# **Business Engagement Opportunities**

with the Monica Wooden Center for Supply Chain Management & Sustainability

### **About the Center**

Supply chain management, reverse logistics, and sustainability greatly interest both domestic and international businesses because these issues impact their profitability — especially in today's competitive marketplace. The Monica Wooden Center for Supply Chain Management & Sustainability is the first center of its kind in Florida. It spearheads efforts related to the supply chain major, minor, graduate program and a number of community/ industry initiatives.



## Supply Chain Business Partner Engagement

Talent and skills from university learning flow seamlessly into business partner strategies and objectives.

# Value and Rewards of Center Membership for Business Partners

- Gain compounded IP through student talent acquisition and development
- Engagement with faculty and fellow members via annual partner meeting
- · Work groups across business, faculty and staff

## **Engaging with Education**

Companies across all business sectors partner in supply chain education through:

- Internships
- Employer Network Events
- Guest Lectures
- Job Shadowing
- Site Visits

## **Employer Internship Job Category (%)**



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### **Business Engagement through Research**

The Supply Chain Innovation Lab aims to be a leading-edge research partnership bringing together representatives from industry, academia and public agencies to tackle supply chain innovation challenges.

The Supply Chain Innovation Lab is a living laboratory comprised of supply chain executives from manufacturing, retail and logistics companies along with university researchers and public officials who collaborate to investigate

#### **USF Supply Chain Innovation Lab**

#### How does this work?

Representatives from private and public organizations will comprise the group of industry research fellows, who will help establish the vision, mission and research agenda of the Supply Chain Innovation Lab.

- During the launch of the Lab, founding member Jabil,
  Inc. and Supply Chain Innovation Lab researchers
  determined the following research topics as the initial research direction of the Lab.
- End-to-end supply chain visibility
- o Blockchain
- Network optimization
- o Trade and tariff optimization
- o Circular supply chains
- o Reverse

logistics/sustainability

If you are interested to joining the next class of industry research fellows to help guide the Lab's research direction, contact Supply Chain Innovation Lab Director Seckin Ozkul (sozkul@usf.edu)

## Monica Wooden Center for Supply Chain Management & Sustainability

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	Gold	Green	Business
	Business	Business	Partner
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	\$20,000	\$10,000	\$5,000
Preferred location at employer networking event			
Collaborate with researchers and receive briefing of research			
Company case study used in classes			
Participate in curriculum development			
Recognition as meal sponsor for student events			
Annual Lunch with College Leadership			
Recognition of Sponsorship in Monthly Newsletter			
Designated CSCMP Partner Recognition			
Receive Resume Book (twice per year)			
Opportunity to speak in classroom (annual)			
Opportunity to speak to USF student organizations			$\sqrt{}$
Participate in co-curricular efforts (internships, field trips, job			
shadowing)			$\sqrt{}$
Recognition in marketing materials by level			$\sqrt{}$
Participate in Employer Networking functions (twice per year)			$\sqrt{}$
Participate in Business Partners meeting (annual)			$\sqrt{}$

We ask that you consider supporting the great work occurring at the Monica Wooden Center for Supply Chain Management & Sustainability. We are preparing the next generation of Supply Chain Leaders.