Survey Participants
1,001 (Fall 2016 classification - 280 Sophomores, 321 Juniors, 400 Seniors)

Survey questions-

Participation in a structured internship/work experience – 661 respondents
Participation in a non-relevant work experience or other activity – 312 respondents
Enrolled in summer school only – 28 respondents

The following data is reflective of students immersed in a structured internship/work experience:
1) 14.3% received college credit for their internship experience. Average experience = 2.99 credits.

2) How did student obtain summer internship?
   Career Fair/Career Services 43.8%  Personal Networking 37.8%
   Advisor/Department 8.9%  Other 9.5%

3) Internship Location  Iowa 70.1%  Out-of-State 29.9%

4) Internship Duration
   <8 weeks 2.9%  10-11 weeks 18.2%
   8-9 weeks 8.2%  12+ weeks 70.7%

5) Date of Internship Offer
   October/earlier 16.6%  January 8.0%  April/later 24.8%
   November 18.2%  February 8.0%
   December 10.1%  March 14.3%

6) Was housing assistance provided?  Yes 24.0%  No 76.0%

7) Compensation
   Hourly wage 89.2%  $12.84/hour average (503 responses)
   (Soph $11.64, Jr $12.76, Sr $13.48)
   Monthly stipend 7.4%  $2160/month average (42 responses)
   Unpaid 3.4%
   Other (scholarship, etc.) 0.0%

8) Did the internship include a signing bonus?  Yes 5.5% (average: $1057 range: $100-3600)  No 94.5%

9) Were there additional benefits associated with the internship?  Yes 68.0%  No 32.0%
   Benefits included vehicle, computer/technology, clothing, meals, park admission and 401K contribution.

10) Did the internship include an independent capstone project?  Yes 46.1%  No 53.9%

11) As a non-graduating senior, did you receive an offer to return next summer?  Yes 65.7%  No 34.3%

12) Was the offer to return accepted?  Yes 20.9%  No 79.1%

13) As a graduating senior, did the internship result in a full-time job offer?  Yes 18.3% (41/224 seniors)

14) Was the full-time offer accepted?  Yes 34.1%  No 65.9%

15) Quality of internship mentor
   Excellent 55.7%  Satisfactory 9.9%
   Good 34.2%  Poor 0.2%

16) Would you recommend this internship to fellow students?  Yes 92.0%  No 8.0%