A R.A.T.S.’ Guide to the Global Internship Program

- Attend a GIP info session
- Meet one-on-one with the GIP advisor in the fall
- Consider studying abroad this year
- Keep up the language classes
- Get domestic research, internship, or relevant part-time experience
- Start networking: reach out to friends, family, faculty, GT alumni and others in your field or from the country where you’d like to intern abroad
- Remember, summer internship deadlines may be as early as Oct./Nov.
- Consider signing up for DOPP 2011, “Preparing to Work in a Global Economy”

YEAR 2

- Sign up to receive the GIP newsletter
- Consider joining the International Plan
- Take foreign language classes
- Explore summer/sophomore study abroad options
- Get domestic research, internship, or relevant part-time experience
- Keep up your GPA
- Research industry trends and companies in your field worldwide
- Follow GIP on social media

Before Departing:
- Start applying 6-9 months before you’d like to intern abroad
- Use CareerBuzz, the GIP newsletter, and your network to find opportunities
- Get/renew passport if necessary
- Maintain close contact with GIP advisor

Upon Return:
- Learn how to articulate your experience and leverage it into a full-time career by attending OIE workshops

YEAR 3 & 4

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