Overview:

There are several components of the Virtual Enterprises International experience that can be used to fulfill work-based learning requirements. These requirements include, but are not limited to, hours towards Option 1 of the CDOS Commencement Credential and/or 4+1 CDOS graduation pathway and the 54 hours of work-based learning that serves as the program quality indicator for Perkins. Not all programs will use all experiences.

Experiences that Will Count as Work-Based Learning in New York

- Networking events (documentation must be provided of interaction between the student and employer)
- Meet and greets (documentation must be provided of interaction between the student and employer)
- Monthly mentor sessions
- Trade shows (documentation must be provided of interaction between the student and employer)
- Presentations to industry professionals related to competition and events (students must have an opportunity to receive direct feedback from business/industry professionals)
- Other <u>unregistered work-based learning experiences</u> that are facilitated through the Virtual Enterprises class at the local level.

Experiences that Will Not Count as Work-Based Learning in New York

- Classroom instruction
- Time on simulation
- Activities in which students do not interact with business/industry professionals and receive feedback

Who Can Supervise Virtual Enterprises Work-Based Learning Experiences

Work-based learning experiences provided through the Virtual Enterprises program should be supervised by the Virtual Enterprises instructor and/or a work-based learning coordinator. If students complete internship experiences off site, then those experiences must be overseen by a work-based learning coordinator who holds the proper extension.

If you have any further questions, please contact the Office of CTE.