Internships, Service Learning, and Volunteer Programs

Policy & Process Guidelines

For Employers, Community Partners, Faculty, Staff, and Students

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1. PURPOSE OF THE GUIDE, AND THE CECE MISSION STATEMENT

CSUB recently assigned responsibilities for service learning, volunteer programs connected to academic credit and academic internships to the Career Center. The merging of career services with applied experiences where academic credit is involved resulted in the establishment of a new office, the Center for Community Engagement and Career Education (CECE). CECE has developed process and policy guidelines in alignment with the university mission, and as a response to the CSU Chancellor’s Office Student Internships Executive Order 1064. This guide will be regularly revised to support an understanding of the internship, service learning and volunteer program process at California State University, Bakersfield.

1.1 CECE Mission Statement
The mission of the Center for Community Engagement & Career Education is to prepare students for life-long learning and development through community engagement and career education by forming strong partnerships with community organizations, employers, and CSUB students, faculty, and staff.

2. CSUB INTERNSHIP, SERVICE LEARNING AND VOLUNTEER PROGRAM OFFICERS

CSUB President, Dr. Horace Mitchell, delegates the authority to coordinate and oversee internship, service learning and volunteerism involving academic credit to the director of the Center for Community Engagement and Career Education (CECE) until otherwise indicated.

The director, Ms. Jane Evarian, is available at (661) 654-3035 or via email at jevarian@csub.edu. Dr. Tanya Boone, CECE faculty coordinator will serve as an additional authority in the event the director is unavailable. The faculty coordinator is available at (661) 654-3033 or via email at tboone@csub.edu.

*Exceptions to the internship, service learning and volunteer program administrative authority include teacher preparation placements and clinical placements (e.g., nursing, counseling, and social work).
### 3. SELECTING THE BEST FIT – INTERNSHIPS, SERVICE LEARNING AND VOLUNTEERS

Students have a variety of options for applied experiences including paid internships, academic internships, service learning, and volunteering while receiving academic credit. To determine the best fit, please review the options below.

#### 3.1 Types of Applied Experiences

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<th>Internships</th>
<th>Service Learning</th>
<th>Volunteer</th>
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<tr>
<td><strong>Definition</strong></td>
<td>Engage students in professional development activities primarily for the purpose of providing hands-on experiences that enhance student learning or understanding of issues relevant to a particular area of study.</td>
<td>Integration of community-based learning and academic learning. Occurs as part of a “regular” course; is one requirement in the course.</td>
<td>Perform service and receive academic credit through GST 207 Community Service Learning courses.</td>
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<td><strong>Time Commitment</strong></td>
<td>CSUB operates on the 10-week quarter system</td>
<td>Per CSUB guidelines, to qualify as Service Learning, class must require 10-15 hours of service time.</td>
<td>Determined by course instructor (not less than 25 hours and no more than 40 hours.)</td>
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<td>1 credit = 20 hrs./quarter</td>
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<td><strong>Best Fit for Non-Profits and For-Profits</strong></td>
<td>Non-Profit (unpaid / academic credit)</td>
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<td>For Profit (paid internship)</td>
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<td><strong>Beneficiaries</strong></td>
<td>Experiential learning primarily benefits students.</td>
<td>Reciprocal relationship - student and organization benefit equally.</td>
<td>Primary beneficiary is the organization.</td>
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<td><strong>Student Experience</strong></td>
<td>60 – 70% of the experience includes professional development for student</td>
<td>Hourly basis or project basis</td>
<td>Determined by organization and student.</td>
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<td><strong>Academic Requirements</strong></td>
<td>Academic Internship course requirements are determined by Instructor or Internship Coordinator. <em>(Paid Internships do not require academic credit.)</em></td>
<td>Must include assignment in which students reflect on service experience. Details determined by Instructor.</td>
<td>Assignments determined by instructor.</td>
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<td><strong>Contract Requirements</strong></td>
<td>Academic Internship (CSUB 3-Year Contract or Extended Learning Plan, and CSUB Standard Waiver)</td>
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<td>Paid Internship (no contract required)</td>
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<td><strong>Process</strong></td>
<td>Students apply for internships using CECE’s RunnerLink system.</td>
<td>Faculty connect with organizations to develop projects. CECE can provide guidance and connections.</td>
<td>Students apply for volunteer postings in RunnerLink.</td>
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3.2 Paid Internships
A Paid Internship is the preferred practice with For-Profit Companies.

- The Paid Internship process is very quick! Open a RunnerLink account at www.csut.edu/cece and post the job. This process takes minutes and the internship is typically approved within 2 business days.
- Student resumes are received by the employer through the RunnerLink system.
- CECE can provide internship evaluation forms and other related services if desired by the company.
- Paid Interns are employed with the understanding that the same legal responsibilities and protections for regular or temporary employees within the organization also apply to paid interns.

Please Note: For-Profit companies considering UNPAID internships should be aware of the US Department of Labor’s Fair Labor Standards Act (FLSA) relating to UNPAID internships. According to the FLSA, an UNPAID internship offered by a For-Profit company must meet the following criteria:

✓ The internship, even though it includes actual operation of the facilities of the employer, is similar to training which would be given in an educational environment;
✓ The internship experience is for the benefit of the intern;
✓ The intern does not displace regular employees, but works under close supervision of existing staff;
✓ The employer that provides the training derives no immediate advantage from the activities of the intern,
✓ And on occasion its operations may actually be impeded;
✓ The intern is not necessarily entitled to a job at the conclusion of the internship; and
✓ The employer and the intern understand that the intern is not entitled to wages for the time spent in the internship.

For more information about Internships and the Fair Labor Standards Act, please visit http://www.dol.gov/whd/regs/compliance/whdfs71.pdf
3.3 Unpaid Internships (Student Earns Academic Credit)

Offering an Unpaid internship or other forms of unpaid applied experiences (service learning, volunteering) to students is uniquely reserved for Non-Profit Organizations. Unpaid internships most commonly include Academic Credit for the student. Unpaid academic internships and other experiences where academic credit is involved require students to be enrolled in a related course and the organization and CSUB must enter into an agreement.

Two options for an agreement are possible:

**Short-Term Agreement (Two Academic Quarters)**
- Offers a specific project / short-term learning activity to students
- The experience is short-term (maximum two quarters)
- For an internship, the task/activity includes at least 60% professional development
- Experience should support the Bakersfield community
- A Short-Term Agreement takes a few weeks to develop and creates a temporary relationship

**Three-Year Contract**
- Offers a wide range of tasks / projects
- The program is ongoing
- For Internships - the tasks/projects include at least 60% professional development
- Can engage a variety of majors
- Experience supports the Bakersfield community
- A 3-year contract is developed (requires approximately 3 months to process)

3.4 Other Unpaid Applied Experiences (Student Does Not Earn Academic Credit)

Non-Profit Organizations with established volunteer programs may announce non-academic credit volunteer opportunities in the university career services management system, RunnerLink. Organizations may also post unpaid internships in RunnerLink. CECE reserves the right to decline postings (including but not limited to third party recruiters, private child care, postings requiring fees, and any other questionable postings).

