

UC, Cincy State, Miami, XU get internship grants

Students at the University of Cincinnati, Cincinnati State Technical & Community College, Miami University and Xavier University will benefit from internships or co-ops as part of an \$11 million, two-year state grant program.

Grantees have to match the money with private funds.

The state money is drawn from casino license fees.

In the biggest grants, UC, Cincinnati State and Xavier were part of a seven-university consortium that will receive \$779,351, while Cincinnati State will receive

\$633,616 for a separate program.

Miami is part of several partnerships and will get one individual grant for \$748,566.

Ohio Gov. John Kasich has trumpeted the grants as an aid for employers who want better access to future trained workers.