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BASIC TIPS:

- Looking at your internship/co-op as the start of your career will help you in the long-run, since you may be offered a full-time position with the company. Invest the time up front, and you will likely reap the dividends down the line.
- Asking for additional experience during your internship/co-op can help you gain experience and stand out.
- Most organizations have chances to volunteer and work with other related teams during your internship or co-op. Immerse yourself in the culture of the company and make the most of your time there to learn as much as possible.
- Even if the role isn't exactly what you are looking for, it will give you an opportunity to network with other people in the organization.
- If you are interested in a certain area of the company, let your boss know. Sometimes they can help you gain additional experience in the area that you are most interested in during your internship or co-op.
- Internships/co-ops are not something companies are doing out of good will. Companies are interested in finding employees from their internship/co-op programs. They are interested in making an investment in you with the possibility of bringing you back to the company if you perform well.