Internship Procedures Manual

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INTRODUCTION

The University of Central Oklahoma (UCO) PGA Golf Management Program is designed to prepare students for a career in the golf industry. The primary goals of UCO’s PGA Golf Management program are to produce PGA Members, provide students with an opportunity to complete a bachelor’s degree in management, and supply the golf industry with competent PGA golf professionals capable of managing golf operations, teaching the game of golf, and representing the PGA of America.

One of the most important aspects of this program is the cooperative training program which is designed to allow students to grow professionally, to identify strengths and weaknesses, to apply learned theory to practical situations, and to gain an appreciation of the roles, duties, responsibilities and nature of the golf profession. The program coordinates student internships under the direct supervision of well-qualified and experienced PGA golf professionals whose primary purpose is to provide a valuable hands-on learning experience. PGA Golf Management students will be required to complete four internships totaling 16 months of full-time work.

During the summer semester following the student’s first three years in the program, internships totaling three months of full-time work will be required. Following the student’s fourth year in the program, seven consecutive months of full-time work will be required. The seven month internship must be completed at one facility, preferably under the same supervisor. However, to fulfill UCO requirements, the student will be required to enroll in separate internships for the summer and fall semesters but will remain onsite for the entire seven months, approximately May 15th through December 15th.

Students are required to comply with the criteria and guidelines that have been established by the PGA of America and UCO for the development and operation of the internship program. Students should follow the guidelines in this manual in order to ensure all necessary documents and paperwork have been completed, and all requirements are completed in the proper sequence. The Checklist for Completion of Documentation and Activities should be used to guide students throughout the entire internship process. Students are responsible for following all procedures and completing all forms in a timely manner.

The criteria and guidelines are as follows:

- Internships must follow the eligible employment guidelines outlined in the PGA Constitution, preferably under the direct supervision of a PGA member.
- Students must be enrolled in MGMT 4950 – Internship in Golf Management to receive academic credit. Students will be required to complete PGA PGM Work Experience Activities and other assignments while participating in an internship.
- Prior to student placement, the UCO PGA Golf Management Internship Coordinator has the responsibility for securing interested internship sites. The UCO PGA Golf Management student shall not contact an internship site, nor accept an internship position, prior to UCO PGA Golf Management staff contact with a host facility.
- Prior to placement, an agreement stipulating the specific intern work experiences anticipated for each student must be validated in writing by the host professional, UCO PGA Golf Management staff, and the student. This agreement must be on file in the PGA Golf Management office prior to the student reporting to the internship site.
- Students must complete four internships totaling 16 months of full-time work at three different types of facilities before completion of the program.
• UCO will conduct an evaluation of each internship site and must approve of the site prior to a student being placed in the internship.
• UCO requires each host professional to complete a detailed evaluation of each student’s performance during the internship and file with the UCO PGA Golf Management office.
• UCO requires each student to complete a detailed evaluation of the internship site at the end of the internship and file with the UCO PGA Golf Management office.
• Following each internship experience, each student must complete a post-internship interview on campus with the Director or Internship Coordinator to compare evaluations and to take any necessary remedial action to resolve any performance problems. Negative site evaluations must be investigated prior to future placements.
• Student records must contain both the host professional’s evaluation of the student and the student’s evaluation of the site.
• At the PGA Golf Management Director’s discretion, a student who is not in good academic standing may not be placed.
• UCO will provide the PGA a list of interns and their place of internship each semester.

PGA Golf Management students must complete a series of work experience activities while on internship in order to satisfy PGA PGM requirements. They will be expected to acquire a strong understanding of the defined PGA PGM work experience activities and to make considerable efforts to obtain hands-on experience, or at least observe the activities, whenever possible. They should meet with their supervisor at least once a week to discuss progress and job performance and promptly seek help if any problems arise. At the completion of internships III, IV, and V, students will also be required to submit a work experience paper. The paper should give students the opportunity to discuss, analyze and provide insight into the challenges, and solutions to those challenges, in the operation of the internship facility.

The MGMT-4950 Internship in Golf Management course syllabus should be utilized by the student and on-site professional as the guide and reference for the respective internship.

