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what's on *your* résumé?

Arcadia University can provide you with the opportunity of a lifetime.

You spend essential time in a classroom to prepare you for the world. And your experiences on campus – research projects, volunteer initiatives, and managing time and resources – are all building blocks for a successful professional future. But why not round out that experience with a practical work component that is not “just” a job?

An overseas internship can expand your vision of real world experience in ways you never dreamed possible. As a result, you will arrive at graduation with a clear professional advantage. You will be immersed in a vocational experience which is informed by supporting courses, at your choice of five exciting global destinations, with programs ranging in duration from a summer to a semester. Not only do our internships provide you with on-the-job experience, they are also credit-bearing programs which will challenge you to apply what you learn in the classroom to the workplace, and vice versa.

During your program, you'll spend anywhere from 1 to 4 days per week in the workplace, assisting in a capacity which is tailor-made for your interests. We are proud to offer Parliamentary Internships in Australia, England, Ireland and Scotland, and our scope is not limited to students with a keen interest in world government. Our team of expert internship coordinators ensure that all students – from fine arts and graphics majors, to aspiring financial executives, to those with a humanities background who desire a placement in public relations or marketing, to those interested in the social service sector – will all receive a placement which suits their professional goals. From an Australian advertising agency to the London Zoo, the range of well-established opportunities we provide will enhance your understanding of your chosen field of study, and serve as an essential component of your professional development.

Arcadia Programs Include:

- tuition
- guaranteed housing
- overseas orientation program
- health and accident insurance
- ISIC card
- Arcadia University transcript
- pre-departure advising and support
- weekend and day excursions
- safety/security management plans

Scholarships available:

- Every year we distribute over \$2,000,000 in scholarships and financial aid for semester, full-year, or term participation.

Visit our website for details:

www.arcadia.edu/abroad.

why choose Arcadia for Internships?

The Arcadia University Center for Education Abroad has over 60 years' experience in sending students overseas, and we currently work in 14 different countries (Australia, China, England, Equatorial Guinea, France, Greece, Ireland, Italy, New Zealand, Northern Ireland, Scotland, South Africa, Spain, and Wales) and with 100 different programs. In addition to our internship programs, students can undertake academic studies in every discipline. There are also a variety of opportunities to give back to host country communities through service learning projects, providing an immersive experience that goes way beyond the classroom.

At Arcadia we are committed to helping students maximize their time abroad, and to providing an experience that integrates the unique extra-curricular resources of each program site. Every aspect of our programs and services is designed to help you look below the surface of the culture, providing you with an integrated experience that combines academic learning with hands-on opportunities, helping you make your study abroad program uniquely your own.

Australian Parliamentary Internship

Canberra, a city of green spaces and impressive municipal architecture, was purpose-built in the early 20th century as the seat of Australia's national government. It is the site of Australia's Parliament House, High Court, and supporting agencies, as well as boasting numerous national cultural and social institutions, which include a museum, zoo, gallery, archives and war memorial. Located in the Australian Capital Territory and situated between Sydney and Melbourne, Canberra is an ideal place to undertake an internship.

You'll spend four days per week for eleven weeks at your internship site and be enrolled in a semester-long course that will introduce you to Australian politics and public policy. One of the most attractive features of the program is that you will be participating in the program with students from all over Australia, as well as other American and international students. Although participation in the Australia Parliamentary Internship Program will require you to spend a considerable amount of time at your internship site, you'll also have the opportunity to integrate into a university community and live on campus at ANU.

Highlights

- An exceptional opportunity to complete research for a Member or Senator of the Australian Parliament, or for a public service agency, industry or community organization, or lobby group.
- Opportunity to take courses at the Australian National University (ANU) in addition to the internship placement.
- Students are recruited nationally and internationally for this program, so you can expect your fellow interns to come from a wide variety of backgrounds.
- This program awards 16 semester hours of credit.

Housing

The residential nature of ANU, with many students in on-campus accommodation, provides a wonderful opportunity to interact with Australian and other international students.

For more information about this program contact Andrew Downs, Program Coordinator, downsa@arcadia.edu.

APPLICATION DEADLINES

Fall Semester: March 15

Spring Semester: November 15

“Not only have I changed as a person because of these experiences, but I really feel that I've also had my whole perception of the world flipped around.”

