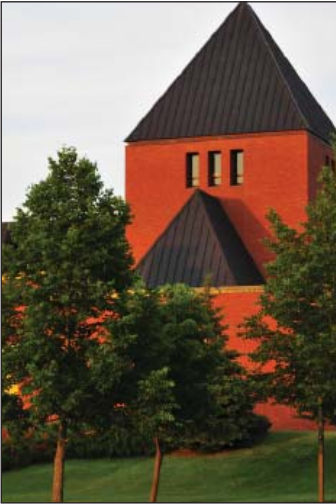


# Discover By Doing



## Gain experience related to your areas of interest:

### Internships (credit or non-credit)

Gain hands-on experience, learn new skills, and explore a profession while applying theories and methods learned in the classroom. Learn about the internship process and available internships through faculty, the Internship Office and Career Services.

[www.csbsju.edu/internship](http://www.csbsju.edu/internship)

[www.csbsju.edu/career/students/gaining/default.htm](http://www.csbsju.edu/career/students/gaining/default.htm)

### Student Clubs and Organizations

Develop leadership, communication and organizational skills, cultivate your ethics and values, and actively contribute to your community while testing out your classroom learning.

[www.csbsju.edu/sald](http://www.csbsju.edu/sald)

### Student Employment

Develop leadership, communication, interpersonal, organizational and other transferable skills. Gain work-related experience.

[www.csbsju.edu/se](http://www.csbsju.edu/se)

### Undergraduate Research

Engage in intensive scholarship, research or creative work within your chosen field of study.

[www.csbsju.edu/undergraduateresearch](http://www.csbsju.edu/undergraduateresearch)

### Volunteering

Learn more about yourself and others, put your classroom learning into practice, and learn about career opportunities while serving the greater community. Volunteers In Service To Others (VISTO) is one way to connect to service opportunities.

[www.csbsju.edu/sjucampusministry/service/visto.htm](http://www.csbsju.edu/sjucampusministry/service/visto.htm)

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# Discover By Doing (continued)



## — **Work** (Part-time or summer employment options)

Learn the expectations of work environments, develop skills and connect your classroom theory with real-world practice.

## — **Service-Learning**

Enroll in a class with a service-learning component; you will integrate theory and practice, gain skills and serve the community.

[www.csbsju.edu/servicelearning](http://www.csbsju.edu/servicelearning)

## — **Study Abroad**

Add an international component to your 4-year plan by connecting with the Office for Education Abroad. Attend a Study Abroad 101 session to choose your path abroad: semester-long, short-term, volunteer, service learning, internship or external consortium. Then meet with an Education Abroad Advisor to build an international experience into your 4-year plan.

[www.csbsju.edu/internationaleducation](http://www.csbsju.edu/internationaleducation)

## **Prepare yourself for these opportunities:**

— Discuss your interest in experiential learning with faculty, career staff, and others and build these experiences into your four-year plan.

— Develop learning goals for your various experiences.

— Utilize Career Services.

— Create customized resumes and correspondence and have them critiqued by a Career Counselor.

— Develop interviewing skills; complete a practice interview.

— Research possible options.

— Develop internship/job search strategies.

[www.csbsju.edu/career/students/tools](http://www.csbsju.edu/career/students/tools)

[www.csbsju.edu/career/students/gaining/default.htm](http://www.csbsju.edu/career/students/gaining/default.htm)