Evaluation Procedures —

A series of evaluations will occur during and following the internship. Of utmost importance are regular attendance and professional conduct from the student. Students are a direct representation of the UCO PGA Golf Management program and will be expected to maintain and uphold the highest standards of professionalism.

During the course of the internship, effort should be made by the student, with the cooperation of the On-site Professional and the PGA Golf Management Internship Coordinator, to maintain a focus of completing the assigned PGA PGM work experience activities and other assignments.

The student will be evaluated by the On-site Professional through a Final Evaluation and by the PGM Internship Coordinator according to the timely completion of all assignments and work experience activities. The student will also be required to complete a Student Evaluation of Internship Site Form, in addition to providing the UCO PGA Golf Management staff with a Telephone Evaluation/Check-In Form and Student Reporting Form. Students complete the evaluation process with an on-campus, post-internship interview with the Golf Management Director or Coordinator.
The following is an example of how the internship will be integrated into the timeline of degree completion, beginning with the fall semester of the student’s first year.

### UCO PGA Golf Management Cohort Schedule

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>YR - SEM</th>
<th>UCO COURSES</th>
<th>PGA PGM INSTRUCTION</th>
<th>ACTIVITIES</th>
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<tr>
<td>1- Fall</td>
<td>18 credit hrs, including (PGM Introduction and Rules of Golf &amp; Tournament Operations)</td>
<td>Receive PGM Level 1 study materials</td>
<td>3 tournaments; monthly meetings; <strong>PAT</strong></td>
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<td>1- Spring</td>
<td>17 credit hrs, including (Intro to Teaching Golf and Public Speaking)</td>
<td>Work on PGM Level 1 Work Experience Kit</td>
<td>3 tournaments; Monthly meetings</td>
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<tr>
<td>1- Summer</td>
<td><strong>1 credit hr; Internship I</strong></td>
<td>Work on PGM Level 1 Kit</td>
<td><strong>3 - month internship</strong></td>
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<tr>
<td>2 - Fall</td>
<td>16 credit hrs, including (Intro to Golf Course Operations &amp; Business Communications)</td>
<td>Work on PGM Level 1 kit and submit November 15th</td>
<td>3 tournaments; Monthly meetings</td>
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<tr>
<td>2- Spring</td>
<td>15 credit hrs, including (Golf Operations 1 &amp; Prin. of Horticulture)</td>
<td>PGM Checkpoint 1 (Spring Break); PGM Level 2 Seminars; receive PGM Level 2 study materials</td>
<td>3 tournaments; Monthly meetings</td>
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<tr>
<td>2 –Summer</td>
<td><strong>1 credit hr; Internship II</strong></td>
<td>Work on Level 2 Kit</td>
<td><strong>3 - month internship</strong></td>
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<td>3 - Fall</td>
<td>17 credit hrs, including (Analysis of the Golf Swing, Interpersonal Communications-PGM, Small Business Mgmt-PGM, and Turfgrass Mgmt)</td>
<td>Work on Level 2 kit and submit November 15th</td>
<td>3 tournaments; Monthly meetings</td>
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<td>3 – Spring</td>
<td>17 credit hrs, including (Golf Operations 2 and Principles of Food Prep)</td>
<td>PGM Checkpoint 2 (Spring Break); PGM Level 3 Seminars; receive PGM Level 3 study materials</td>
<td>3 tournaments; Monthly meetings</td>
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<td>3 –Summer</td>
<td><strong>1 credit hr; Internship III</strong></td>
<td>Work on PGM Level 3 Kit</td>
<td><strong>3 - month internship</strong></td>
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<td>4 – Fall</td>
<td>16 credit hrs, including (Retail Management-PGM, The Art of Leadership &amp; F&amp;B Management)</td>
<td>Work on PGM Level 3 Kit</td>
<td>3 tournaments; Monthly meetings</td>
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<td>4 - Spring</td>
<td>16 credit hrs, including (Swing Concepts of Teaching, and Human Resource Mgmt-PGM)</td>
<td>Work on PGM Level 3 Kit</td>
<td>3 tournaments; Monthly meetings</td>
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<tr>
<td>4 - Summer</td>
<td><strong>1 credit hr; Internship IV</strong></td>
<td>Work on PGM Level 3 and submit August 15th</td>
<td><strong>3 - month internship</strong></td>
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<tr>
<td>5 – Fall</td>
<td><strong>1 credit hr; Internship V</strong></td>
<td>Checkpoint 3 – Fall Break</td>
<td><strong>4 – month internship</strong></td>
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**GRADUATE DECEMBER**

