# **WORK EXPERIENCE**

### **Department**

The Cooperative Work Experience Education (WOEX) program is designed to provide students with a unique educational opportunity that combines academic learning with practical work experience. This dynamic approach allows students to earn college credit while gaining hands-on experience in their field of interest, whether through paid employment or volunteer work. Students apply classroom theories to practical tasks, solving real-world problems and developing professional competencies along the way.

#### **Benefits for Students**

Participation in the WOEX program offers numerous benefits, including:

- · Earning college credit while working
- Gaining valuable work experience that enhances resumes and increases employability.
- · Developing a network of professional contacts within their industry.
- Applying academic theories in practical settings, leading to a deeper understanding of their field.
- Receiving guidance and feedback from experienced professionals and educators.

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