

CLS Internship Reflection Paper

To fulfill the Chicano/Latino Studies Minor requirements you have chosen to engage in an internship experience. To receive credit for your internship, you will need to submit a reflection paper. The reflection paper should consist of at least 7 to 10 full pages of text which must be typed (Times New Roman, 12 points, double spaced) and use one-inch margins.

In your reflection paper, you are expected to cover the following:

- a. Description: Describe the site (physical location) where you did your internship, the people that you have been working with (the number, age, gender of the population, etc.) and any responsibilities you had (20 pts).
- b. Analysis: Illustrate the ways in which the people with whom you work are similar to and different from you. Discuss in what ways many people in the general population likely misunderstand or even stereotype the people with whom you interacted? (20 pts).
- c. Connections: Describe how your experiences during your Internship contributed toward your understandings of Chicanos and Latinos in the United States. In addition, address how you developed intellectually and personally from the experience (40 pts).

Bear in mind that while this is a reflection paper, it will be graded seriously, and must discuss the linkages between Chicano/Latino Studies and what you observed in your Internship experience.

We hope that your experiences have been educational and rewarding.