*Playing Ability Test is to be taken at least twice per year until passed*
PRELIMINARY PROCEDURES

- The *Facility Profile/Information Form* and the *Internship Agreement Form* are the two documents that must be in place for a student to start an internship. Students will work with the Internship Coordinator throughout the entire process from first contact through the final evaluation. Prior to student placement, the UCO PGA Golf Management Internship Coordinator has the responsibility for securing interested internship sites. The UCO PGA Golf Management student shall not contact an internship site, nor accept an internship experience prior to UCO PGA Golf Management staff contact with a host facility. Listed below are the policies and procedures for securing an internship.

**The Facility Profile/Information Form**

The *Facility Profile/Information Form* is the first document that must be completed and returned to the PGA Golf Management office. Listed below are the procedures to follow in order to set up a Student Internship:

- Students will work with the PGA Golf Management Internship Coordinator to set up all internships. Prior to student placement, the Golf Management Internship Coordinator has the responsibility for securing interested internship sites. The student shall not contact an internship site, nor accept an internship position prior to UCO PGA Golf Management staff contact with a host facility.
- The PGA Golf Management Internship Coordinator will always make first contact with an internship site and initiate the completion of the *Facility Profile/Information Form*.
- Students must be registered for the internship class prior to the start of the internship in order to receive academic credit.
- Students will submit a resume and cover letter to the prospective site of the internship. This will serve as a formal proposal and request to a site. The *Facility Profile/Information Form* must be on file in the PGA Golf Management office before the start of the Internship.

**The Internship Agreement Form**

The *Internship Agreement Form* is the second document that must be completed and returned to the PGA Golf Management office. Listed below are the procedures to follow in order to set up a Student Internship:

- The *Internship Agreement Form* must be completed prior to the beginning of each internship experience. The Internship Coordinator will initiate the completion of this form.
- The form must be signed by the Host Professional, Interning Student, and the UCO PGA Golf Management Director or Internship Coordinator in order to be valid.
- The respective internship course syllabus including the PGM Work Experience Activities Checklist must be forwarded to the site, and the site must agree to work with the student to accomplish the work experience tasks.
**DURING THE INTERNSHIP**

The student is responsible for completing the specified PGA PGM work experience activities and other assignments while on internship. Students should use the applicable internship course syllabus, including assigned PGM Work Experience Activities, for reference during their internship. Students must also attempt at least one PAT if they have not already passed it. In addition to making efforts to complete the PGM work experience activities and other assignments, students are required to maintain communication and contact throughout the internship with the UCO PGA Golf Management office in several ways:

1) Students must check in with the PGA Golf Management office two weeks into the duration of the internship and complete a *Telephone Evaluation/Check-In* with the PGA Golf Management Director or Internship Coordinator. This provides the PGA Golf Management office and the student an opportunity to evaluate both the site and experience and to confirm that both are proving positive. The student will also provide the PGA Golf Management office their contact information while on the internship.

2) Students must complete a *Student Reporting Form* and return it to the PGA Golf Management office at the midpoint of the internship. This provides the PGA Golf Management office with an update of what responsibilities and duties the student has at the site, what hours they are working, and the general rating of their experience at the site.

3) Students are required to complete a final *Student Evaluation of Internship Site*. This form should be returned to the PGA Golf Management office within three days of the completion of the Internship.

4) The site supervisor must complete a *Final Evaluation* of the student and return it to the PGA Golf Management office during the last week of the Internship.

