

The SCB Internship Experience

Working closely with Mary Sakin, the Director of Placement and Outreach, PDP helps Silberman students become internship-ready. Building and nurturing relationships with corporations and alumni, we maximize opportunities for our students. By actively matching students to job positions, these opportunities lead to internships — the critical gateway for full-time employment.



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The Importance of Student Involvement

The Professional Development Program incorporates students' feedback and input. Students work along with faculty to discuss the structure and events associated with PDP. A group of students known as PDP Ambassadors helps spread the word within SCB and provides input on behalf of the student body on new activities and the program in general, so as to increase the value of the program for students. The Professional Development Program has become a highly valued and integral component of the SCB Undergraduate experience through the coordinated effort of students, faculty, and staff.



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A Unique Pillar of the Silberman College Experience





PDP Program Objectives

1. Enhance the readiness of SCB undergraduate students to succeed as professionals upon graduation
2. Foster students' development of a set of skills, knowledge, and capabilities essential for success upon graduation, complementing the academic and technical foundation provided by the curriculum
3. Build students' confidence and maturity as they transition from the role of student to that of professional — from "Backpack to Briefcase"
4. Facilitate ways our students can benefit from the University's co-curricular resources and opportunities for professional enrichment and development
5. Enhance the overall quality of undergraduate business students' experience

Corporate Engagement

We are partnering with professionals from numerous companies for internships and participation in our events and workshops:



PDP has held numerous, stellar events in the past few years. Among the many topics that have been covered are:

- Personal branding and social media
- Maintaining a professional image
- Dressing for success
- Career Intensive workshops
- Resume building
- Interview preparation
- Navigating career fairs
- Networking for success
- Career Panels with FDU alumni
...and much more!



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