- SARAH GARCIA

College of Wooster student
Australia 2007



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APPLICATION DEADLINES

Fall Semester: April 20

Spring Semester: November 15

“My placement was excellent and the firm kept me very busy. The work was interesting and allowed me to learn quite a bit. They, in so many words, seemed to leave me with a job offer in case I returned to Sydney!”

- SCOTT ALBIN

Indiana University student
Australia Semester Internship 2007

Sydney Semester Internship

Picture yourself working in Sydney, one of the world's most exciting and international destinations. You can earn academic credit, enhance your professional knowledge, and improve practical skills through a placement in one of the Harbour City's leading public institutions or commercial enterprises.

Placements are available in a broad range of areas including business, social sciences, humanities, and the visual, fine and graphic arts. Our staff will work with you to identify appropriate placement options before you leave for Australia. Throughout your internship, a faculty sponsor and workplace supervisor will be available to ensure that you are meeting your professional and academic objectives. Near the end of your placement, you will have a debriefing session to help you effectively review and analyze your internship experience.

Courses

In order to maximize the internship experience, you'll take three courses (4 semester hours of credit).

The courses are:

- I. **Workplace Realities: Politics, Culture, and Ideas**
- II. **Australian Issues: History, Culture, and Place**
- III. **Australia in the Region: Inter-Cultural Relevance and Economic and Social Perspectives**

Highlights

- Designed to encourage students to develop an understanding of Australia and the Australian work environment.
- Focuses on Australian workplace realities as they relate to issues of peace and justice and cultural identity. To extend this understanding, the interns visit the remote north-west territory of Western Australia (the Kimberly) in order to develop a perspective on how communities survive in a remote area; the financial and economic issues they confront; and the ways in which communities work together to manage small and extensive business interests in the area.
- The internship aims to provide a cultural and sociological background to the urban workplace environment, with an outreach methodology.
- 14 week program: 8 week work placement (4 days per week, 8 hours per day = 256 hours). Placements are unpaid.
- This program awards 16 semester hours of credit.

Housing

You are guaranteed accommodation in a furnished apartment operated by Arcadia University. All housing is in a residential area of Sydney that is convenient for shopping and easily accessible by local transportation.

For more information about this program contact Andrew Downs, Program Coordinator, downsa@arcadia.edu.



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Sydney Summer Internship

Spend six weeks in Sydney, working side-by-side with Australian professionals in such areas as arts, business, communications, public policy and the social sciences. At the end of your program, you will have a deeper understanding of Australian culture; a clearer view of where your education, talents and interests can lead you; and a greater sense of your place in the world.

You'll work full time four days per week during your internship and be assessed on an academic project based on your work experience and related research. At the start of your internship, you will attend an orientation session that will help to ensure your smooth transition into the workplace. Near the end of your placement, you will have a debriefing session to help you effectively review and analyze your professional experience.

Highlights

- During your internship, you'll work four days per week for six weeks and will attend the class, "Parallel Realities" on the fifth day.
- You will be assessed on an academic project that you research and write that is based on your work experience.
- This program awards 6 semester hours of credit.

Housing

You are guaranteed accommodation in a furnished apartment operated by Arcadia University. All housing is in a residential area of Sydney that is convenient for shopping and easily accessible by local transportation.

For more information about this program contact Andrew Downs, Program Coordinator, downsa@arcadia.edu.

APPLICATION DEADLINES

Summer: March 31

Making Study Abroad Affordable

The Arcadia University Center for Education Abroad has one of the most extensive scholarship programs of any study abroad organization. We are committed to helping students study abroad and believe that financial limitations should not prevent students from participating in a life-changing overseas experience.

- Every year we distribute over \$2,000,000 in scholarships and financial aid for semester, full-year, or summer participation.
- Scholarships range from \$500- \$2,000 per award and are primarily need-based.
- Awards are intended to help students for whom a small amount of financial aid could mean the difference between going abroad and staying home.
- Arcadia can also process financial aid if you are earning credit towards a degree.