**POST-INTERNSHIP PROCEDURES**

At the end of the internship, students must make certain all of the required procedures are finalized. Students must return to the UCO campus for a post-internship interview with the PGA Golf Management Internship Coordinator and is responsible for confirming the following forms and assignments have been completed and are on file in the UCO PGA Golf Management office in order to receive academic credit and a grade for the internship:

- Internship Agreement *(Responsibility of Site Supervisor and Internship Coordinator)*
- Student Telephone Evaluation/Check-in
- Student Reporting Form
- Final Evaluation of Student *(Responsibility of Site Supervisor and Internship Coordinator)*
- Student Evaluation of Internship Site
- Completed PGM Work Experience Activities
- Completed Work Experience Paper *(If applicable)*
INTERNSHIP CHECKLIST FOR COMPLETION OF DOCUMENTATION AND ACTIVITY

Student Guide and Reference

☐ Read through entire Student Internship Procedure Manual
☐ Meet with Internship Coordinator to discuss internship site possibilities
☐ Internship Coordinator makes first contact with the prospective site
☐ Submit cover letter and resume to prospective site
☐ Register for MGMT 4950 - Internship in Management
☐ Prior to beginning internship, confirm with Internship Coordinator the Facility Profile and Information Form and Internship Agreement Form, with signatures, have been completed and are on file with the UCO PGA Golf Management Office
☐ Confirm host professional/supervisor has received a copy of the appropriate Internship Course Syllabus for the student’s respective internship from the UCO PGA Golf Management Internship Coordinator
☐ Begin internship and work toward completing all PGM work experience tasks and assignments
☐ Call UCO PGA Golf Management Office to complete Telephone Evaluation/Questionnaire at the end of the second week of the internship
☐ Complete a Student Reporting Form and return it to UCO PGA Golf Management Office midway through the internship
☐ Complete the Student Evaluation of Internship Site Form and return to the PGA Golf Management Office at the completion of the internship
☐ Confirm that site supervisor has completed the Final Evaluation Form and returned it to the PGA Golf Management Office at the completion of the internship
☐ Return to UCO Campus for a post-internship interview with the UCO PGA Golf Management Internship Coordinator
☐ Confirm that all required paperwork has been completed and is on file with the UCO PGA Golf Management Office
FACILITY PROFILE AND INFORMATION FORM

By completing the following facility profile and information form, your facility is under no obligation to hire UCO PGA Golf Management Interns. You are merely providing information about your facility and expressing an interest in hosting UCO PGA Golf Management Interns when it is in the best interest of your operation. In accepting an intern, the facility is helping to prepare future leaders in the golf industry by assisting the University produce individuals better qualified for responsible positions. The facility must have a desire to participate in this educational process and be willing to cooperate with the University in preparing these future PGA professionals. When feasible, we encourage a facility representative to visit the campus and interview prospective students as a part of the placement process.

Name of Facility: ____________________________ Date: ____________________________
Street Address: ____________________________ State: ____________________________ Zip: ____________________________
City: ____________________________ Phone: ____________________________ Fax: ____________________________
E-Mail: ____________________________
Name of PGA Director of Golf and/or Head Pro: ____________________________
Number of PGA Assistants and Apprentices: ____________________________
Signature of PGA Director of Golf or Head Pro: ____________________________

Type of Facility: ☐ Private ☐ Semi-Private ☐ Resort
☐ Public (Daily Fee) ☐ Public (Govt./Military) ☐ Association

Number of Golf Holes: ____________________________ Number of 18 Hole Rounds/Year: ____________________________
Number of Golf Members (If Applicable): ____________________________
Do You Have a Golf Shop? ☐ Yes ☐ No
How Many Square Feet? ____________________________
Average Cost of Inventory? $ ____________________________ Annual Golf Shop Sales: $ ____________________________
Do You Utilize a POS System? ☐ Yes ☐ No
Do You Use Tournament Software? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Please Check the Following Amenities and Services Included at Your Facility
☐ Driving Range ☐ Putting Green ☐ Chipping/Pitching Green ☐ Practice Bunker
☐ Tennis ☐ Swimming ☐ Full Service F&B ☐ Snack Bar/Vending
☐ Bag Storage ☐ Locker Room ☐ Fitness Center ☐ Club Fitting & Repair
☐ Lesson Programs ☐ Video Teaching ☐ Jr., Sr., Women’s Groups ☐ Mens Golf Association
☐ Caddies ☐ Lodging ☐ Automated Tee Sheet

