LIABILITY AND RISK MANAGEMENT

The University of California does not accept any responsibility for liabilities incurred by organizations that sponsor internships and/or caused by students who are engaged in internships. The University does not provide any coverage under its General Liability or Workers’ Compensation Self-Insurance Programs for organizations that sponsor internships and/or student interns.

No University employee who does not have delegated authority to sign agreements on behalf of The Regents of the University of California and no University student can sign an internship agreement on behalf of The Regents of the University of California. The University of California shall not enter into an internship agreement that requires the University to defend, indemnify, and hold harmless an organization that sponsors internships. Student interns may, on their own behalf, sign a release agreement that holds harmless an organization for which they are working as an intern.

It is the responsibility of organizations that sponsor internships to consult with their legal counsel about the legal issues, risks and liabilities associated with student internships. It is the responsibility of organizations that sponsor internships to consult with their insurance provider as to the coverage afforded by their workers’ compensation and general liability insurance policies when they sponsor internships.

UCSB Risk Management & Insurance http://www.riskmanagement.ucsb.edu/

Note: This statement applies to all internships regardless of compensation or participation with academic course credit.