

Global Career Development *with* CEA

It's more important than ever for students to secure a job upon graduation that is personally meaningful and aligns to their professional and personal objectives. To support students in getting there, CEA offers two distinct career development opportunities: Internships Abroad and Global Business Consulting.

CEA Internships Abroad



WHAT STUDENTS WILL GAIN WHEN THEY INTERN ABROAD WITH CEA

A Transformational Career Readiness Experience

- ▶ Engage with certified career coaches to help clarify and define their career pathways
- ▶ Experience what it takes to succeed in their chosen career field
- ▶ Expand their capacity to work across and within unique global and cultural contexts

Boundless Personal Discoveries

- ▶ Develop self-confidence, resilience, and intercultural awareness
- ▶ Build lifelong new friendships
- ▶ Explore what brings meaning to their personal and professional pursuits

Unmatched Professional Growth

- ▶ Differentiate themselves as a job candidate
- ▶ Build their international career network
- ▶ Refine important career skills like communication, leadership, and teamwork within a global context
- ▶ Take their classroom learning to the next level by applying the theory to practical, real world professional experiences

CEA Global Business Consulting



WHAT BUSINESS CONSULTING STUDENTS GAIN

They will be challenged to synthesize the nature and rigor of business consulting as practiced in the field by building skills such as:

- ▶ Business Proposal Design
- ▶ Cross-Cultural Client Relationship Management
- ▶ Creative Problem Solving
- ▶ Critical Thinking
- ▶ Qualitative/Quantitative Research Skills
- ▶ Leadership
- ▶ Teamwork
- ▶ Time Management
- ▶ Effective Communication through Compelling Storytelling

To succeed in the 21st century workplace, employers highlight that critical thinking and problem solving skills are categorically the most important competencies they are seeking in quality employees. Teamwork is also among the top five competencies employers are seeking. Business Consulting encourages students to strengthen each of these skills by engaging in project-based learning with business enterprises abroad. In a small consulting teams, students will generate solutions to real-world business problems.

**PROGRAM
COMPARISON
CHART**

	STUDY + CEA INTERNSHIP	STUDY + CEA BUSINESS CONSULTING
	Placements will focus on small- to medium-sized companies and will be a combination of in-office and remote work depending on the company and COVID circumstances	Locally based business consulting project that will require students to meet regularly with clients and conduct group work outside of class
Program/Course Credits	Variable: 3–6 credits	3 credits only
Program Duration	12 weeks	12 weeks
Online Hybrid Course	22 contact hours	22 contact hours
Placement or Consulting Project Time Commitment	120–240 depending on credits	24–30 hours
Locations	Buenos Aires, Argentina Prague, Czech Republic Paris, France Dublin, Ireland Florence, Italy Rome, Italy Barcelona, Spain Madrid, Spain Seville, Spain	Rome, Italy Barcelona, Spain
Certified Career Coaching	Pre-Program: 4–6 hours	n/a
Complementary Courses	Students take 2–4 additional courses	Students take 3–4 additional courses



**Who is an Ideal CEA Internship
Abroad Student vs. an Ideal Global
Business Consulting Student?**