Reasons for Acquiring Interns: ________________________________________________________________
________________________________________________________________________________________
________________________________________________________________________________________
________________________________________________________________________________________
Give us a brief description of your facility that would be of interest to students seeking an internship: ________________________________________________________________
________________________________________________________________________________________
________________________________________________________________________________________
Please indicate which season(s) your facility would most likely participate in the PGA Golf Management Internship Program and how many interns may be needed:
# of Potential Interns: ____________________________
☐ Summer/Fall (7 Months, Approx. May 15-December 15) # of Potential Interns: ____________________________
Internships
During this internship students are required to work full-time and complete work experience activities related to their current
level of the PGM. Students are receiving academic credit and a grade for this internship and should be able to participate in, or
at least observe the activities outlined in the PGM as provided by the PGA of America. Please indicate what level(s) you can
offer a PGA Golf Management student, assuming they have the necessary experience and have completed the requirements of
previous levels: (Check all that apply)

☐ Level I Internship – 3 Months
Level 1 Courses: (PGA Constitution, Rules of Golf, Tournament Operations, Golf Car Fleet Management, Introduction to
Teaching and Golf Development Programs, Golf Club Design and Repair and Career Enhancement). Duties to include, but not limited to: Driving Range, Outside Bag and Cart Service, Starter and Marshalling, Club Repair, Assisting in
Clinics, and Tournament Operations.

☐ Level II Internship – 3 Months
Level 2 Courses: (Business Planning and Operations, Customer Relations, Analysis of the Swing, Business Communications
and Turfgrass Management). Duties to include, but not limited to: Tournament Operations, Guest Registration, Merchandising,
Assisting in Clinics, Golf Course Maintenance and Golf Shop Operations. We anticipate approximately 50% of this internship
to be inside the golf shop with an understanding that some duties will include outside services.

☐ Level III Internship – 3 Months
Level 3 Courses: (Swing Concepts of Teaching, Supervising and Delegating, Merchandising and Inventory Management and
Food and Beverage Operations). Duties to include, but not limited to: Tournament Management, Sales and Customer Service,
Merchandising and Inventory Control, and Food and Beverage Operations. We anticipate approximately 80% of this internship
to be inside the golf shop and in line with that of an Assistant Golf Professional with an understanding that some duties will
include outside services.

☐ Level IV Internship – 7 Months
Level 3 Courses and Integration: Majority of duties to include, but not limited to: Tournament Management, Sales and
Customer Service, Supervising and Delegating, Merchandising and Inventory Control, Teaching, and Food and Beverage
Operations. We anticipate 100% of the duties of this internship to be in the golf shop and in line with that of an Assistant Golf
Professional.

Compensation
The University encourages the facility to pay the student a wage sufficient to cover modest living expenses in the area. This
may be expressed in dollars per hour, week, or month. The student is normally expected to pay all tuition and fees and the cost
of transportation to and from the facility location but should at least meet expenses for the duration of their internship.

On the basis of _______ hours per week, the intern will receive _______ per hour or

$ _______ Per week.

Can housing be provided?  ☐ Yes  ☐ No  If no, please indicate availability of housing:

________________________________________________________________________________________________________

Distance from course: _______ Average cost of housing: _______
Other potential income (tips, bonuses, lessons, etc.): _______

Would any of the following benefits be provided? (Check all that apply):
☐ Breakfast  ☐ Lunch  ☐ Dinner  If none, are meals discounted?  ☐ Yes  ☐ No
☐ Playing Privileges  ☐ Uniform/Clothing Allowance  ☐ Discounted Merchandise
☐ Other(s): _______

Any Restrictions: _______

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An agreement for an internship work experience has been reached between:

**UCO PGA Golf Management Student:**

**Facility Name:**

**Address:**

**City:**  **State:**  **ZIP:**

**Telephone:**  **Fax:**  **E-Mail:**

**Name of PGA Director of Golf and/or Head Pro:**

**Name of On-Site Supervisor:**

**Start Date:**  **End Date:**

The UCO PGA Golf Management Student, ________, will work toward acquiring the knowledge and experience of the PGM Work Experience Activities designated for a PG M Level _____ Internship. The student’s work schedule will be approximately (Must be full-time requiring 40 hours per week) ______________ at the rate of pay of ______________.

Other sources of income/benefits will include (Ex. lessons, bonuses, Jr. Golf, tournaments, meals, housing, golf shop discounts, playing privileges, etc.) ______________.

The total amount of income from these sources will be approximately ______________.