**CSUB is not considered a partner in these instances.**

If academic credit becomes a possibility for students, a Short-Term Agreement and/or a three-year contract must be established before the student can initiate enrollment in the appropriate course, and before the student can begin service hours.
4. EMPLOYERS AND PARTNERS – PARTNERSHIP OPTIONS AND GETTING STARTED

4.1 Establishing a Long-Term Internship, Service Learning or Volunteer Program – Academic Credit
Developing a Long-Term Internship, Service Learning or Volunteer Program where academic credit is offered to the student requires a formal contractual partnership between an organization and the university. The process to initiate and finalize the contract is as follows:

• The organization completes the Partnership Request & Risk Assessment Form available at http://www.csub.edu/cece/employers/internshipPrgm.shtml

• Learning activities, objectives and risks are initially reviewed by CECE and a determination is made to create an appropriate relationship

• A visit to the Learning Site is scheduled to further discuss goals, risks and to take photos of the site in preparation for receiving interns and/or volunteers

• Relevant materials are collected by CECE and reviewed by the CSUB Risk Management and Procurement Offices
  Materials include: The Partnership and Risk Assessment Form, the Risk Assessment Rubric, the General Liability Certificate, and photos of the site.

• If approved, a three-year contract is generated by the university to formalize the partnership
  This process requires approximately three months to complete

• After the contract is generated internships and volunteer opportunities that include academic credit are announced on the university career services management system, RunnerLink

Please note: Often the Learning Site is eager to receive interns/volunteers prior to the finalization of a contract. This is possible using the Short-Term Agreement, (detailed in the Short-Term Experience Section).

4.2 Establishing a Short-Term Internship, Service Learning or Volunteer Experience – Academic Credit
Developing a Short-Term Internship, Service Learning or Volunteer Experience (for a maximum of two quarters) where academic credit is offered to the student requires a short-term agreement between an organization and the university.

• The organization completes the Partnership Request & Risk Assessment Form available at http://www.csub.edu/cece/employers/internshipPrgm.shtml
Learning activities, objectives and risks are reviewed by CECE using a Risk Management Rubric and a determination is made regarding the appropriate relationship.

If approved, a Short-Term Agreement is generated to establish temporary partnership.

Internships and volunteer opportunities that include academic credit are announced on the university career management system, RunnerLink.

4.3 Establishing an Internship with a Stipend/Honorarium – Academic Credit

Developing a Short-Term Internship that includes a Stipend/Honorarium and Academic Credit (for a maximum of two quarters) where academic credit is offered to the student requires a Short-Term Agreement between an organization and the university.

- The organization completes the Partnership Request & Risk Self-Assessment Form available at http://www.csub.edu/cece/employers/internshipPrgm.shtml
- Learning activities, objectives and risks are reviewed by CECE using a Risk Management Rubric and a determination is made to create an appropriate relationship.
- If approved, a Short-Term Agreement is generated to establish the temporary partnership.
- Internships and volunteer opportunities that include academic credit are announced on the university career management system, RunnerLink.

5. STUDENT RESPONSIBILITIES

5.1 Responsibilities when Academic Credit is Received

Students who will earn academic credit for participating in an internship or volunteer experience must participate in a mandatory orientation offered by CECE. Additionally, students must meet with the site-supervisor prior to beginning service hours to determine the learning and service objectives. The learning and service objectives are reported in the RunnerLink system using the electronic Internship/Volunteer Placement Form. Students must also sign a standard university waiver collected at the time of orientation. Enrollment for internship courses is processed through the academic department, and course grades are the responsibility of the internship course instructor. The attached Student Guide provides the step-by-step process for students who plan to enroll for a course associated with an internship or volunteer experience. Students participating in a service learning experience imbedded in a course must engage in a similar orientation offered by the faculty instructor teaching the course and sign the standard university waiver.
5.2 Responsibilities when No Academic Credit is Received
If a student participates in an internship or volunteer experience where no academic credit is received, the student engages in this experience independent of California State University, Bakersfield. RunnerLink may be used as a source to review volunteer announcements but the following caution statement is included in RunnerLink, “California State University, Bakersfield (CSUB) makes no guarantees about opportunities listed in the RunnerLink system. CSUB and the Center for Community Engagement and Career Education (CECE) are not responsible for safety, wages, working conditions, or other aspects of off-campus employment and volunteer opportunities that do not include academic credit. It is the responsibility of RunnerLink users to research the integrity of the organizations to which they are applying. RunnerLink users are advised to use caution and common sense when applying for any position with an organization or a private party. You should not go alone to a residential address to apply for a job. Do not put yourself in a vulnerable position. Even the best job opportunity is not worth jeopardizing your personal safety.

6. FACULTY RESPONSIBILITIES
Faculty are required to approve the Learning and Service objectives reported by the student and reviewed by the site supervisor. Faculty and/or academic departments are responsible for enrolling students in the appropriate major-related internship course. Faculty design the course requirements for internship and service learning courses. Faculty offering Service Learning courses and faculty designated as the internship coordinator for an academic department are given access to the RunnerLink system where they can review individual student internship / volunteer placement reporting forms and evaluations. CECE has prepared a Faculty Handbook for Service Learning available at www.csub.edu/cece/facstaff.

7. ACCOMMODATION PLAN FOR STUDENTS WITH SPECIAL NEEDS
A general request to accommodate students with special needs is included in the Partnership Request & Risk Assessment Form. Accommodations will be reviewed and determined on an individual and as needed basis for students who have special needs. CECE will work directly with the Services for Students with Disabilities Office to ensure appropriate protocol is established in support of the needs of the individual within the parameters of the Americans with Disabilities Act.

8. EMERGENCY RESPONSE PLAN
Emergency plan information is required as part of the partnership request form, an emergency preparedness orientation for the student at the learning site is required, and the agency must keep emergency contact information for the student on file and accessible in the case of an emergency. CSUB also requires a copy of the general and professional liability insurance document.
demonstrating a minimum amount of $1,000,000 per occurrence, $2,000,000 general aggregate. The student is required to attend an orientation offered by CECE prior to beginning the internship which includes discussion of risk management issues and emergency protocols.

9. **RISK MANAGEMENT**

CSUB is supportive of internships and service learning that enhance the academic experience and support the needs of the community. The primary concern associated with applied experiences (internships, service learning and volunteer experiences that include academic credit) is **student safety**. Long-term and short-term agreements between CSUB and community organizations must include understanding and adherence to risk management issues initiated in the **Partnership Request and Risk Assessment Form** and articulated in the short-term and long-term agreements generated by CSUB and ultimately signed by the university and the partner organization. As such, all organizations that enter into agreements with CSUB agree to hold the California State University, Bakersfield, its employees and agents, free and harmless from any claims and causes of action resulting from the voluntary participation in an agreement. Organizations must agree to provide a general work site orientation and student supervision, and to make every reasonable effort to provide a safe working environment. The organization hosting a CSUB student does so accepting the student as a volunteer without providing wages. The organization does agree to assist CSUB by certifying that the student completed the minimum hours of service required by the service learning or academic internship course.

