Stationers' Foundation Internship Award

How will I benefit as an employer?

- You are provided with funding to host a post-graduate intern.
- Each intern will work with you for 6/12 weeks on a project or projects designed both to be of value to your organisation and to enhance the student's skills. Internships can also be offered part-time over a longer duration as an alternative.
- Your intern can support you with a project or business development initiative that will move your organisation forward.
- Your intern will provide you with fresh perspectives and bring new talent to your organisation.
- Hosting an intern can support the diversity goals of your organisation.

Eligibility

To participate in this scheme your organisation must be:

• Registered and based in the UK

Your organisation must be registered and/or trading in the UK to be eligible for the scheme.

• Either a Charity/Social Enterprise (CIC) or SME

• Able to provide the intern with a desk or space at which to work

We consider that an in-person internship is most beneficial to interns but the work project(s) can be part-virtual.

• Able to provide support and supervision to an intern

Students will bring many skills but the internship scheme is designed also to support them in acquiring or enhancing additional skills that will be valuable for their careers. It is therefore required that interns are allocated support and regular supervision to maximise their learning.

Offering an internship exclusively to a graduate who is not:

- A current/previous paid employee/intern
- A shareholder of the business
- A relative to the owner(s)/director(s)

Funding

Payment to Intern

The interns on this scheme must be paid the London Living Wage (currently £13.85 per hour) **via your payroll.** Companies will invoice The Stationers' Foundation for the funding amount once the internship is completed. The Stationers' Foundation will fund the full cost for a 6 week internship, or match-fund a 12 week internship.

Places on this scheme are limited and in assessing proposals we will look for internships which offer students a range of learning opportunities with clear support and supervision, and which cover skills students have identified as important to them. These include but are not limited to:

- Analysing data/statistical analysis
- Writing reports / features / reviews
- Working to a brief
- Design & Digital Communication
- Technical skills
- Presenting/public speaking
- Working with/for clients
- Dealing with financial documents/processes/concepts.

Interns are keen to undertake hands-on projects which involve interacting with a range of employees at different levels and/or departments within the organisation. We aim to offer internships in the sectors affiliated with The Stationers' Foundation Bursary scheme:

- [] Archive/Library/Conservation
- [] Copyright
- [] Data Science
- [] Design
- [] Digital Media/Software
- [] Newspapers/Broadcasting Regional
- [] Newspapers/Broadcasting National
- [] Publishing Databases/Business/Professional
- [] Publishing Magazines
- [] Publishing STM inc Educational
- [] Publishing Trade inc Childrens
- [] Visual communications
- [] Journalists/Broadcasters