Welcome to the Internships and Experiential Learning application for 2022!

Thank you for your interest in Intermediate Career Exploration: Internships and Experiential Learning (formerly known as "GSICE")!

The Internships and Experiential Learning program is designed to guide UCSF doctoral students and postdocs through identifying, securing, and succeeding in an experiential opportunity outside of academic research.

Graduate students must have passed their qualifying exams before the start of the program.

**There are two components to complete your application within this survey:**
1. General applicant information
2. Career Interests and motivations, including three short answer essay questions
The Internships and Experiential Learning class will prepare you to find, apply for, and succeed in an experiential learning opportunity of your choice. We will also share as many experiential learning opportunities as possible with you, during the course.

However, the program does not provide direct matching services between course participants and internship sites. Please confirm that you understand and still feel that the program is a good fit for your needs.

Yes, I understand; and this class is a good fit for my needs.

I am unsure if the class is the right fit for me (Please email mind@ucsf.edu with your questions before completing the application)

No, I no longer wish to participate in the class (Please exit the application now)

The Internships and Experiential Learning class is a live, inquiry-based learning experience. It involves active participation, including in-class activities, breakout rooms, and networking events, as well as homework between each class. Please confirm that you understand and still feel that the program is a good fit for your needs.

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1. General Applicant Information

Your Last Name


Your First Name


Your Preferred E-mail
Can you attend all the live virtual classes (Thursdays March 31, April 14, April 28, May 12, May 26, June 9) from 12-1:30 p.m. Pacific?

(If not, please explain. Missing classes is not a disqualifier for participating in the program if you are committed to watching the class recordings and making up class activities on your own.)

Yes
Maybe
No

When did you begin your training at UCSF?

Please Select: [ ] ▼ ▼ ▼

When do you anticipate that you will complete your program/training?

2022
2023
2024
2025
2026
2027 or after

Are you a graduate student or postdoctoral scholar?

Graduate student
Postdoctoral scholar
Other (please explain)
Please select your graduate program.

Bioengineering
Biological and Medical Informatics (BMI)
Biomedical Sciences (BMS)
Biophysics
Chemistry and Chemical Biology (CCB)
Developmental and Stem Cell Biology (DSCB)
Epidemiology and Translational Science
Global Health
History of Health Sciences
Medical Anthropology
Neuroscience
Nursing
Oral and Craniofacial Sciences (OCS)
Pharmaceutical Sciences and Pharmacogenomics (PSPG)
Sociology
Tetrad
Other:

When did you pass, or intend to take, your doctoral qualifying examination?

Month
Year

Who is your primary PI/advisor? (First and Last Name)

Who is your second or co-PI mentor (if applicable)?
2. Career Interests and Motivations

The following questions will help us understand your current career interests and motivations.

Please answer each questions informatively, but concisely. Each essay response should be less than 350 words. *This is the most important part of the application, so please be thoughtful with your responses.*

Select one or two career categories for which you have a strong interest in finding an experiential opportunity through the Intermediate Career Exploration class.

Academic Administration
Business of Science
Clinical Practice
Clinical Research Management
Combined Research and Teaching Career
Drug/Device Approval and Production
Entrepreneur
Intellectual Property
Principal Investigator in a Research-Intensive Institution
Public Health
Research Administration
Research in Industry
Research Staff in a Research-Intensive Institution
Sales and Marketing of Science-Related Products
Science Education for K-12 Schools
Science Education for Non-Scientists
Science Policy
Science Writing
Scientific/Medical Testing
Support of Science-Related Products
Teaching-Intensive Career in Academia

Other, please describe:
How confident are you that the above career path(s) is/are right for you? Please comment.

Why are you seeking an experiential learning opportunity (such as an internship)? Select up to three.

I hope that an experiential learning opportunity will lead directly to full-time employment.
I hope that an experiential learning opportunity will give me more ideas for possible career paths.
I have a specific career path in mind and want to know whether it is a good fit for me.
I want to develop specific technical skills.
I want to develop professional skills, broadly speaking (interpersonal communication, teamwork, etc.)
I want in-person, on-site experience in a work environment outside academic research.
I want to learn employer expectations for workplace behaviors.
I want to learn to set work-related goals and evaluate my success.
I want to expand my professional network.
I want to gain experience that I can add to my résumé/portfolio.
I want to earn money.
Other, please describe:

How confident are you in your ability to find an experiential learning opportunity? What questions do you have about finding one?
What do you hope to get out of the Internships and Experiential Learning program? How will this class help you make progress toward your career goals?

You have reached the end of the Intermediate Career Exploration: Internships and Experiential Learning application.
Select "Next" to submit your application, or "Back" to make any changes.

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