INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY CO-OP
2023 YEAR AT-A-GLANCE

UC's cooperative education (co op) program is an educational partnership between the university, university approved employers, and students. It enables students to alternate classroom learning with meaningful, paid, full time employment. Generally, students work full time (35 hours/week) during a four month period (15 17 weeks). Cohorts are available year round.

KEY DATES AND EVENTS

JANUARY
Spring academic semester begins Jan. 9. Co-op start dates vary
Employers post and verify job listings for summer and fall co-op positions in UC PAL
Students begin search for summer co-op positions
First year students begin search for fall co-op positions

FEBRUARY
Feb. 7 and 28: Employers notified that first-round applicant pools available in UC PAL:
Summer co-op
Fall co-op (first-year students only)
UC hosts Spring Professional and Technical Career Fair, Feb. 7-9

MARCH
Workplace supervisors provide midterm feedback to spring co-op students
March 28: Employers notified that next-round applicant pools available in UC PAL:
- Summer co-op
- Fall co-op (first-year students only)

APRIL
Spring 2023 co-op students receive final feedback from workplace supervisors. Supervisors upload feedback to UCPAL
April 25: Employers notified that third-round applicant pools available in UC PAL:
Summer co-op
Fall co-op (first-year students only)
Spring academic semester ends Apr. 27

MAY
Last date spring co-ops can work is April 28; summer co-op and academic semester begin May 8. Co-op start dates vary
Employers post and verify job listings for fall co-op positions in UC PAL
All students begin search for fall co-op positions
May 23: Employers notified that first-round fall applicant pools (all classes) available in UC PAL

JUNE
Workplace supervisors provide midterm feedback to summer co-op students
June 20: Employers notified that next-round fall applicant pools (all classes) available in UC PAL

JULY
July 17: Employers notified that next-round fall applicant pools available in UC PAL

AUGUST
Summer academic semester ends Aug. 5, 2023
Mid-August: Summer 2023 co-op students receive final feedback from workplace supervisors. Supervisors upload feedback to UCPAL
August 1: Employers notified that third-round fall applicant pools available in UC PAL
Fall academic semester begin Aug. 21. Co-op start dates vary. Employers post and verify job listings for spring co-op positions in UC PAL
Students begin search for spring co-op positions

SEPTEMBER
UC hosts Fall Professional and Technical Career Fair, tentative dates Sep. 12-15, 2023
Sep. 12: Employers notified that first-round spring applicant pools available in UC PAL

OCTOBER
Workplace supervisors provide midterm feedback to fall co-op students
Employers notified that next-round spring applicant pools available in UC PAL

NOVEMBER
Employers notified that third-round spring applicant pools available in UC PAL

DECEMBER
Fall 2023 co-op students receive final feedback from workplace supervisors. Supervisors upload feedback to UCPAL

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