WOODBURY INTEGRATED STUDENT EXPERIENCE (WISE)

INTERNSHIP / WORK EXPERIENCE

DEFINITION:

An internship or work experience is in the field of study under the supervision of an experienced professional in the field of each program. The purpose is to provide opportunities to take theoretical ideas of the discipline and apply them to a professional environment to increase the students’ marketability and to inform their continuing academic studies.

INTERNSHIP / WORK EXPERIENCE LEARNING OUTCOMES:

1. **Quality of Work**
   Applies knowledge and skills to master assigned tasks and contribute at the highest level toward meeting organization’s goals and objectives.

2. **Initiative and Creativity**
   Exhibits agency applying problem-solving competencies, seeking new challenges, and proposing innovative ideas and options.

3. **Communication**
   Develops effective communication strategies to successfully engage in a professional environment. Articulates clearly the organizational values to both internal and external clients.

4. **Analytical/Critical Thinking**
   Discerns, analyzes and evaluates relevant information and contexts to develop alternatives and creative solutions for advancing the mission of the organization.

5. **Interpersonal/Team Building**
   Demonstrates proficiency at active listening, valuing others’ ideas, and embracing group processes. Focuses team on creating and achieving tasks relevant to charge. Steers group efficiently toward consensus.