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APPLICATION DEADLINES

Fall Semester: April 1

Spring Semester: October 1

“
*I dealt with 147 countries in
my London Internship placement.
I got to do things
I wouldn't have
known about
if I had just been a student
in a classroom.*”

- JENNIFER JENCHURA

Bucknell University student
London Internship Program

London Internship Program

Arcadia's challenging London internship program combines real world experience with relevant courses, creating a context in which to reflect and synthesize your experiences about the London workplace. For three days a week, You will join in the workday routine of other Londoners and, in the process, gain valuable insights and skills that will continue to resonate long after your program is completed. Whether you want to gain financial experience in a commodities brokerage; work in an auction house or at an advertising agency, explore non-profit management or assist a British MP in the Houses of Parliament, our internships are much more than mere observation or filing paperwork.

Placements

There are a wide range of internship placements within the art world, charitable organizations, media and production companies, healthcare establishments, government offices, and large corporate enterprises. Our experienced internship coordinators expect students to participate in projects that require resourcefulness, responsibility, and a mature work ethic. During the 15-week program, your internship placement occupies 3 days a week for 12 weeks. Placements are unpaid and may continue through the academic holidays.

Academic Program

Your internship will be complemented by courses that reinforce your professional and academic interests. You will take two courses, **Working in the U.K. and the E.U.** and **Work in Thought and Action**, with your fellow students. In addition, you are required to take two other courses and can choose from either Arcadia University's London Semester courses, which take advantage of London's rich resources and provide compelling insights into British history and culture, or you can select courses from the variety available at City University. (Courses are worth 3-4 credits each.) You will also be required to complete an academic project under the direction of an academic supervisor.

Housing

You are guaranteed a shared room in a furnished flat or student house operated by Arcadia University. All housing is in residential areas of London that are convenient for shopping and easily accessible by local transportation.

Highlights

- Wide range of internship placements.
- Students are required to enroll in courses designed specifically to complement the experience in the workplace.
- This program awards 14-18 semester hours of credit.

*For more information about this program
contact Brandyn Muller Campbell, Program
Coordinator, mullerb@arcadia.edu.*



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London Parliamentary Internship

For students interested in learning about the inner workings of the British Parliament and witnessing first-hand the British legislative process, the London Internship provides a unique and challenging experience. Our internships consist of much more than mere observation or filing paperwork. Students will often be working alongside a British Member of Parliament, conducting research, planning events, or assisting with logistics. The program consists of 15 weeks, with the internship placement occupying 3 days a week for 12 weeks, and awards 14-18 semester hours of credit. Your internship will be complemented with academic courses designed to expand upon your professional and academic interests while providing a cultural context for your experience in the workplace.

Academic Program

“Working in the UK and the European Union: the Politics, Sociology and Public Policy of Business and the Professions” is the key-stone course of the program. You'll explore issues related to British and European culture, politics, business, and society to reflect on and enrich your internship experience.

The other required course, **“Work in Thought and Action”** will require you to meet with an academic internship advisor to discuss and develop your academic project – typically a research paper, creative presentation, or portfolio -- related to your internship.

In addition, you will select 2 other courses from either Arcadia University's London Semester Program, which take advantage of London's rich resources, or you can select from the variety of courses available at City University. While our internship program is not for the timid and will require good time-management skills, the chance to work and study in London provides one of the best study abroad experiences available. You'll take part in British life and culture in ways that few study abroad students are able to, while also gaining valuable work experience.

Housing

You are guaranteed a shared room in a furnished flat or student house operated by Arcadia University. All housing is in residential areas of London that are convenient for shopping and easily accessible by local transportation.

Highlights

- Opportunity to work with a British MP.
- Students are required to enroll in courses designed specifically to complement the experience in the workplace.
- This program awards 14-18 semester hours of credit.

For more information about this program contact Brandyn Muller Campbell, Program Coordinator, mullerb@arcadia.edu.

