

# OHIO MEANS INTERNSHIPS & CO-OPS:

Ohio Board of Regents (OBOR)

# **About the Program**

The Ohio Means Internships and Co-Ops program will provide new internships and co-ops for CSU Students. It is funded by a grant awarded by the Ohio Board of Regents (OBOR). Cleveland State University and seven partnering intermediaries have pledged to develop 125 new internships and 25 new co-op positions. Ohio Means Internships & Co-ops grant mission is to build systems to sustain co-ops & internships and to build the capability and capacity of programs to engage more students, more businesses and more faculty members in co-op and internship programs.



# **Intermediary Partners:**

- Link existing partnerships to CSU and to the CSU placement process
- Support employers in developing and maintaining successful internship experiences.
- Provide best practices relating to "return on investment" of internship

# INTERMEDIARY PARTNERS - TARGETED INDUSTRY

**Bio-Enterprise - Biohealth** 

**MAGNET:** Manufacturing

The Presidents' Council- Minority Small Business

MidTown Cleveland - All Industries

WIRE-Net - All Targeted Industries

Ohio Aerospace Institute (OAI) - Aerospace & Aviation Cuyahoga Community College - Educational Partner

#### Wage Reimbursement

The OMIC program is committed to reimburse up to 25% of student intern wages to participating businesses. Proposed intern pay ranges from \$10 to \$17 an hour for a limited period of time Suggested: At least 10 weeks of full-time employment or 20 weeks of part-time employment.

# REQUIREMENTS TO PARTICIPATE Employers

- For profit companies must fall within the required <u>nine targeted industry clusters</u> or <u>four</u> business functions, below.
- Be registered to do business in Ohio and have a principal place of business in Northeast Ohio.
- Jobs are required to be "new", which is defined as either a job offered by an employer who
  a) Has no history of a CSU specific co-op or
  - internship program since 2008, or
  - b) Who creates a net increase of positions during a given semester compared to a CSU predetermined baseline

#### TARGET INDUSTRIES

 BioHealth, Energy, Automotive, Advanced Manufacturing, Polymers, Aerospace & Aviation, Food Processing, Financial Services, Information Technology and Consumer Product

# **TARGET BUSINESS FUNCTIONS**

Logistics, R&D, Back Office, Headquarters & Consulting

#### **Students**

- Good academic standing; ALL Disciplines/Majors
- Complete the Ohio Means Internships & Co-ops Program Student application
- Register for a co-op or internship experience course
- Complete Internship/Co-op Learning Agreement

#### **Faculty**

OMIC grant connects employers with faculty. Faculty Liaison Contact Information

# FOR MORE INFORMATION:

**CAREER SERVICES**