

# Summer Experience Survey 2019

Capturing the summer 2019 experiences of sophomores, juniors and seniors.

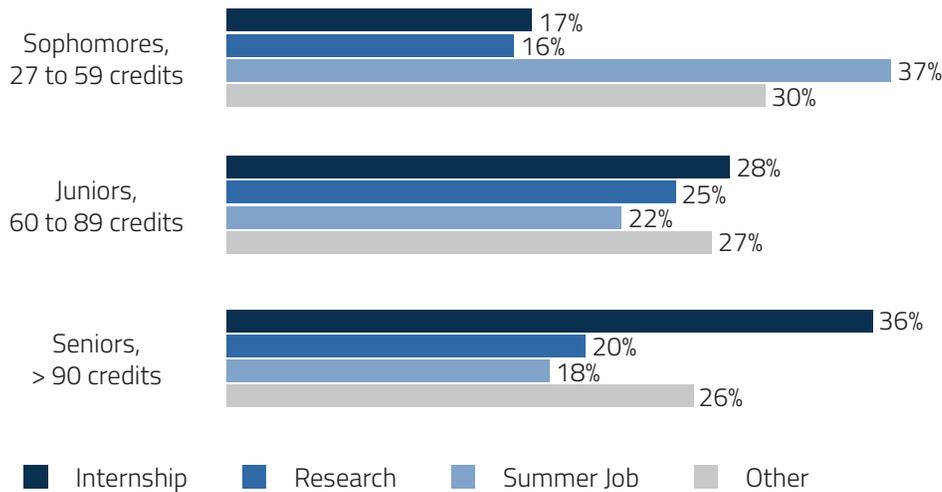
## Experiential Education Participation

3,906 recipients | 34% response rate

**93%** of respondents participated in experiential education during summer 2019

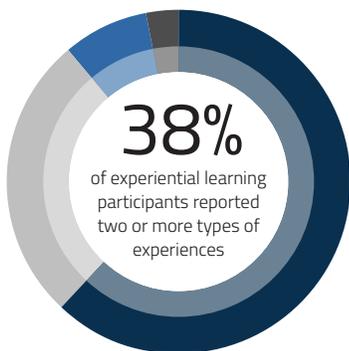
## Participation by Class Standing

Class standing is determined by number of credits earned



## Number of Experiences

Completed by students that reported at least one experiential learning activity



- One experience: **62%**
- Two experiences: **27%**
- Three experiences: **8%**
- Four or more experiences: **3%**

## Types of Experiences



Internship  
**26%**

Summer Job  
**26%**



Research  
**20%**

Community Service  
**11%**



Shadowing  
**5%**

Creative Endeavor  
**4%**



Study Abroad  
**4%**

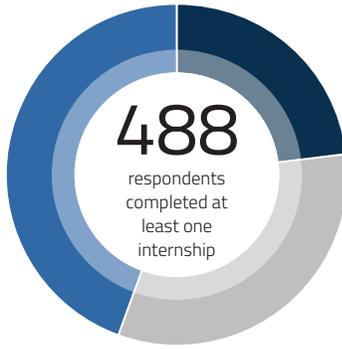
Cooperative Education  
**2%**



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## Internships

### Internship Participation by Class Standing



- Sophomores, 27 to 59 credits: **23%**
- Juniors, 60 to 89 credits: **32%**
- Seniors, > 90 credits: **44%**

### Internship Details

**88%** of internships were paid experiences

**\$16-18**  
median hourly rate

84% of internships were  
**31+** hours per week

### Top Internship Fields

Engineering - Civil/Mech	23%
Research	14%
Engineering - Web/Software	12%
Accounting	5%
Data and Analytics	5%
Finance	4%
Lab Work/Science	3%
Marketing	3%
Consulting	3%
Operations/Production	3%

### Top Internship Employers

*Hiring 5 or more students:*

- Amazon
- Bowden Manufacturing
- Case Western Reserve University
- Cleveland Clinic
- Deloitte
- General Electric
- KeyBank
- NASA
- National Institutes of Health
- Procter & Gamble

## Research

### Research Participation by Class Standing



- Sophomores, 27 to 59 credits: **31%**
- Juniors, 60 to 89 credits: **36%**
- Seniors, > 90 credits: **33%**

### Research Stipend Details

**54%** of research experiences were paid

**\$3,500**  
median stipend\*

**10 week**  
median duration\*\*

\*stipends ranged \$500-\$8,000  
\*\*durations ranged 3-12 weeks

### Research Hours Per Week

>40 hours	24%
31-40 hours	31%
21-30 hours	15%
11-20 hours	17%
<10 hours	24%

### Top Research Sites

- Argonne National Laboratory
- Case Western Reserve University
- Cleveland Clinic
- Louis Stokes Cleveland VA Medical Center
- National Institutes of Health
- Rush University Medical Center
- Stanford University
- University Hospitals
- University of Michigan
- University of Pittsburgh