



## September Student of the Month



**Elijah Dealca**

Elijah works for Student Life. His supervisor, Ethan Powell said he, “Goes above and beyond for our department and always gives 100%.” Elijah is earning his Bachelor of Science in IT and is working with Career Planning to secure an internship with NASA and Planewave.

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# STUDENT INTERN SPOTLIGHT

## Russel Buffa

This Fall, 2023 semester I have started an internship for the Michigan State Police at the Brighton Post. As a Criminal Justice major with a law enforcement track, this internship couldn't be a better fit. This internship has given me the opportunity to learn how law enforcement interacts with the community, how they conduct investigations, radio-communications, fill out accident reports, fill out reports/complaints, along with the specific case laws that permit them to do their jobs on a daily basis. This position has also allowed me to see first-hand some of the chaotic occurrences that happen within the job itself such as searching for missing people, traffic stops, crashes, domestic violence cases, dealing with intoxicated people, drug overdoses, and seeing things that the rest of society is sheltered from. In addition, I have learned basic first aid procedures, in-dash/body camera procedures, radar detection for speed, placement of the squad cars for specific duties, and the importance of being detail oriented within the job.

This opportunity has opened many doors for me to start my career in law enforcement.

Giving me a head start on what the job entails along with gaining connections with the Troopers and surrounding officers within the same jurisdiction. I am scheduled to graduate in May of 2024 and hope to attend the 146th Trooper recruit school in June of 2024. Thank you to Jennifer Six at career planning and Dr. Heraux for making this opportunity possible.

~ Russel Buffa

## Isabella Dominguez



During Fall 2022, I completed an internship with the United States Secret Service at one of their resident offices. This was a one-of-a-kind experience. The process to obtain this internship was very long. It took roughly five months to receive an official offer for the spot. During this time I was able to attend/assist during a search warrant, process counterfeit bills, search devices for items of interest, and update contact books. I was able to see their day-to-day life and almost able to see the preparations for a presidential visit. Being on the law enforcement track for criminal justice and wanting to go into federal law enforcement, this has opened up numerous doors in the criminal justice field. Once the Spring 2024 semester rolls around, I plan on applying for their STAR program designed for college students to go straight into the Secret Service.

~ Isabella Dominguez

# CAREER CORNER

A variety of local employers attended our Crazy CAN Career Corner on August 31st. Students were given the opportunity to network with employers of the greater Adrian area. A variety of connections were made such as programming opportunities and internships. For example, Enterprise came back to campus to do a resume workshop with The Chi Omega Sorority on September 27th as well as Spring internships secured.



# ETIQUETTE DINNER

## Dining 101 Etiquette Dinner

Wednesday, October 18th

5:30pm - 6:45pm

Adrian Tobias Room

Learn tips and tricks for your next social dining engagement. Presented by Dr. Cheryl Nutter, Dr. Karen Keune, & Professor Vincent Yu.



# INTERNSHIP WORKSHOPS

<b>Tuesday Oct. 17th - 12:00pm</b>	<b>Mahan 102</b>
<b>Wednesday Oct. 25th - 12:00pm</b>	<b>Hickman</b>
<b>Friday Oct. 27th - 12:00pm</b>	<b>Mahan 102</b>
<b>Wednesday Nov. 1st - 4:00pm</b>	<b>Mahan 102</b>
<b>Monday Nov. 6th - 12:00pm</b>	<b>Hickman</b>
<b>Thursday Nov. 9th - 12:00pm</b>	<b>Hickman</b>

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## AVAILABLE INTERNSHIPS

### Downtown Adrian DDA

As a Promotions Committee Intern the student must be willing and able to attend meetings by the committee and support them with their projects. Projects aren't limited to but may include participation in downtown events, photography, promotional material design utilizing applications such as Canva, content creation, marketing support, and social media management

### Roto Plastics

Administration assistant internship involves reviewing and updating SAFETY DATA SHEETS (SDS), contacting suppliers for current SDS, update the master and department SDS books, and oversee training meetings for employees.

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