



INTERNATIONAL SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT STUDIES INSTITUTE

## ISDSI SUMMER INTERNSHIP

ISDSI internships are community-based, and emphasize cross-cultural collaboration, giving students the **opportunity to contribute to real-world solutions while gaining professional experience**. Each placement is tailored to match student interests and skills, offering a unique opportunity to work closely with experts, community leaders, NGOs, and other organizations. Through fieldwork, hands-on learning, and engagement with local communities, students **develop a deeper understanding of their chosen topic in a cross-cultural international setting**, helping prepare them for graduate school and future professional work.

Each internship placement is **developed in collaboration with the student as well as the host organization**. In Thailand most organizations do not have a “list” of available internships, but instead are willing to work with ISDSI and the student to create unique learning opportunities for students.

**ISDSI has 25 years of experience placing students into internships**. We work with a wide variety of NGOs (non-government organizations), government clinics and offices, small businesses, community enterprises, and others. Some of the areas where we have placed students include (but are not limited to!) the following:

- Sustainable agriculture
- Public health
- Veterinary and pre-vet animal care
- Child development
- Education
- Environmental science
- Community development
- Human rights
- Entrepreneurship
- Health care
- Community organizing
- and more!

The internship involves a placement with a local organization. To make the most of the experience, students keep a field journal describing their experiences, participate in the hosting organization and community’s activities as appropriate, and give a final presentation.

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<b>Program length</b>	8 weeks
<b>Credit</b>	4 credits
<b>Eligibility</b>	Currently enrolled in college or university. Recommended for 3rd or 4th year undergraduate students. Also open to graduate students.
<b>Deadlines</b>	April 1. Applications will be reviewed as they are received, and you are encouraged to apply before the deadline. After the deadline applications will be reviewed on a space-available basis.

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