Internship for Bachelor of Engineering students

- Information for companies about internships

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Your company can help train engineers of the future!

DTU's Bachelor of Engineering degree is business- and application-oriented. Therefore, the students are able to bring their professional knowledge into play in solving engineering problems.

> ”We have experienced that dedicated and capable interns yield mutual positive results both short and long term.
>
> Jesper Thaysen, ReSound

All Bachelor of Engineering students must do an internship in a company as part of their degree. The internship lasts five months and is placed at the end of the student's study programme.

The purpose of the internship is for the student to acquire practical experience in a company. That way the students have the opportunity to apply their already acquired professional knowledge and to develop their professional skills. Concrete engineering tasks will be solved for the company based on the latest professional knowledge in the field.

Why have a Bachelor of Engineering student as an intern?

Having a Bachelor of Engineering student as an intern

- strengthens the **recruitment** of skilled labour to your company.
- might lead to the student completing the **final project** in collaboration with your company.
- means that your business will have **tasks solved** that would not have been solved otherwise.
- provides your company with access to **new professional knowledge** in the field.
- creates **visibility** around your business among Bachelor of Engineering students.

What does it require to have a Bachelor of Engineering student as an intern?

To have a Bachelor of Engineering student as an intern, the company must provide:

- Relevant engineering tasks
- A supervisor with a relevant higher education
- A workplace and necessary equipment

Prior to the internship, the study programme's internship coordinator must approve the place of internship.

> ”By showing trust and getting involved in the students' educations, Hoffmann has recruited some of our most competent and loyal employees.
>
> Peter Haugaard, Hoffmann A/S

Employment and wage conditions

The internship is conducted as a paid internship. As of 1 January 2021, the indicative internship salary is 15,000 DKR per month, according to Danish Engineering Association IDA.

During an internship, the student works on an equal footing with the other employees in the company. The student thus participates in the daily routines and carries out tasks that are based on the company's task portfolio.

During the internship, the student is employed by the company. In order to ensure that the parties agree on the framework for the internship, including confidentiality and rights, a contract is drawn up between the company and the student.

Is your company interested?

Is your company interested in having a Bachelor of Engineering student as an intern or do you have any questions? Then you are welcome to contact an internship coordinator at one of DTU's 17 Bachelor of Engineering study programmes. See contact information at the end of this guide.

Read more about DTU's Bachelor of Engineering study programmes at https://www.dtu.dk/english/education/bachelor-beng-and-bsc-/beng.

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