APPLICATION DEADLINES

Fall Semester: April 1

Spring Semester: October 1

*“ I was able to go with my MP to his events. This exposed me to **parliamentary life** and gave me an idea of what he did.”*

- ANDREA CHAN

UCLA student
London Parliamentary Internship 2007



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APPLICATION DEADLINES

Summer: March 1

*“I don't think anyone else could've gotten me a better internship for this summer. The staff is lovely and the tasks they are giving me are **challenging and fun!** We have had a couple of events I've taken a role in.”*

- JAYNE JEFFRIES

Indiana University student
London Summer Internship 2007

London Summer Internship

Our London Summer Internship will provide you with the opportunity to become fully immersed in the professional and cultural life of Great Britain. You can expect to be in a four-day-per-week internship placement that our experienced intern coordinators will find to fit your own academic and professional objectives. Placements are unpaid and finalized upon completing an interview once you arrive in London. Students have been placed with a range of employers including arts and philanthropic organizations, media and broadcasting companies, healthcare establishments, government offices, and large corporate enterprises. The employers and organizations we work with are eager to provide students with a substantial and meaningful experience. The internship is complemented by a required course, **“Working in the UK and the European Union: the Politics, Sociology and Public Policy of Business and the Professions,”** which will provide your internship with academic context. Additionally, an academic project based on independent research and your workplace experience is required. This program awards six semester hours of credit.

Housing

You are guaranteed a shared room in a student house operated by Arcadia University. The house provides cooking facilities so you can prepare your own meals. Your housing will be in a residential area of London near shopping and public transportation.

Highlights

- Wide range of placements specifically tailored to your goals.
- In addition to the internship experience, students are required to enroll in one required course.
- This program awards 6 semester hours of credit.

*For more information about this program contact **Brandyn Muller Campbell, Program Coordinator**, mullerb@arcadia.edu.*

Dublin Parliamentary Internship

Arcadia's affiliation with the Institute of Public Administration (IPA), the leading educational institution for civil service in the country, affords you the chance to develop a real-world perspective on Irish politics as well as learn first-hand about how a parliamentary system of government functions. Only North American students sponsored by the IPA have the privilege to intern in both houses of the Irish Parliament, the Dáil Éireann and the Seanad Éireann.

Before your fieldwork begins, you'll participate in an orientation that will prepare you for your parliamentary experience through intensive instruction that covers Ireland's Constitution, political parties, issues and procedures, and upcoming legislation. Your individual initiative, ability, past experience, and your relationship with the Member of Parliament or Teachta Dála (TD) you are interning with will largely determine the type of work you are assigned. Responsibilities may include conducting surveys, researching and reporting on issues related to public welfare, and preparing for press briefings. The internship is unpaid and requires at least two full days per week.

Courses

The courses are designed to provide you with the necessary background to work effectively in your new cultural, social and political environment, and are worth three credits each. Subjects include **Irish Society and Politics**, **History of Modern Ireland**, and **Modern Irish Literature**. Arcadia courses are taught by faculty drawn from the Institute of Public Administration and universities in and around Dublin.

Housing

There are three housing options for students participating in the Dublin Parliamentary Internship: Arcadia University fully furnished flats in Dublin, living in an Irish household, or making your own independent living arrangements.

Highlights

- Exclusive opportunity to work directly with a Member of the Irish Parliament.
- Opportunity to do significant research in your assigned area.
- Students take courses in support of their fieldwork at the leading educational institution for civil service in the country, the Institute for Public Administration.
- This program awards 15 semester hours of credit: 6 semester hours of credit are for the internship, and remaining credits (9) are earned from enrollment in 3 courses taught by faculty at the IPA.

For more information about this program contact Tim Barton, Program Coordinator, bartont@arcadia.edu.

APPLICATION DEADLINES

Fall Semester: April 20

Spring Semester: October 15

“The Arcadia program did a wonderful job of facilitating opportunities to do things that I may not have done without them.”

- HEATHER SPAETH

University of Scranton student
Ireland



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APPLICATION DEADLINES

Fall Semester: April 1

Spring Semester: October 15

“*As I walked through the new Parliament building and spoke with people I had only seen on television, I knew this was an experience of a lifetime.*”

- JOSEPH SPEAKER

Villanova University student
Scottish Parliamentary Internship 2007

Scottish Parliamentary Internship

If you are a hands-on learner and are a student of government, law, politics, history, economics or sociology, an internship in the Scottish parliament may be right for you. Through the University of Edinburgh's Scottish Parliamentary Internship, you can enjoy a unique opportunity to make a significant contribution by working with members of the Scottish Parliament who are sitting to enact their own laws for the first time since 1707.

