

BUCKS GO PRO 1.0

What is Bucks Go Pro?

The Bucks Go Pro 1.0 program is an eight-week summer internship program funded by the Department of Athletics exclusively for student-athletes. The 38 internships are offered within the Athletics Department and across various campus offices.

The five goals of the Bucks Go Pro 1.0 summer internship program include:

1. Providing student-athletes with meaningful work experience in a professional setting;
2. Enhancing student-athletes' resumes;
3. Teaching student-athletes how to develop a network of colleagues;
4. Expanding student-athletes' references beyond their professors and coaches; and
5. Helping our student-athletes be better prepared for life after college and represent The Ohio State University with class in their professional endeavors.

Who participates in the Bucks Go Pro program?

The program is exclusively for Ohio State's student-athletes.

What is the structure of the program?

The Bucks Go Pro 1.0 program runs concurrently with Ohio State's summer term. Interns are expected to work a total of 180 hours over the course of the 8-week program. Student-athletes will spend six hours participating in pre-programmed professional development activities each week, and the remainder of their weekly hours are spent working in their assigned department. Additionally, participants are required to complete a group project, designed to provide student-athletes with tangible work experience and the opportunity to showcase a final deliverable to the entire Athletic Department.

Are interns compensated?

Interns are paid hourly at a rate of 11 dollars an hour up to 180 hours. They are bi-weekly employees and will be paid in accordance with the bi-weekly pay schedule.



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What internship opportunities are available?

The 38 available positions are offered throughout the Department of Athletics and Business Advancement and across the university, including:

Athletic Communication	IMG Marketing
Athletic Training	IT
Athletic Compliance	Legal Affairs
Buckeye Nation Rewards	LiFE Sports
Blackwell Inn	Nutrition
Buckeye Leadership Fellows	Office of Academic Affairs
Business Office	Office of Administration & Planning
Camps	Office of Legal Affairs
Communications	Office of University Compliance
Development	Performance Nutrition
Digital Media	SASSO
Entrepreneurship (Center for Innovation Strategies)	Schottenstein Center
Equipment	Sport Administration
Eugene D. Smith Leadership Institute	Sport Operations
Event Management	Strength & Conditioning
Facilities	Ticket Office
Fan Experience	Trademark & Licensing
Golf Course	Video Services- Motion Graphics
HR	Video Services- Production



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Bucks Go Pro 1.0 Schedule Overview (Summer 2019)

Week 1: Welcome to the Team! (June 3 – 7)

Monday	Welcome; Goal Setting; Group Projects
Tuesday	Area internship
Wednesday	Intern retreat at Outdoor Adventure Center (OAC)
Thursday	Area internship
Friday	Area internship

Week 2: Athletic Identity/Building Your Brand (June 10 – June 14)

Monday	Identifying and Leveraging Your Personal Brand
Tuesday	Area internship
Wednesday	Athletic Identity, Transferrable Skills, Successful Alumni Panel to Discuss Transitions
Thursday	Area internship
Friday	Area internship

Week 3: Learning to Lead (June 17 – 21)

Monday	Leadership challenges at RPAC
Tuesday	Area internship
Wednesday	Turning Sport Leadership into Professional Leadership
Thursday	Area internship
Friday	Area internship

Week 4: So You Want a Job? (June 24 – 28)

Monday	Resume, Cover Letter, LinkedIn, Handshake, Elevator Pitch
Tuesday	Area internship
Wednesday	Soft Skills, Power of a First Impression
Thursday	Area internship
Friday	Area internship

Week 5: Outside the Bubble (July 1 – 5)

Monday	Cardinal Health Site Visit
Tuesday	Area internship
Wednesday	Nationwide Insurance & Columbus Clippers Site Visits
Thursday	Holiday
Friday	Area internship

Week 6: Buckeye Networking (July 8 – 12)

Monday	Networking Overview (?), Importance of Follow-Up, Lunch with HBGP Alumni
Tuesday	Area internship
Wednesday	Speed Networking Event
Thursday	Area internship
Friday	Area internship

Week 7: Personal Finance & Mock Presentations (July 15 – 19)

Monday	Mock Presentations
Tuesday	Area internship
Wednesday	Budgeting, Personal Finance, Negotiation
Thursday	Area internship
Friday	Area internship

Week 8: Personal Finance & Presentations (July 22 – 26)

Monday	Cash Flow Game
Tuesday	Area internship
Wednesday	Group Project Presentations
Thursday	Area internship
Friday	Area internship

