

SSW 5292: Practicum IV: Internship (one month)

INTERNSHIP

- Course objectives**
- To learn about the organization structure and functions.
 - To explore various programs and schemes run by the organization.
 - To analyze the strategies of resource use and resource mobilization done by the organization.
 - To understand the various collaboration, networking, and advocacy efforts used by the organization.

Second semester students must undergo one-month Internship during the summer break, ie, within a week after the second semester end semester examination in a reputed agency related to the preferred specialization in the third and fourth semester of the course.

Second semester students have to submit consolidated final report of daily work and certificate after completion of their Internship. Reflection of internship in the grade sheet/certificate shall be subject to the production of the 'internship completion certificate' from the agency. The duration of internship shall be for a minimum period of 4-weeks (30 days) with minimum of 25 internship working days. The student's performance in the internship will be evaluated by means of external and internal Viva-voce examination.

- Course Outcome:**
- The learners will be better adapted to work in an institutional/community setting.
 - The learners will develop the skill in dealing with varied community development issues – Forming CBOs, community meetings, community programs.
 - The learners will develop practical orientation to advocacy and methods of reaching policy makers.