Shayna Miller ’19
Art and Art History Major, Comparative Religion Minor
Gallery Intern, Pace Prints

The internship provided me with a context for the contemporary art world along with a necessary skill set to work in an art gallery. This internship contributed to my educational experience by adding to my understanding of the art market as well as the function of galleries. During this internship, I was concurrently working on a research/curatorial project at Drew involving the art world in New York City in the 1970s and digitally mapping where galleries, museums, and artists’ studios were. In this way, the internship also contributed to my understanding of my own research while working in one of the few galleries that remains from the late 1960s.

Karina Costa ‘19
Psychology, Sociology
Support Staff, Stepping Forward Counseling Center LLC.

The internship at Stepping Forward Counseling Center LLC opened my eyes to children and adolescent mental health. The center gave me the opportunity to be very hands on with their children. I learned tremendously from their therapists, social workers, mental health counselors and graduate interns. I interned as a support staff member twice a week for the whole day. I was able to be a part of their patient day care program and patient after-school program. I participated in yoga, art therapy, cognitive behavior therapy, music therapy, team building, and kick boxing with the children. I assisted the mental health counselors, social workers, and graduate interns by reporting the children’s and adolescents’ behaviors. Due to my internship, I was hired for their summer C.A.M.P. program. This experience as a whole has made me realize that I would like to pursue a career in adolescent and child psychology.
Abbie Young ‘19
Sociology and Gender Studies Major, Business Minor
Alumni and Sponsor Relations Intern, FIRST

My internship at FIRST in Manchester, New Hampshire taught me that I want to work in non-profits as a career. It was an amazing and eye-opening experience that taught me about the world of robotics, STEM, and alumni relations.

Brianna Siciliano ‘19
English Major, Media & Communications Minor
Digital Intern, HangarFour

I learned that I love working with social media for brands! I also learned that I wouldn't want to pursue public relations as a career path, but I would want to pursue a social media strategist/social media manager position. I was able to experience hands-on work in the industry and meet a lot of incredibly talented people who gave me advice about entering the social media field.

Talia Smith ‘19
History Major, Film Studies and Italian Minor
Content Intern, Maryland Public Television

At Maryland Public Television, I was able to work with the Production Department and assist in creating educational content. Because the work was non-union, I had the opportunity to use equipment!
Jaye Santoro ‘19
Theatre Arts Major, English Minor, MAT Concentration
Director of Summer Camps, Madison Arts Barn

This internship was beneficial for my future plans as an educator. I was able to work with kids ranging from 5th grade to 12th grade. I was given full creative control to plan weeks of theatre camp, which not only helped me grow as an artist, but also prompted valuable feedback from the students. It was based in my hometown, which is made up of primarily middle-class white families, so I was able to learn that I want to work with more diverse students and families as I begin my path of teaching.

Inji Kim ‘19
Art History and Economics Double Major, Arts Administration & Museology Minor
Finance Intern, Solomon R. Guggenheim Museum

As the Guggenheim Museum's financial department intern, I was able to look into the logistical and administrative aspects of non-profit organizations. I was mostly involved with the preparation of the museum's annual tax return form, going through invoices, expense reports, and contracts while organizing data for different sections of the report. I was also given the opportunity to participate in weekly Museum Culture Seminars, in which we visited different arts organizations and received an in-depth understanding of the robust art scene in New York City. Through this experience that merged art and finance, I began to envision myself as a well-rounded professional in any career path that I choose to pursue.

Mariia Chykulay ‘19
International Relations Major, Chinese Minor
Permanent Mission of Ukraine to the United Nations

Working at the Ukrainian Mission enabled me to witness international diplomacy in front of my own eyes. Going to Security Council meetings and representing Ukraine at the Sustainable Development Forum were the highlights of my experience.
Emmanuel Lopez ‘19
Psychology, Spanish, Political Science
Corporate Rotational Intern, Crum and Forster

This internship allowed me to enter a whole new field with an open mind and showed me the many different parts of the insurance company. I was able to meet with executives and have one-on-one mentorship opportunities with them, including the COO and the CEO. I met a great group of young professionals pursuing a career in insurance as well as getting to know so many different divisions of Crum & Forster, since my internship was rotational. The other interns and I worked on a 5-minute video we used to capture our experience, and this was the ideal conclusion to our internship, as we were able to share our story with future interns.

Fakrat Alapa ‘19
Psychology and Neuroscience Double Major, Studio Art Minor
Office for Diversity and Inclusion Summer Intern, Mount Sinai Health System

I had the opportunity to meet so many amazing people. I interviewed a lot of hospital staff and faculty, and I learned so much about how the hospital works and the importance of the patient experience.
Haley Watson ‘20  
English and Communications Double Major, Holocaust Studies Minor  
Wunderkind PR, Book Publicity Intern

This internship allowed me to gain insight on both the public relations and publishing industries. Wunderkind PR is an independent PR firm that specializes in book publicity campaigns. They work with a wide scale of authors and publishers, from big publishing houses to smaller, "indie" authors. In this role, I created press releases, pitched fall and winter 2018 titles to online media, and maintained contact databases. I also attended a variety of publishing-related events, including Book Expo 2018, PPA Luncheons hosted at Penguin Random House, and an in-house shadow day with Picador USA. My internship made me realize that I would still like to look for marketing or PR career opportunities in publishing, but also in other industries as well.

