Work Abroad

Working abroad offers opportunities for in-depth cross-cultural experience, personal development, expanding your knowledge of a foreign language, and preparing you for a future in a global society.

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- UM-Based Programs
  - The annual International Opportunities Fair, and international careers panel discussions.
- Intern/Research
  - Information and resources to help you find, fund and make the most of an international internship or research experience.
- Volunteer/Service
  - Short and longer-term volunteer and service-learning opportunities.
- Paid Short-Term Work
  - Work permit and work placement programs that offer options for shorter-term work abroad.
- Teach
  - Information about teaching English abroad as well as additional option for experienced and certified teachers.
- Field-Specific Opportunities
  - Work, internship and volunteer options in specific fields (engineering, law, social work, government, etc.).
- Language-Specific Opportunities
  - Work, internship and volunteer options for French, Spanish and German speakers.
- Funding for Internships & Research Abroad
  - U-M and external funding sources, plus advice on preparing applications for funding.

Additional Resources:

The University of Michigan has paid for subscriptions to the resources below, so U-M students are able to access them for free!
Use this site to learn about going abroad, building international skills and strategies for finding jobs with a global focus.

Use this site to view career guides for select countries and cities around the world - including cities the U.S. This website also includes job/internship search engines, as well as an H1B database.

Join our mailing list to find out about opportunities abroad and how to fund them!

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