The organization is responsible for damages caused by the negligence of its directors, officers, agents, employees and duly authorized volunteers occurring in the performance of this agreement. And, CSUB shall be responsible for damages caused by the negligence of its directors, officers, employees and duly authorized volunteers. CSUB does provide professional and general liability insurance for students enrolled in service learning and academic internship courses. The **Student Academic Field Experience for Credit Liability Insurance Program (SAFECLIP)** summary of coverage can be made available to organizations upon request. The coverage commences when the student begins the agreed upon service-learning or internship activities and is valid throughout the time the student is performing service. This time period must be in alignment with the university academic calendar. It is important to note that generally, students are not volunteers of the CSU, but rather volunteers of the organization. Students are not permitted to drive a vehicle to perform duties for the organization and the university does not provide auto liability coverage for students. If a student is injured during their service assignment they should contact the Center for Community Engagement at 654-3033 or campus police 654-2111.

10. **CONTINUOUS REVIEW**

CECE will utilize student and supervisor evaluations as a mechanism to continuously review and assess learning sites, safety issues, and the quality of experiences at each site. Additionally, CECE sends a quarterly electronic newsletter to community partners with RunnerLink updates, critical
dates within the academic calendar and other information to support ongoing collaboration. Finally, CECE hosts an annual Community Engagement Conference to provide an opportunity for partners, faculty, students and staff to network and explore possible collaborations.

11. **DATA STORAGE**

University waivers signed by students are physically housed in CECE for two years, and retained in storage for seven years from the end date of participation. Internship and volunteer placement forms and evaluations are stored electronically in the RunnerLink system and are downloaded and stored electronically. Contracts are stored and maintained in the CSUB Procurement Office with a copy located in CECE. Short-term agreements (Extended Learning Plans) are physically stored at CECE for seven years.
APPENDIX A: EXECUTIVE ORDER 1064 – STUDENT INTERNSHIPS
MEMORANDUM

TO: CSU Presidents

FROM: Charles B. Reed Chancellor

SUBJECT: Student Internships—Executive Order No. 1064

Attached is a copy of Executive Order No. 1064, which establishes guidelines for campus internship policy and procedures. In accordance with policy of the California State University, the campus president has the responsibility for implementing executive orders where applicable and for maintaining the campus repository and index for all executive orders. If you have questions regarding this executive order, please contact the Office of International Programs at (562) 951-4790.

Executive Order: 1064
Effective Date: September 9, 2011
Supersedes: No Prior Executive Order
Title: Student Internships

This executive order is issued pursuant to the Standing Orders of the Board of Trustees, Section II (a) and (c). The California State University recognizes the beneficial educational purpose of student internships, as well as the need to maximize the educational experience while mitigating the risks to participants and minimizing the university’s liability exposure.

I. Purpose This executive order establishes guidelines for campus student internship policy and procedures and delegates responsibility for implementation to the campus president.

II. Delegation of Authority The president is delegated the responsibility for the development, implementation and maintenance of the campus student internship policy, and to ensure there is a means for future review of the policy that is updated and communicated to faculty and staff at appropriate intervals.

III. Terms and Definitions An internship formally integrates the student’s academic study with practical experience in a cooperating organization. It is an off-campus activity designed to serve educational purposes by offering experience in a service learning, business, non-profit, or government setting. For the purpose of this executive order
“internship” does not include teacher preparation placements or clinical placements such as for nursing, counseling, physical therapy or occupational therapy. An internship site is the organization at which the internship takes place. See “Managing Risk in Service Learning” http://www.calstate.edu/cce/resource_center/servlearn_risk.shtml for additional guidance.

IV. Campus Student Internship Policy

Each campus is required to develop, implement, maintain and publish a student internship policy governing internships where the university makes the placement. Electronic copies of internship-related documents are permissible. See technical letter RM 2011-01 and the accompanying Release of Liability Handbook.

General internship policy shall, at a minimum, includes the following:

A. Internship Planning

• Individual to be responsible for oversight of the policy;
• Academic policies for establishing an internship;
• Awarding of academic credit;
• Accommodation plan for students with special needs;
• Emergency response plan;
• Student compensation, if applicable; and
• Minimum requirements for agreements between the internship site and university.

B. Placement Assessment

Prior to placing students, an assessment of the appropriateness of the internship site as a placement for CSU students shall be conducted. A written assessment summary of the internship site shall be completed and retained by the responsible campus office and be available for review. That summary shall respond, at minimum, to the following considerations:

• The potential for the internship site to provide an educationally appropriate experience;
• Identification of the potential risks of the internship site;
• Identification of an appropriate individual from the host organization to supervise the student at the internship site;
• Evaluation of the educational environment;
• Evaluation of the potential for student academic experience and its relationship to the student’s academic study;
• Selection criteria and basic skills required of the student; and
• Agreement of internship site to meet campus expectations, including a signed placement agreement between the internship site and the CSU that addresses both the internship site’s and the campus's role in the internship, as well as the student’s responsibilities.

C. Internship Site Visits

Campus policy shall include criteria for when to conduct a site visit. The site visit may be bypassed if the campus can demonstrate and document sufficient knowledge of the internship site. This could be accomplished through online review, published materials or direct contact with the site.

D. Placement and Orientation

Before the student begins the internship, the following steps shall be completed:
• Student orientation that includes conduct expectations, health and safety instructions, and emergency contacts;
• Student emergency contact form to be completed. If the internship placement is not required as part of the student’s academic program, the student must complete the liability waiver form (see Executive Order 1051); and
• Learning agreement form signed by the student, internship site supervisor and university representative. The form addresses the work to be provided by the student, the learning outcomes, and the placement logistics (including hours and pay).

Documentation of the above items shall be retained by the campus supervising office or a designated campus office.

E. Annual Review
Campus policy shall include a plan for annual review of the internships, both for educational purposes and for safety to the students. This review should take into account information gathered from on-site supervisors, faculty, university staff, and student experience.

V. Document Retention The campus is expected to retain documents related to each internship consistent with systemwide and campus document retention guidelines. See Executive Order 1031.
It is recommended that the instructional agenda, name and contact information for the internship site, student information, and executed liability waiver be retained together after the conclusion of the semester/quarter during which the internship took place. Electronic copies of the documents are permissible. See technical letter RM 2011-01 and the accompanying Release of Liability Handbook.
APPENDIX B:
PARTNERSHIP REQUEST & RISK ASSESSMENT FORM (WORD VERSION)
PARTNERSHIP REQUEST AND RISK SELF-ASSESSMENT FORM

This form is used to determine the most appropriate option for organizations interested in hosting students who will receive academic credit for unpaid internships, service learning and volunteer activity.

Please note that unpaid experiences are best suited for non-profit organizations. For-profit organizations SHOULD carefully review federal fair labor standards and offer paid opportunities to students. For more information about Internships and the Fair Labor Standards Act, please visit: http://www.dol.gov/whd/regs/compliance/whdfs71.pdf

Please review your options for hosting student interns and volunteers:

Option 1: The SHORT-TERM OPTION (used for a maximum of two academic quarters) is developed for Internships, Service Learning or Volunteer Experiences where academic credit is offered to the student, and a specific project or short-term learning activity has been identified.

