



UCD Lochlann Quinn
School of Business

Business Summer Internship Programme



The UCD Lochlann Quinn Summer Internship Programme is an exciting programme, offering ambitious students from around the world a unique opportunity to gain a global experience through a combination of academic learning and industry placement.

The programme focuses on developing professional competencies and providing students the opportunity to gain invaluable hands-on experience in a real-life business environment, in the stimulating modern European city of Dublin, Ireland.

The established eight-week programme consists of two-weeks of academic learning and a six-week internship combined with an extensive cultural programme, and is open to undergraduate students from business and business related disciplines.

Why complete a summer internship?

In the current global economy, employers recognise the skills gained from an international experience.

Participating in an international summer internship with a globally ranked business school provides many benefits including:

- International Cultural Experience
- Global Networking
- Quality Education
- Professional Development
- Travel Opportunity
- Industry Exposure

Why UCD Lochlann Quinn School of Business?



Expertise

UCD Quinn is ranked in the Top 1% of business schools globally



Sustainability

UCD ranked No.1 in Ireland in QS Sustainability Rankings 2024



Urban Campus

UCD is a 33,000 hectare woodland campus located close to Dublin City Centre



Dynamic

Our UCD Moore Centre for Business offers a progressive engaging learning environment



Network

UCD is Ireland's Global University with a Business alumni network of 107,000+ worldwide

“ I worked at William Fry, a large corporate law firm, as a Business Development Intern. This role was perfect for me. I felt important to the company's success with a workload that strengthened my resume.

During the academic modules, we were fortunate to have expert guest speakers visit and present on relevant topics such as the effect of foreign direct investment in Ireland. I would recommend this programme to anyone considering it.



Maxwell Bross
University of Wisconsin-Madison

“ I interned with the Dublin Neurological Institute (DNI), a small nonprofit organisation. I felt my internship played to my strengths while also allowing me to explore new areas.

Some of my favourite memories were made on the cultural trips, from the Cliffs of Moher to the Titanic Museum in Belfast. I feel so lucky to have spent my summer in such a beautiful country!



Casey Lidstad
Indiana University



Internship

Overview

- 6 week internship (unpaid)
- 32 hour week (approx)
- Consideration is given to a student's areas of interest, goals and existing skills when allocating internships.

Employers

- Prestigious Irish and International Companies
- Small innovative organisations and start-ups
- NGO's and not for profit
- Multiple sectors including pharma, finance and tech.

Roles

Internship business areas can include:

- Finance / Accountancy
- Business Development
- Marketing
- Business Analytics
- Human Resources.

Cultural Programme

The Quinn Summer Internship Programme provides students with the opportunity to experience Irish society, culture, and history through a series of organised excursions.

Examples of activities include:

- Explore the landscapes of the West of Ireland
- Visit National Heritage sites
- Cultural nights including traditional Irish music and dance.



Academic Learning

The academic component of the programme is an intensive two-week period delivered by leading academic staff at the UCD Lochlann Quinn School of Business.

Each student will complete two classes:

- Ireland's International Business Environment

and one from either

- Global Finance or
- Responsible Management, Sustainability and Society.

Timeline & Key Dates

March - Application deadline is March 10th.

April - Online interview to discuss motivations, experience and Internship preferences.

May - Notification of placement opportunities. On-campus accommodation booking.

June - Arrive to Dublin and Orientation. Programme start.

Credit Transfer

All UCD academic modules are worth 5 ECTS. The final decision regarding credit transfers is made by the home school/university. UCD will issue an official transcript at the end of the programme. As a guide we recommend that 5 ECTS = 3 US credits.

Eligibility

The minimum GPA for application is 3.00. Detailed information on application procedure and eligibility is available on the website listed below. Please note this programme is very competitive and attention should be paid to the application process.

Applications are made online at www.ucd.ie/apply

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