



OFFICIAL MEMORANDUM
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To: JHU Graduate Students
From: GRO General Council
Roshni Rao, Director of PHutures
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Subject: Internship Resources During COVID-19 and Beyond

Grads,

Many internships, summer programs, and experiential learning opportunities (including those providing income) have been canceled or postponed because of COVID-19. We recognize the hardships this may cause and have compiled a list of available resources that may provide alternate opportunities, update you on the status of various companies, and connect you with others who may help further. This list is below.

1. The [all-grads](#) and [gro-careers](#) list-servs commonly have internships and funding opportunities sent out through it. Sign up for these list-servs at the links provided (hit subscribe).
2. The PDCO office has a page on internships reserved exclusively for graduate students: [Internships - For Students | BCI \(Biomedical Careers Initiative\)](#)
3. [Handshake](#) also has internship offerings (hit Jobs, then filter by internships). There is also a helpful module on [500 companies that are hiring on Handshake](#) right now.
4. [LinkedIn](#) also has internship offerings (hit Jobs, then filter by internships).
5. The [PeopleGrove alumni mentoring platform](#) is launched and functional right now. It would help students connect with Alumni who may have opportunities to hire paid/unpaid interns. JHU Students are encouraged to get on PeopleGrove if not already as more grad alums are being added to the platform.
6. [SMILE](#) is the new campus experiential learning platform that connects current students to paid internships and employment opportunities across Johns Hopkins University. This platform includes on-campus paid internships and a variety of student jobs.
7. A comprehensive list of companies that are either still providing internships, hiring, or in a hiring freeze due to COVID-19 (in addition to the hiring websites) can be found at the following sites: <https://candor.co/hiring-freezes/>, <https://github.com/gcreddy42/hiring2020>

Homewood Grads: For Masters students with concerns about internships (or lost internship opportunities) and co-ops, questions can be directed to Mark Savage (msavag16@jhu.edu) and Christine Kavanaugh (christinekavanaugh@jhu.edu). A variety of experiential learning information is also listed on the [WSE COVID-19 FAQ page](#).

East Baltimore Grads: Please reach out to the [PDCO](#) to discuss internship and experiential learning opportunities.

Sincerely,
The GRO General Council
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