The ASU Political Science Internship Experience

Freshman Year: 0-30 credits

Fall

_ Start thinking about where you want work experience

_ Brainstorm by learning what kinds of careers are open to you as a Polisci major by visiting http://www.apsanet.org/content_6457.cfm?navID=366

Spring

_ Visit http://pgs.clas.asu.edu/polisci-internships to start learning the nuts and bolts of how to get a political science internship

_ Like "Political Science Internships" on Facebook for good internship ideas

_ Follow "Political Science Internships" on Twitter for quick updates

Sophomore Year: 31-60 credits

Fall

_ Attend an internship/career fair

_ Sign up with Sun Devil Careerlink for even more ideas and opportunities https://students.asu.edu/career/sdcl

_ If needed, meet with Dr. Woodall, the political science internship director, to go over some possible internship options

Spring

_ Pick an internship for next semester

_ Begin application process for that internship, if necessary

_ Visit Career Center to work on resume for internship application

_ Meet with adviser and/or Dr. Woodall to discuss signing up for POS 484-- the internship class

Junior Year: 61-90 credits

Fall

_ Finalize internship application and fill out POS 484 course credit application

_ Do internship and attain course credit via POS 484

_ Consider applying for Capital Scholars program http://pgs.clas.asu.edu/capitalscholars

Spring

_ Network within last semester's internship

_ Meet with adviser to discuss further internship opportunities

_ Consider another internship for next semester

_ Visit Career Center for work on another internship resume

Senior Year: 95-120 credits

Fall

_ Finalize internship application and fill out POS 484 course credit application

_ Do internship and attain course credit via POS 484

_ Continue networking within internships

Spring

_ Visit Career Center for further opportunities

_ Meet with adviser to discuss next steps

_ Consider attaining letters of recommendation from previous internships