Alexandria Holroyd ‘20  
Biology Pre-Med Major, Spanish Minor  
Research Intern, Children's Hospital of Philadelphia

Words do not describe how life changing working at the Children's Hospital was for me. I learned a copious amount not only about human anatomy, cancer development, oncogenes, patient care, imaging procedures, nuclear medicine, and child handling, but also about learning to be grateful for every minute of life to honor all the children suffering from these horrible, unbeatable diseases. These kids smile through all the pain they go through and through ups and downs. Through life and death, they keep battling. This in itself was such a powerful space in which to work for an entire summer. I am a changed person with a newfound love of life and science after being around miracles and positivism every day.
Kelly Hartwick ‘20  
International Relations Major, Chinese and Economics  
Double Minor  
Office Intern, U.S. Senator Chris Coons Office  

This internship gave me an understanding of local state politics and Washington DC politics. I spoke with local constituents, learned more about advocacy work, and was also given research projects specific to my personal interests, including business and banking issues within politics and my community. I learned more about the legislation process through real world experience, and how to craft and develop national legislation. I had the opportunity to sit in on meetings between staffers and local groups, discussing topics ranging from increasing tourism to encouraging student volunteerism and development. I also shadowed Senator Coons, getting further insight in how U.S. politicians handle different forms of social media and journalism, a growing contentious topic in our nation.

Victoria Adams ‘21  
Philosophy Major, Sociology and Political Science Double Minor  
Intern, Ocean County Prosecutor's Office Domestic Violence Unit  

Regardless of any type of law I decide to pursue in the future, the basis of any criminal activity usually starts in the home. Because of this, working in the Domestic Violence Unit in the Ocean County Prosecutor’s Office was a priceless experience. I was able to see the entire process of criminal court activity, sentences, the granting and denial of TRO's, and the clerical process of legal proceedings. I was also able to complete police ride alongs, view an autopsy/necropsy, learn how to read police reports, and sit in on both plea hearings and trials. This experience and meeting such passionate and service-oriented colleagues along the way completely affirmed that this path is what I want to pursue in the future.

Emily Deuchar ‘19  
Theatre Arts Major, Creative Writing Minor  
Live-In Mentor, Advantage Arts  

I was able to work with high school students, creating theatre while improving my leadership and collaboration skills. While the skills I gained are valuable, especially for a career in theatre, the
students we worked with are really what made my time worthwhile and sparked my interest in educational theatre.

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**Gage Wheeler ‘19**  
**International Relations Major**  
**Field Organizer, The Mikie Sherrill Congressional Campaign**

Working for the Mikie Sherrill campaign gave me valuable insights on a grass-roots, largely volunteer organization and the power of local politics.

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**Nadiya Nawsheen ‘19**  
**Neuroscience Major, Biochemistry Minor**  
**Summer Undergraduate Intern, Johns Hopkins**

This was an incredible experience. I had a great time working in a graduate-level, professional neuroscience lab that had recently discovered something completely novel. This prepared me immensely for graduate school and helped me network with faculty and students who are supportive of my future.

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**Ryan Callaghan ‘19**  
**Biology and Spanish Major**  
**American Heart Association Summer Undergraduate Research Fellowship, University of California-San Diego**

I was able to test my skills outside of Drew University and network with some amazing faculty and students.

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**Stefanie DeFronzo ‘20**  
**Biochemistry and Molecular Biology**  
**Summer Institute Intern, Drew Center for Religion, Culture, and Conflict**

I planned workshops and events for religious leaders from all around the world. It was challenging at times, since trying to please everyone can be a difficult task, but it was enormously rewarding. Having the chance to meet so many different people and learn about so many different cultures, traditions, rituals, and ideologies made me a more open-minded and appreciative person. In addition to science, religion and interfaith peace building are some of my broadest interests. I learned so much through my experience, and I am so grateful for the opportunity to connect with some amazing people.
Bahara Mohammadi ‘20  
Computer Science, Economics  
Program Director, Afghan Girls Code

What made it valuable for me was putting my many plans, networks, negotiations, and hard work into making my program happen. At first, it was only an idea in my head, but step by step it came to reality even better than what I thought would be at first. It was amazing and gratifying to have an impact on young Afghan girls and building their hope and aspirations for a better future.

Kristen Oakley ‘21  
Communications & Media Major  
Media Intern, Water Music Publishing

I learned so many new things about the media, met some amazing people, and made many great professional connections.

Andrew Dugan ‘21  
English & International Relations Double Major  
Editorial Intern Philadelphia Style Magazine

I was published online and in-print with the magazine and learned the ins and outs of fact checking, researching, creating an agenda for a magazine, and how powerful magazines still are.

Althessa Jones ‘21  
Sociology, History  
Orange County Social Service

I was able to learn first-hand how food stamps and EBT cards work in Orange County, California. I was able to see what people are looking for through these welfare aids. It made me think about my joining a government agency in the future to help people first hand. I was able to also see the crucial work behind the scenes of submitting applications for these social services.

Bertrand, Laura ‘22  
Theatre Arts Major, Music Minor  
District Attorney’s Office Intern, Hampden County

I learned a great amount about the judicial system, including how a crime is recorded and entered into a database, how a prosecutor forms an argument, how a courtroom functions, and what tactics a prosecutor uses to convince a judge.