

FRESH Student Comments

"Prior to the externship, I had my own ideas of what daily activities were in the field of law; this day clarified the role of the lawyer. Being in an actual legal environment helped confirm my desire to pursue a legal career."

"It showed me that there are so many aspects to a business and a person could major in just about anything and get a decent job."

"I didn't think I would find out that much in just one day. I'm really glad I did the externship, and look forward to doing another one."

"I wanted to get a feel of what stock brokering and all those big money making jobs were really about, and I have a clearer picture now. As for my career decision, it is still subject to more exploration."

"I cannot stress how great FRESH was. My Sponsor was incredibly helpful, offering invaluable advice. He even encouraged me to contact him in the future for whatever questions or concerns I may have involving not only med school but these four years and anything else."

"My goal was to understand medicine in greater depth. By observing the larger scale clinic and clinical trials unit, I understood a different side of patient care and medical research."

"The externship was an excellent opportunity that opened my eyes to careers never before heard of or even considered."

"This FRESH experience was a great opportunity to not only shadow the sponsor but to also interact and observe the occupation of his coworkers that had related occupations."

"This was an incredible experience! I would do it again in a heartbeat!"

"It was an AMAZING experience. I got to see and do a lot more than I expected, and I got a lot of questions answered. He was a great mentor and gave opportunity for me to talk to other members of the staff to get different perspectives."

"This was a great experience and definitely fulfilled my expectations. We were able to shadow the sponsor, have informational lunches, and even work on a small project. It was a great way to understand the field of consulting, something I had barely any idea about before, and experience a career in that field."

"My externship was fascinating and better than promised. My sponsor introduced me to several of her colleagues who let me either shadow them or ask them questions. I learned a great deal about the newspaper business and editorial writing specifically and would recommend this externship to anybody interested in journalism."

"I am now considering internships in merchandising/buying to see if I would like a career in that industry. With my interests in both fashion and business, I was surprised to find a career that combined both."

"The sponsor provided a good mix of descriptions of his job and what his organization does, and general advice on choosing a career, because I am very uncertain about what I'm interested in at this point. I had only expected the former, but I greatly appreciated both."