

## INTERNSHIP IN CHINA

## Chengdu American Center for Study Abroad

#### **Introduction to G-MEO's Internship Program**

Since the Chengdu American Center's establishment in 2012, G-MEO's internship program has successfully hosted over 20 cohorts with hundreds of students. This program enhances students' Chengdu experience and provides them with the chance to gain skills that today's employers are looking for. After the outbreak of COVID-19, G-MEO's internship program continued to benefit Chinese students from U.S. universities who were unable to return to the US from China. In the Fall semester of 2021, 9 students took the Professional Development and Experiential Learning in China course, and interned at six different companies or institutions, including Aidi Eye Hospital Chengdu, Cegos Chengdu Branch Office, Chengdu Guyuan Health Consultation Co., Ltd, Chengdu Plus (Chengdu Radio and Television), DeHeng Law Offices (Chengdu), and G-MEO.



Students taking the internship course online



Students taking written tests at Cegos



Students being interviewed at Aidi Eye Hospital

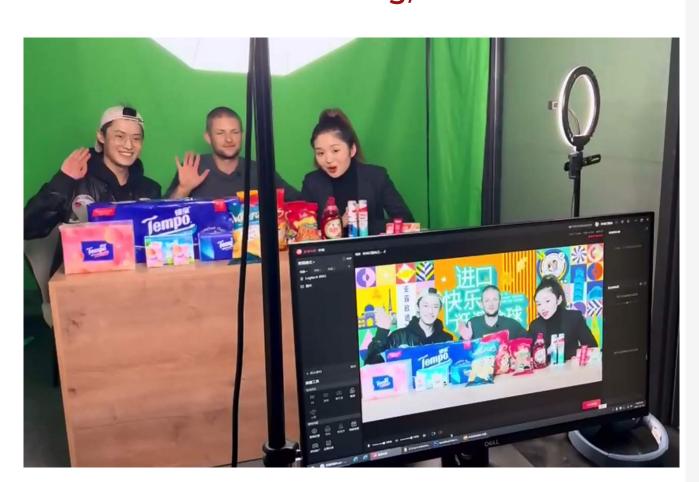
Jingchen Wang and her internship supervisor



#### **Student Voice**

I feel very good about my internship. First of all, this internship is very close to my major, and I usually get to witness many experienced colleagues and choreographers editing and ask them for some advice. Secondly, I was able to get more familiar with the culture of Chengdu by going out to do site-visits and shoots, and I was also able to practice my communication skills when communicating with the guests being interviewed. Finally, although I don't have a lot of work to do, I don't feel particularly bored, maybe I really like this internship. All in all, the internship was really rewarding for me.

-- Du Cheng, Communication Studies major, interned at Chengdu Plus



Du Cheng (left) in a video by Chengdu Plus



Haopeng Chen communicating with his supervisor



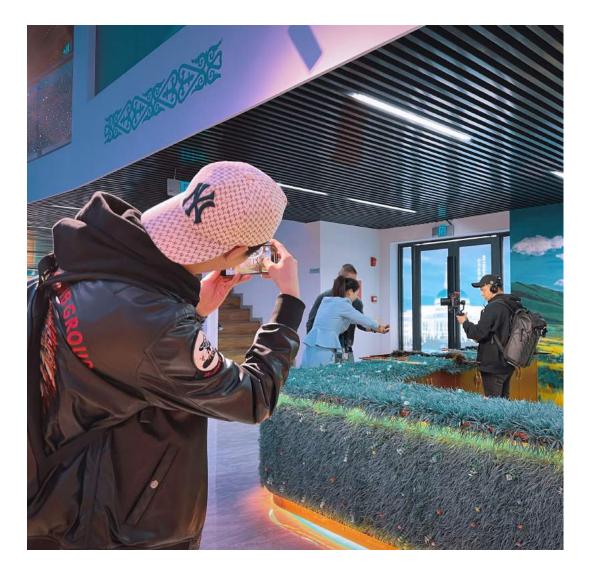
One of the students' drafts of future G-MEO WeChat posts

#### **Student Voice**

It's good. People like me, and I can learn something new every day. The main difficulty of my internship is adapting to the new environment and meeting new people. I am currently studying interviewing, training, and planning. Interviewing includes how to conduct the interview, ask questions, read resumes, etc. Training requires you to sort out your own logic and find the key points you need to talk about. Planning is all about coming up with new and unique ideas for events.

-- Haopeng Chen, Business Administration major, interned at Dr. Sport





Du Cheng shooting a video for Chengdu Plus

### Internship Supervisor Assessment

Overall, Kun Wu's performance during the past month was good and met our expectations. Kun has very good communication skills and is always ready to speak his mind. He can usually quickly understand the delivered messages and his words can be understood clearly. Kun can always complete his daily assignments punctually and the results can be directly adopted into our work. Last, he is capable to edit videos and undertake other related tasks which we happen to need. I am looking forward to seeing his future performance. Again, Kun provides a lot of assistance to our work. As an intern, we expect more outcomes from him beyond just his job duties. In this way, he can acquire more practical skills for his future career or school assignment. Thank you very much, G-MEO, for always being here to support us.

-- Terrence, Kun Wu's internship supervisor at Cegos

# **Internship Supervisor Assessment**

Du Cheng started his internship at Chengdu Plus of Chengdu Radio and Television on September 10th, 2021. He contributed by proofreading Chinese and English videos and manuscripts, and the recording of a "Rongpiao" from South Africa in Dujiangyan. He was responsible for contacting overseas counterparts, editing, and other behind-the-scenes for Wishes from work **Overseas** Correspondents on China's National Day. On October 18th, he took part in the shooting of the Kazakhstan Pavilion and the Germany Pavilion at the Asian and **European National Commodity Museum** in Qingbaijiang, Chengdu. He is excellent in all aspects.

-- Ms. Tao, Du Cheng's internship supervisor at Chengdu Plus



### **Featured Internship Partner**

Chengdu Plus is a social media account the International operated by Collaboration Center of Chengdu Radio and Television. Chengdu Plus has accounts on YouTube, Facebook, Twitter and Instagram, effectively reaching 55 countries and regions around the world, covering nearly 50 million people overseas. The total viewing time of the YouTube channel has exceeded 210,000 hours.