If the student has not passed the PAT, he will be allowed the opportunity to attempt at least one PAT during this internship.

In accepting an intern, the facility is helping to prepare future leaders in the golf industry by assisting the University in producing individuals who are better qualified for responsible positions. The facility must have a desire to participate in this educational process and be willing to cooperate with the University in preparing these future PGA professionals. **The supervisor should have weekly meetings with the student to discuss job performance and to give assistance regarding PGM work experience activities** in areas such as: Administration (policies and procedures of the golf operation, budgeting and record keeping, personnel and supervisory practices, and general staff relations), Golf Programs (tournament operations and rules of golf, teaching and coaching, golf car fleet maintenance, and merchandising) and Other Experiences (member and public relations, course maintenance, and F&B operations). During this internship, students are required to work full-time and complete work experience activities related to their current level of the PGM. Students are receiving academic credit for this internship and are being graded. Students need to be able to participate in, or at least observe the activities outlined in the PGM as provided by The PGA of America. At the completion of the internship, the host professional must provide UCO with a detailed evaluation of the student’s performance. The student and the PGA Professional / Site Supervisor will work together throughout the internship period to accomplish the tasks related to the work experience activities for the appropriate internship level as described below and in the appropriate internship syllabus provided by the student:
Level I Internship – 3 Months of Full Time Work

Level II Internship – 3 Months of Full Time Work
Level 2 Courses: (Business Planning and Operations, Customer Relations, Analysis of the Swing, Business Communications and Turfgrass Management). Duties to include, but not limited to: Tournament Operations, Guest Registration, Merchandising, Assisting in Clinics, Golf Course Maintenance, and Golf Shop Operations. We anticipate approximately 50% of this internship to be inside the golf shop with an understanding that some duties will include outside services.

Level III Internship – 3 Months of Full Time Work
Level 3 Courses: (Swing Concepts of Teaching, Supervising and Delegating, Merchandising and Inventory Management, and Food and Beverage Operations). Duties to include, but not limited to: Tournament Management, Sales and Customer Service, Merchandising and Inventory Control, and Food and Beverage Operations. We anticipate approximately 80% of this internship to be inside the golf shop and in line with that of an Assistant Golf Professional with an understanding that some duties will include outside services.

Level IV Internship – 7 Months of Full Time Work
Level 3 Courses and Integration: Majority of duties to include, but not limited to: Tournament Management, Sales and Customer Service, Supervising and Delegating, Merchandising and Inventory Control, Teaching, and Food and Beverage Operations. We anticipate 100% of the duties of this internship to be in the golf shop and in line with that of an Assistant Golf Professional. This internship may be the final requirement for certain PGA Golf Management students and therefore could be used as an opportunity for a permanent professional.

Student Name - Printed

Student Signature

Date

Wes Wilkinson, PGA
PGA Golf Management Internship Coordinator - Printed

PGA Golf Management Internship Coordinator Signature

Date

Site Supervisor/PGA Professional Name - Printed

Site Supervisor/PGA Professional Signature

Date

Bob Phelps, PGA
PGA Golf Management Director - Printed

PGA Golf Management Director Signature

Date
1) Provide current contact information during internship – phone, address, fax, e-mail, etc.

Student Name

Address

City  State  ZIP

Phone #  Fax #  E-mail

Other

2) Discuss general work conditions and environment at the facility (work hours, schedule, etc.).

3) Discuss any problems related to the internship.

4) Have you been reviewing your PGM Checklist?

5) Discuss supervised progress in completing PGM Work Experience Activities.
STUDENT REPORTING FORM

Student Name: ________________________________________________________________
Internship Facility: ____________________________________________________________
Site Supervisor: _______________________________________________________________
On-Site Contact Number: ___________________________ Email: _______________________
Start Date: ___________________________ End Date: ________________________________

1) To date, rate your overall experience at your internship facility?
   5 - Excellent          4 - Good          3 - Fair          2 - Poor          1 - Unsatisfactory

   Explain: _________________________________________________________________

2) How often do you work with your Supervisor/PGA Professional to discuss and specifically target PGM Work Experience Activities?
   5 – Very Often       4 – Often        3 – Sometimes        2 – Rarely        1 – Never

