FR3880/3881 INTERNSHIP FOR CREDIT
(4 credit hours)

Description

Vanderbilt in France offers students the opportunity to take an internship for credit. The internship allows students to work with a French organization in Aix. The student must be motivated to interact within a French team. Here are a few examples of the internships you can select:
- Internship at the Musée Cézanne
- Internship in Anthropology
- Internship with the modern dance company Preljocaj
- Internship to explore French education
- Internship in a winery, etc...

For students with little or no French VIF offers internship in education (English courses taught in French in elementary schools or high schools) or at the Red Cross. VIF will make sure to find an internship to fit the students’ needs and academic requirements.

Schedule

Between six to eight hours every week (to be confirmed with the internship coordinator and Mme Monchal). The student is required to go every week and inform the coordinator and the director of possible absences (winter break and spring break.) Attendance is mandatory. After two unexcused absences the grade will be lowered.

Evaluation

The internship coordinator will be in touch with Mme Monchal to supervise the work throughout the semester. The final grade will also be based on attendance, motivation, progress in French and capacity to adapt to a work environment. The student must write a 20 pages paper describing the organization in which he/she did the internship (historical background, organization description, objectives and a possible comparison with an equivalent American organization. The second part of the report will be dedicated to the work achieved by the student during his internship (objectives, methodology, projects, personal impressions).