

BSG Interns

Country Club Internships in the United States

What We Do...



Place European Hospitality & Culinary Students on 6 to 12-month Internships with platinum-quality private golf and country clubs in Florida and northeastern US states.



BSG also offers a split program experience – two US placements in the year



BSG does NOT charge students any fees or expenses for its services



Why Intern in the United States?



- Why would you NOT..?!?!
- Creating value for YOUR future!!!
- **3 The American Dream -Think Big**
- 4 No Language Challenge 8 Employers looking for US Experience

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- Maximizing the formative aspect of YOUR future career
- **Experience Platinum-Quality Member Service, Hospitality and Club Operations**
 - **Safe Learning Environment**

BSG's Intern Services

- Meet & Interview Students at Their University
- 2 **Re-Interview via Skype**
- **3 CV Guidance**

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Facebook Page to Chat with BSG Alums





Guidance through Visa Process

Immediate Responsiveness - Before & During Internship



Strategic Selection of 2nd Club for "Split" Interns





What is a Country Club



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The BSG Process



J-1 Visa

Social Media

Submit your CV to Rasheeda@BSGinterns.com,
Include personal email, University Emblem, and Skype name
Add a professional-looking, smiling head-shot. No selfies!

the photo is the club's first impression of you....

Skype interview to further review, ID your needs, determine host match
Interview are then set up with the club.

Visas are simple for eligible students. Once placement is confirmed, BSG starts students with the online application process, and assists them every step of the way. The visa costs 1,000 - 2,500, including mandatory health insurance for the full program, and US government's SEVIS fee. At the visa stage, the US Embassy charges a \$160 fee. BSG cautions students NOT to get their own visa – the chances of being denied are high.

Be <u>very</u> aware of profile photos on Facebook and Skype. ALL photos represent who YOU are, and can create a strong impression when applying for a job.Tattoos and pics of drinking seem funny.... but they can seriously impact the impression you give the club. This applies for ANY prospective employer.



Things you should know...



Orientation

All students going to America are required to attend BSG's halfday Orientation in London. Held on a June aftrernoon, it is an invaluable opportunity to learn, and to meet the people you will be living with – your new bff's.

We <u>strongly recommend</u> you stay the evening. After the orientation, you go out with others going to your club, and spend an evening getting to know each other. BSG Alums highly recommend this.

Getting to Florida

Travel timing is coordinated with BSG and the club. We inform you which airport to fly into and what date to arrive there. Some like to fly in earlier, perhaps meeting others from their group for a few days in New York or Orlando or Las Vegas before arriving at the club. Costs of Visa, Flight and Housing are the FULL responsibility of each Intern. A few clubs offer some level of assistance or subsidy either during the internship, or an end-of-program bonus. Interns who commit early to securing a job have broader options of clubs to select from. BSG does NOT charge students anything for their services.



Costs



Most students earn \$10 per hour, up to 40 hours, plus overtime beyond that.

Meals are provided each work shift.

Housing costs vary per club and are deducted from paychecks every two weeks.

Notes for Interns

- 1. No homesickness allowed!
- 2. Travel with minimal "baggage"
- 3. Start a blog of your experience
- 4. Drug Test Tinder Alcohol





American Cultural Program

The J-1 Cultural Exchange Program requires that students be offered opportunities to experience the diversity of American culture. Each Host Club offers a schedule of socially interactive events and participatory activities. Additionally, BSG offers a schedule of Cultural Programs to students in Florida. Typical events include:



American Theater Shows

Major League Baseball





Bistro Night





Country Club Shadow Opportunities



Front Desk & Reservations Occasional Shifts Evenings / Weekends

2 Marketing & Membership

- 3 **Culinary -**Major Event Prep / Cross-Training
- 4 Catering & Events
- 5 Tennis & Fitness
- Golf & Pro
 Shop
 Accounting



BSG Expectations of Interns





Responsibility

Attitude

- **Dedication:** This program is part of your career. Treat the process as a part of that. This is not a 12 month holiday.
- . Honesty: Tell us now about anything we need to know. For example, tattoos or prior medical conditions.
- **Fairness:** Visas are limited and the process takes time. If you are not serious about it, you could cost another student a golden opportunity.



Friend Us & Get LinkedIn Begin Sharing with BSG Alums -and future colleagues!





-it's the most important part of your uniform...!



What's In It For Me...??



1 Internship

- 2 A chance to step outside the box
- **3 Big-Picture Career View**
- **4** Test your Leadership Ability
- **5** Travel & Explore the US
- **6** Discover Your Real Self
- 7 Lifelong Friends



"The Snow Crew"







Not quite the Land of her Fathers





Explore Anywhere!

INIMAL





J1's volunteer to help care for abused and abandoned dogs



Habitat for Humanity Painting Crew

Livin' life, Florida style...





Whether you think you can... or you think you can't... either way, you're right



"Live life from the front row"



To say no to this opportunity is easy. It requires absolutely no action. It Keeps you exactly where you are with everything exactly the way it is. No Problem.

However, saying yes to this opportunity requires an action. It requires you to get up and look at your future. It makes you take responsibility for change. It makes you step outside the box and push your boundaries. It opens up the door of the world to you.

All you have to do it step through!



When Opportunity Knocks

Let's discuss...!



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