   Explain: _________________________________________________________________

3) How would you rate your progress in learning/completing the PGM Work Experience Activities?
   5 – Excellent          4 – Good          3 – Fair          2 – Poor          1 – Unsatisfactory

   Please check the activities you have completed:
   
   Level 1
   ____ Rules of Golf
   ____ Golfer Development Programs
   ____ Introduction to Teaching
   ____ Tournament Operations
   ____ Golf Club Design and Repair
   ____ Golf Car Fleet Management
   ____ Career Enhancement

   Level 2
   ____ Business Planning and Operations
   ____ Analysis of the Swing
   ____ Customer Relations
   ____ Turfgrass Management
   ____ Business Communications

   Level 3
   ____ Philosophy & Swing Concepts
   ____ Merchandising & Inventory
   ____ Supervising and Delegating
   ____ Food & Beverage Control
   ____ Electives
   ____ Golf Course Design
   ____ Golf Facility Design
   ____ Golf Range Management
   ____ Caddie Program Management

4) What are you enjoying most about your internship experience?
   _________________________________________________________________

5) How could your internship experience be improved?
   _________________________________________________________________

   Student Signature ___________________________ Date ___________________________
is an intern under your supervision. Please provide an evaluation of the intern’s performance and return this form to the Internship Coordinator at the above address.

I. SPONSOR ORGANIZATION AND SUPERVISOR
Organization Name: ____________________________________________
Address: _____________________________________________________
City: __________________________ State: ________ ZIP: __________
Supervisor Name: __________________________ Title: ______________
Email: __________________________ Phone: ______________________

II. INTERNSHIP DATA
Beginning Date: ___________ Ending Date: ___________ Total Hours: __________
Description of Duties Performed: ______________________________________
____________________________________________________________________
____________________________________________________________________
____________________________________________________________________
____________________________________________________________________

III. PERFORMANCE EVALUATION
1. In your judgment, how well overall did the Intern perform assigned tasks?
   □ Superior       □ Good         □ Average       □ Poor

2. Relative to the tasks assigned, what were the Intern’s strengths?
   ________________________________________________________________
   ________________________________________________________________
   ________________________________________________________________
   ________________________________________________________________

3. Relative to the tasks assigned, what were the Intern’s weaknesses?
   ________________________________________________________________
   ________________________________________________________________
   ________________________________________________________________
   ________________________________________________________________
4. Based on your experience with the Intern, do you believe the Intern has the basic skills, intelligence, and motivation to pursue a successful career in the golf industry?
   ☐ Yes ☐ No  *(Please Elaborate)*

5. If you had a full-time position open in the area of the Intern’s experience, would you seriously consider this Intern as a likely candidate for that position?
   ☐ Yes ☐ No

6. Are you interested in another intern from the UCO PGA Golf Management Program?
   ☐ Yes ☐ No  If no, Please Explain

7. Listed below are several qualities we believe are important to the successful completion of an internship experience. Please evaluate the Intern on each of the qualities by making a check in the appropriate box:

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<tr>
<th>Quality</th>
<th>Excellent</th>
<th>Above Average</th>
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If necessary, please attach any additional information, comments, or suggestions!
Student Questionnaire for Evaluation of Internship Site Experience

In an effort to communicate your internship experiences with other interested PGA Golf Management students, you must complete the following evaluation/questionnaire. The survey will help future PGA Golf Management students in their quest for an internship site to fit their needs. Please check all areas that apply and describe your internship experience thoroughly so we may communicate this information to those interested in working with the facility on their internship. The completed work experience evaluations will be available to students in the PGA Golf Management office. Please be professional in your responses.

**Name of Facility**

Name of Facility

**Address**

Name of Facility

City  State  ZIP

Site Supervisor  Title/Position

Phone #  Fax #  E-mail

**Student Name**

Student Name

Current Phone #

Internship Start Date  Internship End Date

**Type of Facility:**

- [ ] Private
- [ ] Semi-Private
- [ ] Resort
- [ ] Public (Daily Fee)
- [ ] Public (Govt./Military)
- [ ] Association

**Number of Golf Holes:**

**Number of 18-Hole Rounds/Year:**

**Number of Golf Members (If Applicable):**

**Internship Level:**

- [ ] 1
- [ ] 2
- [ ] 3
- [ ] 4

In your opinion, what Internship did you work?

