

# Intern WALL OF FAME



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I would rate my internship experience as excellent. At Clear Channel Radio I interned for the 5 major stations in NYC. I was able to have hands on experience videotaping celebrity interviews and was taught how to edit using various video editing software. I also learned web managing skills by manually converting audio and video servers.

At NBCUniversal, I worked with the audience and guests for "The Maury Povich Show" and helped start up the production of the brand new show, "The Trisha Goddard Show." As you can imagine things got crazy on set but getting my foot in the door helped land me two freelancing jobs with NBC Sports, covering Ice Skating America in Seattle and The Breeders Cup in Los Angeles.

I would recommend no matter your age or experience, look for internship opportunities all the time. Let people know what you are interested in because you never know when they are going to be looking to recommend someone. As far as when you obtain your internship, ask as many questions as you can; some internships can be a sit-at-desk from 9am-5pm unless you get up and ask to shadow people. My best advice is be dependable, enjoyable and never, ever complain. Consider your internship an extended interview, because it can be!

The CDO office is such a helpful tool in aiding students to obtain internship and career opportunities. Schedule an appointment with the office just to speak with a counselor about what you are interested in and ask questions on how you can get there, have them look over your resume even if you think it is perfect, and go over interview skills with them. I did all of these things last semester and it was one of the main reasons I earned my internship with NBCUniversal. The day of my phone interview, something I had never done before, I walked into the office and they gave me some last minute pointers and a helpful handout about how to act in a phone interview and question suggestions to ask during an interview.