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Sociology 4944
INTERNSHIP IN CRIMINOLOGY II
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Course Description:

During this semester, you will continue your internship from last semester, volunteering for a minimum of six hours a week for a minimum total of 72 hours for the semester. Students will attend a two hour and fifty minute weekly seminar conducted by the instructor and coursework will focus on transitioning from your internship experience to post-graduation options such as obtaining a job in the field of criminal justice and graduate studies in related fields.

Grading Criteria

1. Students will be evaluated by their supervisor in the volunteer agency and the instructor of the course in terms of quality of volunteering as well as practical considerations (e.g., did volunteer come in on time, complete whole shift, and so on): 50% of grade
2. Students will be evaluated by a variety of assignments, including journals: 20% of grade
3. Students will be required to attend each weekly meeting and participate in each discussion: 10% of grade
4. The research paper for this course should incorporate your internship experience with relevant literature on your topic of study. Papers will be due on the last day of class. Please note that no late projects will be accepted. Failure to turn in your final project will result in an F for the course. Papers should be 8-10 pages in length and contain a minimum of 5 sources. Guidelines for the paper will be discussed in class. 20% of grade.

Readings:

There are no books for purchase for this semester.

Class Outline:

- Week 1 (8/29): Introduction**
- Week 2 (9/5): Internship Experiences**
- Week 3 (9/12): Service Learning as an Empowering Experience**
- Week 4 (9/19): Testing: Taking the GRE or the LSAT**
- Week 5 (9/26): Testing: Guest Speaker: Princeton Review
Time Sheets Due**
- Week 6 (10/3): Resumes and Job Interviews**
- Week 7 (10/10): Resume Workshop**
- Week 8 (10/17): The Job Interview
Final Resume Due**
- Week 9 (10/24): Mental Health Needs and Offenders: Guest Speaker**
- Week 10 (10/31): Graduate Schools: Guest Speakers:
Time Sheets Due**
- Week 11 (11/7): Research Day
Personal Statement and Curriculum Vitae Due**
- Week 12 (11/14): Multi-Agency Approach to Servicing Offender Populations:
Guest Speaker: Catherine Wining, Boulder County Impact.
Time Sheets Due**
- Week 13 (11/21): Careers in Non-Profit Agencies: Lauren McCulloch, Boulder
County Safehouse.**
- Week 14 (11/28): Using the Internet to Find a Job**
- Week 15 (12/5): Best Interests of the Child: Guest Speaker: Eric Weisman,
GAL.**
- Week 16 (12/12): Final Paper Due
Presentation of Final Papers
Final Time Sheets Due**

Note: Topic days may change due to the scheduling of presentations. Any changes will be announced in class.