Option 2: The LONG-TERM OPTION (three-year contract) is developed for Internship, Service Learning or Volunteer Programs where academic credit is offered to the student and ongoing projects and learning activities have been identified. The long-term relationship requires a site-visit, completion of forms, photos of the site, and submission of a general liability certificate to generate a three-year contract.

Option 3: PAID INTERNSHIPS (and any other PAID opportunities) DO NOT require an agreement between the organization and CSUB. If you select a Paid Internship please STOP HERE. Please exit this site and visit www.csub.edu/cece to open a RUNNERLINK Employer account and to post the paid opportunity. For additional assistance, please contact (661)654-3033.

If you are unsure of the most appropriate option for your organization, please contact CECE at (661) 654-3033.

Question 1
PLEASE SELECT YOUR PREFERRED OPTION TO HOST STUDENT INTERNS AND VOLUNTEERS. The Short-Term Option creates a temporary agreement between CSUB and the organization. The Long-Term Option creates a three-year contract whereby the organization regularly receives interns and volunteers.

I would like to: Initiate a Short-Term Relationship Initiate a Long-Term Relationship

Question 2
Organization name

Question 3
Is your Organization: Non-Profit, Government, For-Profit, K-12 School, Other - please specify

Question 4
Please provide a brief description of your organization / mission statement.
Question 5
Contact person, Title

Question 6
Email address for contact person

Question 7
Mailing address for contact person

Question 8
Telephone number for contact person

Question 9
Website address for organization

Question 10
Issues addressed by the organization (check all that apply):

Question 11
What is the minimum number of hours you would prefer from a student in service per 10-week quarter?

Question 12
Days and Hours your organization will accept students for service.

Question 13
Please include name, title, email address and telephone number for all individuals who will supervise students.

Question 14
Do you have multiple service sites?

Question 15
If you have multiple sites, will students serve at other sites?

Question 16
Please describe project(s) and other possible learning activities for student interns and volunteers.
Question 17
Does your organization require fingerprinting and/or a background check for student interns and volunteers?

Question 18
If your organization does require fingerprinting and/or a background check, who is responsible for paying for the process?

Question 19
Can your organization accommodate CSUB students with special needs?

Question 20
Are there specific majors you prefer (please check all that apply)
CSUB List of Majors

Question 21
Will the student(s) be supervised at least 50% of the time?

Question 22
Will the student(s) be working with “behaviorally challenged” populations?

Question 23
Will students be working unsupervised with minors?

Question 24
Will the students be working with individuals who have a known criminal background or history of violent behavior?

Question 25
Would the learning site location be described as a high-crime area, or are there concerns about the parking and work areas being secure or adequately illuminated?

Question 26
Have there been any incidents of criminal activity at the organization within the last year?

Question 27
Are there concerns with the site’s physical location; such as physical, environmental, or inherent hazards that are not addressed adequately by training and security measures?

Question 28
Does the placement require working with any hazardous materials, bodily fluids, heavy equipment, or heavy machinery?

Question 29
Are there any concerns as to the Learning Site’s Emergency plan or regarding non-working fire-rated doors or blockages to the exits and hallways?

**Question 30**
Will the Learning Site’s emergency plan be made available to CSUB upon request?

**Question 31**
Is there anything else not covered that might impact the safety and well-being of the students?

**Question 32**
The organization will provide the general liability certificate to CSUB upon request.

**Question 33**
The organization agrees to keep emergency contact information for the student learner for the duration of the learning experience.

**Question 34**
CSUB provides an orientation to all students in service who are earning academic credit. Will the organization also provide an orientation to the learning site?

**Question 35**
In the event that additional, unforeseen risks become apparent, the organization must agree to timely communicate all risk-related concerns to the university. Please indicate the organization’s acceptance of this requirement.

**Question 36**
By providing my E-signature below, I verify that to the best of my knowledge all responses on this form are accurate and true.

**Question 37**
Please include today’s date.
Appendix C: CSUB Risk Management Rubric
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<td>Is there anything else not covered that might impact the safety and well-being of the students? <strong>Describe</strong></td>
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<td>In the event that additional, unforeseen risks become apparent, the organization must agree to timely communicate all risk-related concerns to the university. Accept?</td>
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**Notes**

If all responses are checked in the first column, a site visit is not necessary for a short-term agreement. All long-term agreements (3 year contracts) require a site-visit.
Appendix D:
Short-Term Agreement Sample
California State University, Bakersfield
Center for Community Engagement & Career Education (CECE)

Short-Term Agreement
(Extended Learning Plan)

Student Name: ___________________________ Student ID#: ___________________________
Address: ________________________________________________________________________
_______________________________________________________________________________
Phone #: ___________________________ Email: _______________________________________
Faculty Supervisor / Course Instructor: ___________________________ Quarter and Year: ____________
Organization/ Company Name: ___________________________ Site Supervisor: _______________________
E-Mail: ___________________________ Phone #: ___________________________
Address: ________________________________________________________________________

Total Number of Hours for the Quarter: __________ Start Date: __________ End Date: __________

Learning Objectives: What are the learning objectives of this service experience? What do you want to learn as a result of this service experience?
_______________________________________________________________________________
_______________________________________________________________________________
_______________________________________________________________________________
_______________________________________________________________________________

Service Objectives: Identify and describe the nature of the service activities in which you will be engaged. The service objectives should be designed to help you work toward your learning objectives.
_______________________________________________________________________________
_______________________________________________________________________________
_______________________________________________________________________________
_______________________________________________________________________________
THE SITE SUPERVISOR (COMMUNITY BASED ORGANIZATION):
Agrees to guide this student’s work and to submit a brief final evaluation of his/her achievement upon request.

Agrees to discuss any concerns about the student’s performance with him/her directly, and with the course supervisor, a CECE staff member, or other appropriate university personnel as necessary.

Agrees to hold the California State University, Bakersfield, its employees and agents, free and harmless from any claims and causes of action resulting from our voluntary participation in this short-term agreement. We agree to provide general work site orientation and supervision and to make every reasonable effort to provide a safe working environment. We understand that we are accepting the student as a volunteer, that we are not responsible for providing wages, but agree to assist California State University, Bakersfield by certifying that the student completed the minimum hours of service required by the service learning or academic internship course.

The community-based organization (CBO) shall be responsible for damages caused by the negligence of its directors, officers, agents, employees and duly authorized volunteers occurring in the performance of this agreement. California State University, Bakersfield shall be responsible for damages caused by the negligence of its directors, officers, employees and duly authorized volunteers occurring in the performance of this agreement. It is the intention of the community-based organization and the University that the provision of this paragraph be interpreted to impose on each party responsibility for the negligence of their respective directors, officers, employees and duly authorized volunteers. The University does provide professional and general liability insurance for students enrolled in service-learning and academic internship courses. The coverage commences when the student begins the agreed upon service-learning or internship activities and is valid throughout the time the student is performing service. This time period must be in alignment with the university academic calendar. Students MUST sign in at the CBO each time they provide service and may only serve at the site during the specified dates noted in this document.

Generally, students are not volunteers of the CSU, but rather volunteers of the community-based organization. Students may not engage in the service learning / internship until all signatures are collected and the learning plan is complete. Students are not permitted to drive a vehicle to perform duties for the CBO. Please note, the university does not provide auto liability coverage for students. If a student is injured during their service assignment they should contact the Center for Community Engagement at 654-3033 or campus police 654-2111.

