

Graphite Group

A student-run business consulting group based out of the Claremont Colleges.

We partner with innovative businesses and institutions across the US, helping local entrepreneurs and business leaders overcome pressing challenges and achieve their strategic goals.



Focus

Our teams specialize in helping startups and corporations achieve success by delivering tailored and interdisciplinary solutions that address their unique challenges and objectives.



Completed over **40 projects in 9 different sectors** since 2018 with clients from across the nation. Consulting arm of the Randall Lewis Center for Innovation and Entrepreneurship (**RLCIE**) giving us access to **quality resources**.

Our students major in data science, economics, engineering, computer science, finance, and more.

For Clients

Since 2018, Graphite has worked with over 35 business across 9 industries helping them achieve their strategic goals

Logistics

- Projects run for one semester (12 weeks) or two semesters (24 weeks)
- Client acquisition take place in July-August for fall projects and in December for spring
- A team of 4-5 consultants led by an engagement manager
- Th team will contribute ~40-45 hours of cumulative work per week
- No service fee

GG strategic consulting

Market Entry: Identify local market dynamics, customer segments and key opportunities for competitive advantage

Market Positioning: Comprehensive market analysis and competitive benchmarking

Pricing Strategy: Analyzing market trends, consumer behavior and cost structures

Customer Engagement: Identify the ideal clients and deepen those relationships to drive loyalty, leveraging data-driven insights and innovative engagement tactics

Cost Optimization: Detailed cost analysis and analysis on procurement and inventory

Types of work

GG digital consulting

Data Strategy & Optimization: Analyzing, optimizing, and cleaning data

Al Strategy & Model Deployment: Advising on Al strategies, developing and deploying ML models

Application Development & Solutions: Designing and developing tailored software solutions, from websites to custom platforms

Product Design & UX Optimization: Conducting user research, designing intuitive products, and enhancing user experiences through prototyping and usability testing

Emerging Tech Research: Conducting research on technologies; evaluating the viability of new ideas through testing and analysis

"Our team's experience with Graphite has been absolutely impactful. Their innovative approach to bringing in subject matter experts looking to make a genuine contribution has added a continually evolving dimension to our product development process and we thank all involved for our continued collaboration!"

For Students

Work with founders, industry leaders and entrepreneurs while building a meaningful network of like-minded students

Being a Graphite Member

Project Work

- Work with 4-5 members on a semester-long project with a business, focusing on innovation
- Learn how to assess, analyze and perform detailed analysis from pricing models, competitor analysis, industry research and more
- Enhance your Excel and Powerpoint skills

Leadership

- Take ownership and responsibility by becoming a project lead and managing a team and leading client communications
- Receive training on how to execute a successful project

Professional Development

- Engage in a over 1-month long professional development workshop
- Gain insights through our GG exclusive network and speaker series

Have Fun!

Application Overview

- Apply to become a GG strategic consultant or GG digital consultant
- Written Application: Resume + Case Analysis
- Group Interview: Work with others on solving a case
- Behavioral Interview: Meet the team!



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