Dartmouth College-American University of Kuwait Program
Funded Leave Term Internships in Kuwait

Terms: Fall 2022 or Spring 2023
Apply here: https://www.dartmouth.edu/aukproject/students/
Application deadline: February 1, 2022

The Experience of a Lifetime
Dartmouth interns gain unique exposure to international higher education through internship placements in various departments at the American University of Kuwait (AUK).

Past interns have worked in the Office of Student Life, the Writing Center, the Counseling Center, the Center for Teaching Excellence, the Computer Science Department, and the Intensive English Program to name a few. AUK and Dartmouth administrators work closely together to match interns with placements that align with their goals. Interns may also study Arabic and participate in other activities to deepen their understanding of the Middle East.

Participating students form lasting relationships and join a growing group of Dartmouth and AUK students who have had this distinctive opportunity.

What’s Involved?
The Dartmouth College-American University of Kuwait Internship Program provides a unique leave term opportunity for Dartmouth students to contribute to the ongoing growth and development of a liberal arts university in a key part of the world. Since the program began in 2005, nearly 50 Dartmouth students have participated in these 9-week internships that take place during the fall and spring terms.

Students are selected for participation through a competitive application process. Applicants from all majors are welcome. You must be in good standing at Dartmouth and successfully articulate how this internship will enhance your academic, professional and personal goals.

Total funding for internships: $4000

- Covers transportation to and from Kuwait, meals and incidentals.
- Lodging is provided by AUK in an apartment within walking distance of campus.
- Students receive $3500 2-3 months prior to travel.
- Remaining $500 is paid upon submission of a written reflection about the internship experience.

Read about the experiences of past interns here: https://www.dartmouth.edu/aukproject/students/studst.html

Questions?
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Dartmouth students have the opportunity to study abroad at the American University of Kuwait (AUK) during the Fall term. As Dartmouth’s only off-campus program in the Arabian Peninsula, this is a unique opportunity to live and study in a Muslim-majority country. AUK is Kuwait’s first private liberal arts university. AUK offers programs that provide students with the knowledge and skills necessary for lifelong learning and professional success. With over 50 nationalities represented, AUK is dedicated to fostering an environment that encourages critical thinking, effective communication, personal growth, service, and leadership. With Dartmouth as its international partner, AUK opened its doors in September 2004. Dartmouth continues to work closely with AUK faculty, administrators and students on a range of projects related to creating a vibrant and engaging liberal arts environment based on the American model of higher education.

AUK offers sixteen majors across three Colleges: Arts and Sciences, Engineering and Applied Sciences, and Business and Economics. Classes are taught in English. Applicants from all majors are welcome. Up to two slots are available each year for students in good standing at Dartmouth. Participating students are responsible for seeking pre-approval of transfer credit from the relevant Dartmouth departments.

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Cost to Students
- Students pay tuition and some fees to Dartmouth
- Students pay other expenses directly (local and international transportation, lodging, meals, etc.)
- Financial aid available; contact financial aid office
- Budget sheet available on application website

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