

# Baruch-Xiamen University Exchange Internship Application Packet Summer 2020

The Weissman Center for International Business and Xiamen University have partnered to offer a summer 2020 internship opportunity in Xiamen, China for qualified Baruch College students.

The Xiamen Internship Program will provide Baruch students with an exciting internship in a variety of industries in Xiamen. During the internship, students will complete a project assigned by the company under the supervision of the project mentor. The internship will last for 8 weeks, and students will be engaged in related research and professional practice and submit an internship report at the end of the program. Internships will be in a company or department related to the student's professional interests. The internship provides valuable experience in the following areas:

- Exposure to Chinese business practices.
- Professional experience abroad.
- One-of-a-kind view into the Fujian Free Trade Zone, a geographical area in which restrictions on foreign currency exchange and foreign participation in China's e-commerce sector are eased. Each FTZ encourages companies in a sector to cluster, in an effort to drive regional growth.
- Access to a mentor at the company who will oversee the student's work.
- Mastery of the job functions & responsibilities of internship position.

The Xiamen Internship Program is an opportunity for Baruch College students seeking valuable professional experience within an international work experience.

To learn more about the program, contact Sarah Demetz, Assistant Director at the Weissman Center for International Business, at [sarah.demetz@baruch.cuny.edu](mailto:sarah.demetz@baruch.cuny.edu).

## **Benefits of the Program**

- Eight-week summer internship in Xiamen, arranged by the Career Services of the School of Management, Xiamen University (June -August, 2020).
- Students will live at dormitories on campus, in the Cai Qingjie Building, in single or shared rooms with bath. Canteens are available nearby. If amenable, students may live at housing owned by their host company or independently organized to facilitate travel and commuting.
- Airfare and living expenses are covered by the Weissman Center for International Business through the Maurice R. "Hank" Greenberg Fellowship.

## **Student Qualifications**

- Freshman to Graduate level students, any major, with a 3.0+ GPA.
- Intermediate knowledge of Mandarin needed.
- Student must be returning to Baruch College in the fall 2020 semester.

## **Application Steps**

1. Complete the enclosed application form and provide an explanation of what type of internship you are seeking, why this opportunity is important to you, and your qualifications.
2. Submit the application form, résumé, and copy of your passport by **March 15, 2020** to:  
**Sarah Demetz, Assistant Director**  
**Weissman Center for International Business**  
**137 E. 25<sup>th</sup> Street, 8<sup>th</sup> Floor**
3. The selection process is competitive. Selected candidates will interview with the Director of the Weissman Center for International Business for final approval.
4. Approved candidates will receive the Maurice R. "Hank" Greenberg Fellowship to defray expenses. More information will be provided after approval.

### **Checklist**

- ✓ Application form
- ✓ Resume
- ✓ Copy of your passport

**Apply by March 15, 2020 for this opportunity.**





# Application Form Baruch-Xiamen Internship Program Summer 2020

### Contact Information:

Mr.  Ms.  EMPLID#

First Name  Last Name

Street Address

City  State  Zip

Home Phone  Cell Phone

Baruchmail address:   
Alternate (non-Gmail) email address:

### Education Information

Current level:  
Freshman  Sophomore  Junior  Senior  Graduate

Expected Graduation Date  Current GPA

Majors  Minors

### Chinese language ability

None  Elementary  Intermediate  Advanced  Native

### Reasons for Applying

Please briefly describe the reasons you are interested in interning in Xiamen, China, and the learning goals you hope to accomplish during the internship.

**Internship Placement Preference**

Please briefly indicate your preference regarding the industry you wish to work in while in Xiamen.

**#1 Choice of Internship Placement**

<b>Industry/Field:</b>
<b>Your prior experience in this field:</b>
<b>Tasks you envision in this internship placement:</b>

**#2 Choice of Internship Placement**

<b>Industry/Field:</b>
<b>Your prior experience in this field:</b>
<b>Tasks you envision in this internship placement:</b>

**#3 Choice of Internship Placement**

<b>Industry/Field:</b>
<b>Your prior experience in this field:</b>
<b>Tasks you envision in this internship placement:</b>

**Student Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_