COLLEGE OF LIBERAL ARTS AND SCIENCES
AY 2020-2021

46 INTERNSHIP/PROJECT STUDENTS*
+ 19 SERVICE LEARNING STUDENTS = 65 CLAS STUDENTS PARTICIPATED IN EXPERIENTIAL LEARNING

*INCLUDING 1 INTERNATIONAL INTERNSHIP IN TORONTO, CANADA

ONLY 1 CLAS MAJOR REQUIRE A 3-CREDIT HOUR ACADEMIC INTERNSHIP OR PROJECT:
- EXERCISE SCIENCE (FOR HEALTH/WELLNESS TRACK)
- BUT COMPUTER SCIENCE WAS THE MOST POPULAR MAJOR: 20/65

TOTAL CREDIT HOURS EARNED 223
TOTAL HOURS WORKED 8,992

SUPERVISORS AWARDED CLAS STUDENT INTERNS AN AVERAGE OVERALL PERFORMANCE SCORE OF 97%**

100%** OF CLAS STUDENTS AGREED THAT THEIR INTERNSHIP HELPED TO CLARIFY THEIR CAREER GOALS ACCORDING TO RESPONSES RECEIVED THROUGH SURVEYS

59% Internships took place in the Springfield area (LWIA 19&20)
19% In the rest of Illinois
22% In the rest of the U.S.

52% of CLAS students received paid internships

68.75%** of CLAS interns were offered employment or an extended internship, while others interned at their current place of employment by assuming new roles and responsibilities (note: some students continue studies as they work towards degree completion).

24% of students interned at current place of employment

INDUSTRY
Administrative Support and Waste Management
Arts, Entertainment, and Recreation
Construction
Educational Services
Finance and Insurance
Health Care and Social Assistance
Other Services (except Public Admin)
Professional, Scientific, and Technical Services
Public Administration
Real Estate, Rental and Leasing
Transportation and Warehousing

SECTOR
For Profit 52.2%
Nonprofit 30.4%
Government 6.5%
UIS 10.9%