



SOUTHWESTERN COLLEGE

Cooperative Work Experience Education (CWEE)

CWEE COURSES

Automotive

Business

Computer Info. Systems

Electronics

Environmental Technology

Fire Science

Legal Studies

Medical Office

Nursing

Telemedia

and more...



Provides opportunity for students to earn units for working or participating in an internship

BENEFITS

- ◆ Enhances learning in field of study
- ◆ Provides units for working, volunteering or participating in an internship
- ◆ Provides job experience for resume
- ◆ Answers questions "How do I get a job without experience?" and "How do I get experience without a job?"
- ◆ Provides fresh ideas and talent to employers
- ◆ Employers train future workforce in current job needs and trends
- ◆ Interns often become reliable and skilled employees
- ◆ Interns can help contribute to business success through increased productivity

EMPLOYER PROCESS

- ◆ List your opportunity in internship database at www.swccd.edu/~ses and click on "post a job"
- ◆ We'll send your listing to the work experience instructors to share with their students looking for opportunities
- ◆ Interested students will connect with employers and provide all paperwork
- ◆ We provide workers compensation coverage for all students enrolled in CWEE courses

STUDENT REQUIREMENTS

- ◆ Enroll in a 290 course within first 3 weeks of semester (1st week for summer)
- ◆ Must have declared a major
- ◆ Complete all course assignments
- ◆ Complete minimum hours of work experience required relating to major
- ◆ Helpful to research internships and have leads prior to start of class but not required

<u>Hours</u>	<u>Units</u>
60 unpaid/75 paid	1
120 unpaid/150 paid	2
180 unpaid/225 paid	3

Plus (1) unit for the course



CWEE Program

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Student Center, 601C

A program of Student Activities & Health Services