My signature below indicates I have thoroughly reviewed the information contained in this document and agree to the terms for a short-term relationship between my organization and CSU Bakersfield.

Site Supervisor Signature:_______________________________________ Date:________________
(Note to Site Supervisor: If you are aware of specific and/or considerable risk factors present at this agency and/or placement, it is advisable to list them here.)

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**The Student:**

The Student agrees to abide by the following Guidelines and Limitations:

**Guidelines:**

- **Ask for help when in doubt:** Your site supervisor understands the issues at your site and you are encouraged to approach him/her with problems or questions as they arise. He/She can assist you in determining the best way to respond to difficult or uncomfortable situations. Feel free to contact your professor or the service learning office with questions concerning your placement.

- **Be punctual and responsible:** Although you are volunteering your time, you are participating in the organization as a reliable, trustworthy and contributing member of the team. Both the administrators and the person(s) whom you serve rely on your punctuality and commitment to completing your service hours/project throughout your partnership.

- **Call if you anticipate lateness or absence:** Call the site supervisor if you are unable to come in or if you anticipate being late. Be mindful of your commitment; people are counting on you.

- **Respect the privacy of all clients:** If you are privy to confidential information with regard to the person(s) with whom you are working (i.e. organizational files, diagnostics, personal stories, etc.), it is vital that you treat it as privileged information. You should use pseudonyms in your course assignments if you are referring to clients or the people you work with at the service site.

- **Show respect for the community-based organization you work for:** Placement within community programs is an educational opportunity and a privilege. Keep in mind, not only are you serving the community but the community is serving you by investing valuable resources in your learning. Inappropriate behavior, as defined by your organization’s guidelines and operating procedures, can be grounds for reassignment or termination of your service assignment.

- **Be appropriate:** You are in a work situation and are expected to treat your supervisor and others with courtesy and kindness. Dress neatly and appropriately. Use formal names unless instructed otherwise. Set a positive standard for other students to follow as part of CSUB’s ongoing Service Learning and Internship Program.

- **Be flexible:** The level or intensity of activity at a service site is not always predictable. Your flexibility to changing situations can assist the partnership in working smoothly and producing positive outcomes for everyone involved.

**Limitations**

- **DON’T** report to your service site under the influence of drugs or alcohol.
- **DON’T** give or loan a client, money or other personal belongings.
- **DON’T** make promises or commitments to a client you cannot keep.
- **DON’T** give a client or agency representative a ride in a personal vehicle.
- **DON’T** tolerate verbal exchange of a sexual nature or engage in behavior that might be perceived as sexual with a client or community organization representative.
DON'T tolerate verbal exchange or engage in behavior that might be perceived as discriminating against an individual on the basis of their age, race, gender, sexual orientation, ability, or ethnicity.

DON'T engage in any type of business with clients during the term of your service.

DON'T enter into personal relationships with a client or community partner representative during the term of your service.

* If you feel that your rights have been or may be violated, or that any of the above stated limitations have been violated please contact the site supervisor and/or instructor.

The Student:

I ____________________________________ (student name) agree to the following:

- To act in a responsible manner while representing California State University at the service learning / internship site, and abide by all rules and regulations that govern the site in which he/she has been placed.
- I understand the connection between the service-learning / academic internship course, and the service and learning objectives to be fulfilled at the service site.
- Have or will participate in an orientation.
- Have read the above stated guidelines and limitations and understands his/her role as a service-learning student / intern in working with the community partner.

Understand and acknowledge the risks involved with this service placement, and enter into this service-learning / intern placement fully informed and aware. *(Note to Faculty: If you are aware of specific and/or considerable risk factors present at this agency and/or placement, it is advisable to list them here.)*

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- Agree to devote a total of ______ hours during the _______________ quarter in order to fulfill the service objectives described above.
- Agree to complete any forms, evaluations or other paperwork required by either the course or the site supervisor.
- I have read and understand the entire learning plan.

Student Signature: ________________________________ Date: ________________

**FACULTY/COURSE SUPERVISOR:**

I have examined and approved this learning plan.

Faculty/Course Supervisor
Signature: ________________________________ Date: ________________

CECE Representative
Signature: ________________________________ Date: ________________
Appendix E: Sample Contract (Three-Year Agreement)
Service-Learning and Internship Agreement

The following agreement is established for the purpose of creating applied learning experiences for students. This includes service learning and academic internships.

This agreement (“Agreement”) is between the Trustees of the California State University on behalf of California State University, Bakersfield (“University”) and __________________________ (“Learning Site”). In consideration of the mutual promises set forth below, the University and Learning Site (“parties”) agree as follows:

I. Learning Site’s Responsibilities
   A. Identify the student’s supervisor. The supervisor agrees to meet with the student regularly to facilitate the student’s learning experience, provide support, review progress on assigned tasks, verify service hours and give feedback.
   B. Provide an orientation that includes a site tour; an introduction to staff; a description of the characteristics of and risks associated with the Learning Site’s operations, services and/or clients; a discussion concerning safety policies and emergency procedures; and information detailing where students check-in and how they log their time.
   C. Provide student with a written description of the student’s tasks and responsibilities.
   D. Provide appropriate training, equipment, materials and work area for students prior to students performing assigned tasks or working with the Learning Site’s clients.
   E. Inform student of the need for a background check, fingerprinting and/or a tuberculosis test; obtain the student’s fingerprints, background check and/or tuberculosis test; and maintain the confidentiality of any results as required by federal and state law.
   F. Evaluate the student if requested by the University and contact the University if the student fails to perform assigned tasks or engages in misconduct.
   G. Notify the University as soon as is reasonably possible of any injury or illness to a student participating in a learning activity at the Learning Site.
   H. The learning site will not request transportation assistance from students. Students are not to provide transportation as part of the internship/service learning duties.

II. University’s Responsibilities
   A. The University will advise the student(s) of their responsibility to:
      1. Participate in all training required by the Learning Site.
      2. Exhibit professional, ethical and appropriate behavior when at the Learning Site.
      3. Complete all assigned tasks and responsibilities in a timely and efficient manner.
      4. Abide by the Learning Site’s rules and standards of conduct.
      5. Maintain the confidentiality of the Learning Site’s proprietary information, records and information concerning its clients.
B. The University will advise student that neither the University nor the Learning Site assumes any financial responsibility in the event he/she is injured or becomes ill as a result of his/her participation in a learning activity at the Learning Site.

C. Provide the student with general and professional liability insurance in the amount of $1,000,000 per occurrence, $2,000,000 general aggregate. This insurance only applies if both parties have signed this Agreement.

III. General Provisions
A. This Agreement will become effective as of [date] and continue for a period of 3 years unless terminated by either party after giving the other party 30 days written notice of the intent to terminate. If the Learning Site terminates this Agreement, it will permit any student working at the Learning Site at the time of termination to complete his/her work. At the 3 year termination date the agreement can be renewed once it has been reviewed, updated as applicable and executed by the appropriate parties.