- [ ] 1
- [ ] 2
- [ ] 3
- [ ] 4

**Percentage (%) of time spent in each of the following areas:**

- Golf Shop
- Merchandising
- Supervising
- Food & Beverage
- Teaching
- Tournaments
- Handicaps
- Course Maintenance
- Cart Barn
- Driving Range
- Bag Room
- Starter
- Course Advisor
- Club Repair
- Accounting
- Other

Other Responsibilities included:

**What type of work schedule did you work on average?**

- [ ] 8-hour days with regular days off
- [ ] 6-day work week with 1 day off
- [ ] More than 8-hour days and/or no days off
- [ ] Other

**What were your regular earnings?**

- [ ] $  per hour  $  per week

**Were you paid overtime?**

- [ ] Yes
- [ ] No

**Did you earn extra compensation from:**

- Teaching
  - [ ] $  Per week
- Tournaments
  - [ ] $  Per week
- Club Repair
  - [ ] $  Per week
- Tips
  - [ ] $  Per week
- Other
  - [ ] $  Per week
- Other
  - [ ] $  Per week

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*Internship Site Evaluation by Student*
What types of tournament or league activities were held at your facility?

- Women’s League/Day
- Men’s League/Day
- Junior League/Day
- Weekend Member Tournaments
- Corporate Tournaments/Outings
- Local Professional or Amateur Events

Other: ____________________________

Describe your working relationship with the Head Professional/Supervisor: ____________________________

________________________________________________________________________________________

Describe assistance you received with PGM work experience activities: ____________________________

________________________________________________________________________________________

Describe the golf course layout and course conditions: ____________________________

________________________________________________________________________________________

Was your Head Professional willing to arrange golf at other facilities?  ______ Yes  ______ No

Comments: ____________________________

________________________________________________________________________________________

Describe some of the other golf facilities in your area: ____________________________

________________________________________________________________________________________

Was housing provided?  ______ Yes  ______ No

If yes, please describe: ____________________________

________________________________________________________________________________________

If no, did facility help with housing arrangements?  ______ Yes  ______ No

If yes, how did they help? ____________________________

________________________________________________________________________________________

Describe the area where your facility was located: ____________________________

________________________________________________________________________________________

On a scale of 1-5, 1 being very poor and 5 being very good, how would you rate the overall experience at this facility?  □ 1 □ 2 □ 3 □ 4 □ 5

Additional Comments: ____________________________

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On a scale of 1-5, 1 being strongly disagree and 5 being strongly agree, I would recommend this facility for future internships.  □ 1 □ 2 □ 3 □ 4 □ 5

Additional Comments: ____________________________

________________________________________________________________________________________
Internship Procedures Signature Page

By signing this form, I am confirming I have read and understand all policies and procedures within the UCO PGA Golf Management Internship Procedures Manual. I understand I am responsible for completing all assignments, and ensuring all forms and agreements are on file in the PGA Golf Management office prior to the deadlines set forth in this manual. The following include the major requirements for which I am responsible for completing in order to earn credit for the internship:

- Students must be enrolled in MGMT4950 – Internship in Golf Management to receive academic credit.
- Students must obtain the appropriate syllabus and complete all PGM Work Experience Activities and other assignments while participating in the internship.
- Before placement, ensure that an agreement is in place stipulating the specific intern work experiences anticipated for each student. This agreement must be signed by the host professional, UCO, and the student prior to placement.
- Students who have not passed the PAT must attempt at least one PAT while on internship.
- Ensure that UCO conducts an evaluation and approves of the internship site prior to being placed in the internship.
- Ensure that the host professional completes a detailed evaluation of the student’s performance during the internship and forwards the evaluation to the PGA Golf Management Internship Coordinator prior to the established deadline.
- Student must complete a detailed evaluation of the internship site at the end of the internship and return the evaluation to the PGA Golf Management Internship Coordinator prior to the established deadline.
- Following each internship experience, the student will meet with the Internship Coordinator to compare evaluations and take any necessary remedial action to resolve any performance problems. Negative site evaluations must be investigated prior to future placements.

(Print Name)  
(Signature)  
(Date)