Academic Program

During the first five weeks of the program, you'll participate in three courses taught by accomplished instructors from the University of Edinburgh's Faculty of Social Sciences. The courses are designed to provide students with an overview of Scottish society, history, and culture as well as focusing on Scottish government and politics and how it relates to government and politics throughout Great Britain. Students are required to enroll in the following three courses:

Government and Politics in the U.K.

Scottish Politics

Scottish Society and Culture

Following the completion of coursework, you'll participate in a 10-week internship program under the direction of a member of the Scottish Parliament (MSP). Your assigned MSP will help you determine a research project and supervise your implementation of this project, which will be assessed by the academic coordinator of the program. You will not simply act as a file clerk or go fetch endless cups of tea. You will explore and write on significant policy questions such as:

Female Representation in the Scottish Parliament, Controlling Firearms in Scotland, the Criminal Justice (Scotland) Act of 2003 and its Effects on the Criminal Courts or Suicide in Scotland: The Need for a Hotline – all topics pursued by former interns. Your assigned MSP will help you determine a research topic and supervise your implementation of this project. You will also receive research support from the University's Institute of Governance. The combination of challenging course work and the opportunity to work side by side with an MSP will provide an unparalleled academic, professional and personal experience.

Housing

You will be assigned to housing in a self-catering student flat. The flat contains single or shared rooms, and shared baths and kitchens. Access to the Internet as well as your own e-mail account is available at the University of Edinburgh's computing centers.

Highlights

- Our internship program enables you to immerse yourself in the culture, history and politics of Scotland through engaging academic courses.
- Program affords an opportunity to complete significant research under the direction of a member of the Scottish Parliament.
- This program awards 15 semester hours of credit.

For more information about this program contact Traci Chupik, Program Coordinator, chupikt@arcadia.edu.



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Semester Internship Program in Toledo

In addition to enrolling in the regular semester courses in Spanish language and culture (4 to 5 courses), the Arcadia program at the Fundación Ortega y Gasset in Toledo offers students the unique opportunity to experience the Spanish work environment and further immerse themselves in Spanish life and culture. Fieldwork is supplemented with a course that looks at the Spanish labor market from a historical, political, and economic perspective. The course challenges students to compare and contrast the Spanish workplace with that of their own country, as well to identify cross-cultural communication issues and strategies for resolving them. Students spend one and one-half hours in class each week and approximately seven hours at the internship site and earn 3 credits.

All internships are supervised by professionals in the related field. Past internship sites have included the regional parliament of Castilla La Mancha, Santa Cruz Museum, Toledo City Hall, Radio stations "Onda Cero" and "Radio Nacional de Espana" the Alcazar library, Toledo Chamber of Commerce, and local hospitals.

Housing

Housing is a key component of your experience in Toledo. Arcadia offers you the option of living in the residence hall at the Fundación or with a carefully selected Spanish host family (for an additional fee). Our coordinator can help you decide which option would match your particular situation and objectives for your time abroad.

Highlights

- Designed for students at the intermediate level or higher. All coursework is in Spanish, taught by Spanish professors.
- Courses take advantage of the range of cultural opportunities available in Toledo through field study.
- Internships available in a variety of disciplines including art history, communications, business, journalism, political science, and health studies.
- This program awards 15 semester hours of credit.

For more information about this program contact Cliff Tironi, Program Coordinator, tironic@arcadia.edu.

Summer Internship Program in Toledo

Arcadia University, in partnership with Fundación Ortega y Gasset, is pleased to offer a six week internship opportunity in the summer. Internship placements will be available in a number of areas, including business, regional government, health, communications and media, social work, tourism, and cultural organizations. Students will combine 30 hours of on-site work per week with coursework covering various topics related to and working in Spain and the European Union. This program awards 6 semester hours of credit.

APPLICATION DEADLINES

Fall Semester: April 20

Spring Semester: October 1

Summer Internship: March 31
(early application is encouraged)

“I enjoyed myself thoroughly in Spain. The classes, excursions, and the every day life was fantastic.”

- BARRY HENDLER

Arcadia University student
Spain 2007



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