The JFRC Summer Internship Program provides students a unique opportunity to intern internationally by enabling them to engage fully in an Italian workplace setting for 8 weeks. This program enables students to

1- develop their professional skills to communicate across cultures and
2- reflect on the international internship experience both professionally and personally. The Italian (language) component provides basic knowledge of business language skills that will be put into practice at the internship site and enhances the overall experience in their host country.

**Outcome:** A global working experience complete with relevant language learning.

**Length:** 8 weeks

**Dates 2018:** May 21 through July 14, 2018

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Students will enroll for two required courses:

- ROST 370 International Internship: Focus on Rome
- Ital 300 Applied Italian for the Workplace

Students work Monday through Thursday at their international internship placement and meet in the evening two days a week for class. Weekends (Friday-Sundays) are free for exploring Rome and other places in Italy and Europe.

- Internship placement on-site: 230 hours
- In-class hybrid seminar, consisting of meetings for both Italian language and internship reflection: 40 hours
- Total hours: 270 hours during 8 weeks for 6 credits

The internship placements include, but are not limited to, the following organizations:

**Jesuit Refugees Service**
Jesuit Refugee Service- International Office (JRS) The Jesuit Refugee Service is an international Catholic organization. Its mission is to accompany, to serve and to plead the cause of refugees and forcibly displaced people. The JRS was set up by the Society of Jesus in 1980 and is now working in over 50 countries worldwide. JRS works with all refugees but has a particular concern at present for the “forgotten” refugees who have moved out of the media spotlight.

*Possible major: Communication Studies, Finance, International Studies, Journalism*

**Media House Eurovision**
EUROVISION (Media House EUROVISION Roma) is located a few steps from the Vatican, offering rooftop and street-level stand-ups with magnificent views of St Peter’s Basilica as well a generic Rome rooftops. Fully cabled workspaces and indoor studio with live cam insert. The Rome bureau offers editing support of experienced, multi-lingual reporters and producers to source the right guests for your live interview or prepare a tailor-made news report for your channel.

*Possible major: Journalism, Film and Digital Media, Accounting*

**Impact International**
Impact Italia is part of Impact International, a global consulting firm with over 50 locations in the Americas, United Kingdom, Europe, and Asia Pacific. Impact specializes in talent and leadership
management. Their client portfolio ranges from industries in the financial, non-profit, pharmaceutical, technology, automotive, and in the public sector. Impact International strengthens the quality and effectiveness of leadership action in organizations by creating experiential learning adventures that catalyze and embed behavioral change.

*Possible major: International Business, Psychology, Entrepreneurship, Human resources*

**The Roman Guy**
The Roman Guy is made up of a group of people from all over the world. Travelers at heart, who visited Rome on vacation, and decided to stay and make it home. The mission of this company is to be able to share its local culture with others. With this love for Italia, the tour company wants to provide unforgettable experiences to those who are visiting this amazing country-The Roman Guy is not one person, it is a whole team, a team of passionate and friendly people. They are a group of like-minded people that want to create unforgettable experiences for their customers, always with top-notch customer service and that personal touch.

*Possible major: Marketing, International business, Accounting*

**KINO Produzioni**
Kino Produzioni is a young and dynamic company operating in and out of Rome. Since its inception the company has concentrated on producing documentaries for television and dubbing films for general release. Since 2011, with new management, Kino has been developing and producing documentaries as well as narrative films that are always closely connected to “that goldmine that is reality”. Kino Produzioni grew by telling intimate stories with anthropological and social aspects. Kino is a member of Doc/it (The Italian Documentary Association), and EDN, European Documentary Networkino Produzioni.

*Possible major: Film and Digital Media, Multimedia Journalism, Screenwriting, Anthropology*

**Art& Seek**
ARTandSEEK is a non-profit association that offers museum programs and art workshops for children and adults in English. They use a very advanced method of education based on questions and answers mixed with practical activities, helping the audience to reflect on many different themes while analyzing a piece of art. During the year they plan 2 or 3 museum programs per month in addition to school programs, conferences, art workshops and other institutional activities.

*Possible major: Art History, Marketing, Education*

**Centro Studi Americani**
Centro Studi Americani (Center for American Studies Association) is a non-profit organization subject to the supervision of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs. The Association’s purpose is to promote constructive dialogue and mutual understanding between the United States of America and Italy (also with regard to Italy’s role as a member of the European Union), through collaboration with other international organizations on an array of cultural, political and economic subjects concerning the United States. The association organizes conferences, exhibitions, round table discussions, debates and seminars. They also promote advanced education courses through the involvement and collaboration of the Italian and American academic communities.

*Possible major: International Studies, Political Science, Journalism, Public Relations*