B. The Learning Site and the University agree to indemnify, defend and hold harmless each other from any and all liability for any personal injury, damages, wrongful death or other losses and costs, including but not limited to reasonable attorney fees and defense costs, arising out of the negligence or willful misconduct of their respective officers, employees, agents or volunteers in the performance of this Agreement. This paragraph will survive expiration or termination of this Agreement.

C. Each party agrees to maintain general liability coverage of at least $1,000,000 per occurrence, $2,000,000 aggregate and to provide evidence of coverage upon request. Insurance must be placed with insurers with a current A.M. Best rating of at least A: VII.

D. The Learning Site and the University will meet upon request or as necessary to resolve any potential conflicts and to facilitate a mutually beneficial experience for all involved.

E. The Learning Site may dismiss a student if the student violates its standards, mission or goals. The Learning Site will document its rationale for terminating a student and provide the University with a copy of the rationale within 48 hours of the dismissal.

F. Students participating in a learning activity at the Learning Site are not officers, employees, agents or volunteers of the University or the Learning Site.

G. Nothing contained in this Agreement confers on either party the right to use the other party’s name without prior written permission, or constitutes an endorsement of any commercial product or service by the University.

H. This Agreement may not be altered unless both parties agree in writing. The parties agree to follow all applicable federal, state and local laws and regulations, including but not limited to laws prohibiting discrimination and harassment.

I. Governing Law. The validity, interpretation, and performance of the Agreement shall be governed by and construed in accordance with the laws of the State of California.

J. Any notices required by this Agreement will be deemed to have been duly given if communicated to the following individuals:
UNIVERSITY:

Name
Director, Service Learning
Telephone Number
Email Address

LEARNING SITE:

Name
Title
Telephone Number
Email Address

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, this Agreement has been executed by the parties as of the date last written below.

CALIFORNIA STATE UNIVERSITY,

By:
Authorized Signature  Date
Printed Name & Title

NAME OF LEARNING SITE

By:
Authorized Signature  Date
Printed Name & Title
Appendix F:
Summary of Student Coverage: SAFECLIP Insurance Program
STUDENT ACADEMIC FIELD EXPERIENCE for CREDIT LIABILITY INSURANCE PROGRAM (SAFECLIP)

Coverage Summary
This is a “claims-made” policy. Coverage is only provided for claims which are both: (1) first made against the Insured during the Policy Period; and (2) reported to the Carrier as soon as practicable, but not later than 3 years after the Policy Period. Coverage is only provided for claims arising from Professional Services which are rendered or Incidents which occurred during the Policy Period.

Named Insured: The California State University (CSU), all campuses
Carrier: Lloyd’s, London
Policy #: B0146LDUSA1104001
Coverage Period: July 1, 2011 to July 1, 2012
Insureds: California State University (CSU)
All campuses of the CSU
Employees, Faculty, Staff of the CSU
CSU Students enrolled in required credited coursework.

*Enrolled Students mean students who are enrolled and in good standing while completing an internship and registered/enrolled in a course that requires the internship experience, including academic breaks during the policy period. Enrolled Students also include students who have not received a letter grade in a course (e.g., assigned an “Incomplete”), but remain registered for that course until the Incomplete objectives are met, but for no more than one (1) year from the granting of the Incomplete.

Additional Insureds: Any affiliate institution to whom the Named Insured is obligated by written agreement to provide such coverage as is afforded by this policy.

NOTES:
1. Students enrolled in Nursing, Allied Health, Social Work, or Education credential programs of the CSU who also perform community service or volunteer work for academic credit are covered by this Student Professional Liability Insurance Program (SPLIP) at no additional premium.
2. Other CSU students performing community service or volunteer work for academic credit and students enrolled in radio, television or film academic programs of the CSU are separately covered by the Student Academic Field Experience for Credit Liability Insurance Program (SAFECLIP). Please refer to SAFECLIP summary for details.

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Coverage:  
A. General Liability  
B. Professional Liability  

Cost:  
$5.00 per student performing community service or volunteer work for academic credit and/or students in Radio, Television or Film academic Programs. This flat rate is non-refundable, and is not subject to a prorate premium return if student is enrolled for less than one year.

Coverage Limits:  
$1,000,000 each Loss  
$2,000,000 Aggregate for all Covered Parties, and not per student.

Member’s Deductible:  
None

Description:  
Covers General Liability and Professional Liability of CSU enrolled students performing community service or volunteer work for academic credit; and students enrolled in radio, television or film credential programs of the CSU.

Coverage Extensions:  
1. Legal Representation: defense cost included for covered claims.  
2. Personal Injury Liability: protects up to the Coverage Limits against covered claims arising from charges of privacy violation, libel, slander, assault & battery, and other alleged personal injuries.  
3. School Grievance/ Academic Disciplinary Hearings: reimburses for expenses incurred for defense of a school grievance or academic disciplinary hearing or proceeding; $5,000 per proceeding; $100,000 aggregate.  
4. Damage to Property of Others: for damage caused accidentally by a Covered Party to the property of others at your location; $5,000 per incident; $100,000 aggregate.

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Coverage

Extensions (cont’d):

5. **Assault Coverage**: covers your medical expenses or reimburses you for damage to your property if you are assaulted at your location; $5,000 per incident; $100,000 aggregate.

6. **Medical Payments**: reimbursement of medical expenses to others injured on your location; $5,000 per incident; $100,000 aggregate.

7. **First Aid Expenses**: for expenses you incur in rendering first aid to others: $5,000 per defendant; $100,000 aggregate.

8. **Defendant Expense Benefit**: reimburses you for lost wages and other expenses incurred when you attend a required trial, hearing or proceeding as a defendant in a covered claim: $5,000 per defendant; $100,000 aggregate.

**No Exclusion for:**

Sexual Harassment, Abuse or Molestation
Corporal Punishment

**Claims/Incident Reporting:**

Enrolled Student shall immediately provide written notice of any incident which may result in a claim under this policy to:

Office of Systemwide Risk Management
The California State University
Office of the Chancellor
401 Golden Shore Blvd., 5th Floor
Long Beach, CA 90802-4210

Phone: 562-951-4580
Fax: 562-951-4859

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**SERVICE LEARNING COURSES**, including but not limited to:

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The following course work are not covered under this Student Academic Field Experience for Credit Liability Insurance Program (SAFECLIP), but are covered under the Student Professional Liability Insurance Program (SPLIP):

**NURSING, ALLIED HEALTH, SOCIAL WORK, including:**
- Audiology
- Occupational Therapy
- Counseling
- Physical Therapy
- Food and Nutrition Psychology
- Health Professions
- Recreation Therapy
- Kinesiology and Exercise Physiology
- Social Work
- Nursing
- Speech Therapy

**EDUCATION, TEACHING PROFESSIONS, including:**
- Education
- Education Psychology
- Elementary Education
- Secondary Education
- Special Education
Appendix G: Internship / Volunteer Student Guide
COURSE ENROLLMENT

- **Psychology** majors are enrolled in Psych 496/497 by completing a contract at the CECE orientation.
- **All other majors**, contact the internship coordinator for your major or your faculty advisor to discuss and process enrollment for the appropriate internship course. *(Please note: CECE does not enroll students for internship courses. Course enrollment happens through your academic department.)*
- Community Service Learning - GST 207A, B and C students enroll directly through MyCSUB

REQUIRED ORIENTATION

- Orientation is REQUIRED. Orientation sessions are listed in RunnerLink: Log in to your account, Click Career Events, Click Orientation to view the schedule. *You will be required to sign a University Liability Release form once you have secured your placement site. The liability release form must be submitted to CECE before you begin your internship/service hours.*
- You may begin the application process prior to attending orientation. However, you must attend orientation before you begin your internship/volunteer activity. Failure to attend orientation can void your internship/volunteer experience.

