship program. With interns employed locally, nationally and internationally, students become ambassadors for the COB as they gain career-related experience and confirmation of their future goals.

*"Sarah brought an excellent attitude, work ethic and academic background to the office." - Damain Sullivan, Bank of Tokyo Mitsubishi*



## Internships



Business interns work in various local, state, national and international organizations gaining career-related experience prior to graduation, building future references, and beginning the transformation from student to professional. The College of Business reviews intern job descriptions to ensure a level of responsibility that justifies the granting of three hours credit toward a bachelor's degree. The program creates a mutually beneficial relationship between the College of Business and employers. The COB seeks career-related employment opportunities for our students,

employers offer hands-on, practical application experience that is impossible to achieve in the classroom, and interns become a valuable human resource for employers.

Many employers use internships as a screening process for permanent offers of employment, and a large number of our interns receive job offers upon graduation that are directly or indirectly related to their internship. For the student participants, the intern experience often confirms the student's choice of major and provides insight into future career paths. The signs of success are apparent when employers continue participation in the program and interns overwhelmingly recommend this experience to other students.

College of Business interns are currently working locally at Citgo Petroleum, McElroy, Quirk and Burch CPA Firm, Stine Lumber, Sasol, Cameron State Bank, SWLA Partnership for Economic Development, L'auberge Du Lac, Northwestern Mutual Financial Network, Shaw, State Farm and many, many others. Students also compete for internships in the Houston area, working with KPMG, Hein and Associates, Bank of Tokyo Mitsubishi, the Houston Chronicle, the Houston Astros, and the Houston Golf Association.



*"While sitting in a classroom expanded my thought processes, working as an intern for State Farm allowed me to broaden my learning capacity." - Vanessa Salinas, Business Administration Intern*