# CRIM Career Connection

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# Weis Markets, Inc.

## A Typical Day

A typical day with Weis starts with traveling to a store location and meetng up with the employee you were placed with for the day. The employee will walk you through their duties and what is expected of them by the company. This involves speaking with store employee and looking around the store for potential problems.

Once the store walk is completed an audit maybe completed to test the store's proficiency in safety protocals, food safety practicesm, and managing store shrink (loss).

Once that is complete the employee may go to another store or call it a day.

## The Most Important Things I learned in the Field

You quickly learn to be open to speak with people and to have a great attitude.

I learned quickly to look for things that could potentially become a problem.

Also, I learned to watch people and their actions. You may find something going on that shouldn't be.

This internship opens your eyes to the exciting word of asset protection.

## My Advice to Future Students

I would want future students to understand this internship is a big time commitment, s if you are thinking about taking classes along with it you may want to reconsider.

Be ready to learn the lingo. There are many terms and phrases that people I nthe asset protection field use regularly and it is important to pick up on them as quickly as possible so you can focus on other things.

Have fun with it! The people you meet at Weis are fun and enthusiastic about their career and it makes you want to keep coming back.

## The Highlight of my Experience

The best thing that happened for me during my time with Weis was when I was told to go out and complete a safety audit for the whole store. The fact the employee trusted me to do a good job was a great feeling and helped me learn more than I ever could watching and listening to someone else do it.