(***Psychology majors*** who receive approval to use their current employer to meet the internship requirement will enroll in Psychology 497, attend orientation, and report your placement in RunnerLink. To request approval to use current employment to meet the internship requirement, please contact Dr. Tanya Boone at tboone@csub.edu).

APPLYING FOR A POSITION

A. REGISTER on RunnerLink at www.csub.edu/cece.

B. UPLOAD your resume into the RunnerLink system.
   - Click the Account/Documents tab and follow instructions to add your resume. (Please note: the resume review requires 1 – 4 business days to review and make active.)

C. REVIEW INTERNSHIPS & VOLUNTEER POSTINGS IN RUNNERLINK
   - Click the Search Jobs/Internships/Volunteer tab in your RunnerLink account.
   - Locate Position Type – Click on Internships or Volunteer.
   - Select from approved agencies and organizations for your internship or volunteer experience
   - Identify an approved agency by looking for “academic credit” noted near the position title or in the position description.

D. APPLY to 3 – 5 approved organizations by submitting your resume through RunnerLink.
   - Please include a message identifying yourself as a CSUB student when you submit your resume. Included in the position description is a sample message for you to send along with your resume.

E. ACCEPTING AN OFFER – Organizations use a variety of selection criteria, which may include an interview. The organization will inform you of your acceptance. Confirm your acceptance. Once you accept an opportunity, you must stay with that organization. *Refusing an offer once accepted is unacceptable and extremely unprofessional.*
MEET WITH YOUR SITE SUPERVISOR
Meet with your site supervisor within the **first two weeks** of the quarter and discuss your LEARNING & SERVICE OBJECTIVES, as well as any UNUSUAL RISKS at this placement site. **OBTAIN your Site Supervisor’s EMAIL ADDRESS. You will enter answers to the following questions in RunnerLink:**

- What do you hope to learn from this experience about the agency, about the challenges and assets of the population with whom you will be working, about yourself, about your community, and how does this connect to your course work?
- Identify and describe the nature of the service activities in which you will be engaged. The service objectives should be designed to help you work toward your learning objectives.
- List any unusual risks associated with this placement.

REPORT YOUR PLACEMENT IN RUNNERLINK
- Log in to your RunnerLink Account at www.csub.edu/cece
- **Click the Report an Internship / Volunteer Placement link** on your homepage in RunnerLink.
- Complete the Placement Form **within the first two weeks of the start of the quarter**, and include your site supervisor name and email address.
- The placement form is sent from RunnerLink to your site supervisor for review and approval. Your site supervisor will receive a link to the form from the following email address: career@csub.edu.
- Once e-signed by your site supervisor, the placement form is then forwarded to your course instructor for a final review.
- To view the signatures and the date the form was signed by your site supervisor and instructor please log in to your RunnerLink student account, Click VIEW ACTIVITY, Click INTERNSHIP RECORD, Click VIEW, Scroll to the bottom of the page to view the signature status.

CECE TIME LOG & COURSE ASSIGNMENTS
- The Time Log is completed by you using the paper form. Please deliver to CECE by the last day of regular classes for the quarter.
- Assignments are determined and managed by your instructor.

STUDENT & SUPERVISOR EVALUATIONS
At the completion of the quarter, Student and Supervisor Evaluations are automatically sent to you and your site supervisor from RunnerLink using the career@csub.edu email address.
- To view your evaluation, please log in to your RunnerLink account and Click VIEW ACTIVITY, Click SURVEY RESPONSES to review your student evaluation.
- To view the supervisor evaluation, Click VIEW ACTIVITY, Click INTERNSHIP RECORD, Click VIEW.

**All documents and forms can be found inside the Resource Library in RunnerLink.**

CHECKLIST
___ I opened a RunnerLink Account & attended MANDATORY Orientation
___ I processed all requirements for enrollment in the appropriate course
___ I secured an intern / volunteer placement
___ I completed the Release of Liability Form (Waiver) and delivered to CECE before my internship/volunteer hours begin
___ I met with my site supervisor to discuss learning and service objectives and any unusual risks
___ I reported my Internship/Volunteer placement in RunnerLink
___ I completed all course assignments
___ I submitted my Time-Log to CECE by the last day of class for the quarter
___ I completed my student evaluation sent to me by RunnerLink toward the end of the quarter
Appendix H: Standard University Waiver
RELEASE OF LIABILITY, PROMISE NOT TO SUE, ASSUMPTION OF RISK
AND AGREEMENT TO PAY CLAIMS

Activity: _________________________________________________________________

Activity Date(s) and Time(s):
________________________________________________

Activity Location(s): _______________________________________________________

In consideration for being allowed to participate in this Activity, on behalf of myself and my
next of kin, heirs and representatives, I release from all liability and promise not to sue the State of California, the Trustees of The California State University, California State University, Bakersfield and their employees, officers, directors, volunteers and agents (collectively “University”) from any and all claims, including claims of the University’s negligence, resulting in any physical or psychological injury (including paralysis and death), illness, damages, or economic or emotional loss I may suffer because of my participation in this Activity, including travel to, from and during the Activity. I am voluntarily participating in this Activity. I am aware of the risks associated with traveling to/from and participating in this Activity, which include but are not limited to physical or psychological injury, pain, suffering, illness, disfigurement, temporary or permanent disability (including paralysis), economic or emotional loss, and/or death. I understand that these injuries or outcomes may arise from my own or other’s actions, inaction, or negligence; conditions related to travel; or the condition of the Activity location(s). Nonetheless, I assume all related risks, both known or unknown to me, of my participation in this Activity, including travel to, from and during the Activity.

I agree to hold the University harmless from any and all claims, including attorney’s fees or damage to my personal property that may occur as a result of my participation in this Activity, including travel to, from and during the Activity. If the University incurs any of these types of expenses, I agree to reimburse the University. If I need medical treatment, I agree to be financially responsible for any costs incurred as a result of such treatment. I am aware and understand that I should carry my own health insurance.

I have been advised that I am responsible for my own transportation and associated expenses, and that I am not to provide transportation as part of my internship/service learning duties, and that doing so may place myself at risk for
potential liability should an incident occur. I have been advised, that if at any
time during my internship/service learning experience, I feel that I have been
asked to do something that is not consistent with the Internship/Service
Learning Agreement, I am to report to the CECE Administrator.

I am 18 years or older. I understand the legal consequences of signing
this document, including (a) releasing the University from all
liability, (b) promising not to sue the University, (c) and assuming
all risks of participating in this Activity, including travel to, from
and during the Activity.

I understand that this document is written to be as broad and inclusive as
legally permitted by the State of California. I agree that if any portion is held
invalid or unenforceable, I will continue to be bound by the remaining terms.

I have read this document, and I am signing it freely. No other
representations concerning the legal effect of this document have
been made to me.

Participant Signature:
____________________________________________________

Participant Name (print): __________________________ Date: _____________

If Participant is under 18 years of age:
I am the parent or legal guardian of the Participant. I understand the
legal consequences of signing this document, including (a)
releasing the University from all liability on my and the
Participant’s behalf, (b) promising not to sue on my and the
Participant’s behalf, (c) and assuming all risks of the
Participant’s participation in this Activity, including travel to,
from and during the Activity.

I allow Participant to participate in this Activity. I understand that I am
responsible for the obligations and acts of Participant as described in this
document. I agree to be bound by the terms of this document.

I have read this two-page document, and I am signing it freely.
No other representations concerning the legal effect of this
document have been made to me.

Signature of Minor Participant’s Parent/Guardian:
____________________________________________________

Name of Minor Participant’s Parent/Guardian (print):
APPENDIX I:
INTERNSHIP / VOLUNTEER
Placement Reporting
Form
Internship/Volunteer Placement Reporting Form

The report an internship placement form MUST be submitted within the first two weeks of the quarter. ALL students participating in an internship MUST attend a mandatory orientation session prior to completing this form. Failure to submit this form could result in the loss of the internship. ORIENTATION DATES are listed in the Calendar and Career Events section of RunnerLink.

Timeline Information

Position Title:

Start Date:

End Date:

Position Type:

Is this an academic internship?

Paid Internship Salary:

Pay Per Period:

Work Information

Site Supervisor:
Address Line 1:
Address Line 2:
City:
State/Province:
Zip:
Phone:
Fax:
Supervisor Email:

Please discuss your learning and service objectives with your site supervisor, and then complete this section. Please include what you hope to learn, how you will serve this organization, and how this experience connects to your coursework. (Learning objectives might include your interest in observing the agency, the challenges and assets of the population with whom you will be working, about yourself, about your community, etc.) Your site supervisor will review this section and sign off that your learning objectives are approved.
Internship Information

Learning Objectives:

Service Objectives:

Internship Course:
Number of Units:
Internship Course Instructor Name:
Internship Course Instructor Email:
Prior to beginning your placement, please review the guidelines and limitations document located at the following link:
https://www.myinterfase.com/csub/resources/resource_view.aspx?token=5H+s4rDGiABUJLOchFdggA%3d%3d

Please note that you are required to carefully read the Guidelines & Limitations document, and that by submitting the Internship Reporting form, you agree to the provisions in this form. Also, please note that you are required to note any unusual risks associated with your placement on this form. If you are unaware of any risks, please leave this portion of the form blank.

Miscellaneous Information

Risk 1:
Risk 2:
Risk 3:
Total # of hours I agree to devote per week:
Total # of hours I agree to devote for the Quarter:
Appendix J: Supervisor & Student Evaluations
Supervisor’s Evaluation of Student

Student: ____________________________ Quarter & Year: ________________

Supervisor (Please Print): ____________________________

Site: ______________________________________________

Please evaluate the work performance of the student that you supervised. In addition to providing a verification of the student’s service learning experience, your candid feedback may provide information that will help the student identify both strengths and weaknesses. Please feel free to discuss any of your comments with the student. If you have any questions or concerns, contact the CSUB Center for Community Engagement & Career Education (CECE) at (661) 654-3033.

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<td>◐ Usually adheres to professional ethical standards</td>
<td>◐ Developing—gives input confidently; completes tasks on time; respects differing points of view; helps to build consensus</td>
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<td>◐ Beginner—joins group cooperatively; listens to group members; prepared for group meetings; contributes to end product</td>
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Interpersonal Skills

- Exemplary—almost always displays empathy, self-control, friendliness, generosity, cooperation, helpfulness, and respect
- Accomplished—Usually displays empathy, self-control, friendliness, generosity, cooperation, helpfulness, and respect
- Developing—Sometimes displays empathy, self-control, friendliness, generosity, cooperation, helpfulness, and respect
- Beginning—Rarely displays empathy, self-control, friendliness, generosity, cooperation, helpfulness, and respect

Recommendation for Course Credit

- Student met or exceeded the hours expected for course credit
- Student did not meet the hours expected for course credit

Explain:

What would you say are the student’s strongest assets?

In your view, what areas might the student improve upon?

Other comments (use additional page if necessary):

Supervisor’s Signature: ___________________________ Date: ______________
Student Evaluation of Applied Experience

Student: ___________________________ Quarter/Year: ______________________
Immediate Supervisor: ___________________________ Title: ______________________
Company/Agency: ___________________________

This evaluation will be important in determining the value of your work experience, both for yourself and for future students in future assignments. The evaluation should be honest and indicate problems as well as your progress during the period. Please add your evaluative remarks on the reverse side so that we can counsel with you and the organization to improve and maintain the program.

Rate yourself and the placement experience on the following items by placing an “X” in the appropriate box.

Educational value of placement
- Exceptional opportunity
- Worthwhile experience
- Not very useful for me; might help some
- Probably of no value

My technical skills
- Were more than required
- Were adequate
- Were less than they should have been

My full potential
- I eagerly sought to gain the maximum from the experience
- I usually tried to get the most from the experience
- I did not do anything extra
- I did as little as possible

Position’s relationship to initial job description
- Experience closely matches description
- Experience mostly matches description
- Little relationship between experience and description
- No relationship between experience and description

Relation of experience to major
- Very closely related; clarified topics
- Usually illustrated theories/concepts
- Seldom offered opportunity to relate
- No relationship between major and placement

My attitude
- I showed real enthusiasm and initiative
- I was willing when told to do something
- I lacked interest and initiative
- I refused all but assigned duties

Supervisor’s attitude toward student
- Encouraged spirit of inquiry, helpful
- Willing, but did not go out of his/her way
- Seemed to see students as “in the way”
- Actively rejected students

Supervisor’s availability when needed for questions
- Always
- Sometimes
- Hardly ever
- Never; had to seek help elsewhere
Supervisor’s willingness/capacity to answer questions
- Helpful and informative
- Somewhat informative
- Unhelpful, uncommunicative
- Don’t know—I did not seek much help

Self-Knowledge
- I learned a great deal about myself as a result of this experience
- I learned a little bit about myself through this experience
- I learned nothing about myself as a result of this experience

Supervisor’s receptiveness to new ideas you might have had
- Implemented suggestions
- Gave reasonable thought without implementation
- Did not want to hear them
- I did not offer any new ideas

Value of experience in terms of career planning
- Exceptional opportunity
- Worthwhile experience
- Not very useful for me; might help some
- Probably of no value

Briefly describe Placement Assignment(s).

Briefly describe how your work assignments relate to academic courses taken in school.

What were your learning objectives? Did you accomplish them?

Did you experience any problems in the placement?

Briefly describe any improvements you feel are needed with your placement and/or the program.

Please evaluate your overall performance:

Outstanding □ Above Average □ Average □ Below Average □ Unsatisfactory □

Student’s Signature: ___________________________ Date: ___________________________

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