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INL Internships

Idaho National Laboratory internships are about gaining experience - at work and in life.

INL interns don't spend their time making dual-sided copies or the perfect cup of coffee for their boss. They get paid to work on real-world projects under the tutelage of mentors who are experts in their field.

That's why INL was named one of the top places to intern by Vault, an independent group that reviews and rates internship programs across the country. (No, we didn't pay Vault to say that.)

When they're not building their resumes, INL interns can recreate in some of the most beautiful country around. Yellowstone National Park, Sun Valley and Grand Teton National Park are easy drives from Idaho Falls.

Internships

INL internships are geared for students at all levels of college – undergraduate, graduate and postdoctoral – in a variety of fields.

- Undergraduate internships last 10 to 16 weeks and are open to students who have completed at least their freshman year of college.

- Graduate internships offer full- or part-time research experience at INL or a college or university campus. These are renewable for up to three years for each degree.
- INL's postdoctoral students are selected based on their education, experience, publication record, references and how they can contribute to INL research. These positions are full-time appointments and generally range from six months to 37 months.

Areas of study

INL is the nation's lead laboratory for nuclear energy research, but that's not all it does. INL also is a leader in national security-related research, hybrid energy systems and other applied engineering.

INL internships, like the lab's research, span a wide range of scientific fields:

- Biology
- Chemistry
- Computer Science
- Engineering (all disciplines)
- Environmental Science
- Geoscience
- National Security
- Nuclear Engineering
- Health Physics
- Physics

Money

INL internship salaries are competitive and vary according to a student's grade level.

Students who live more than 50 miles from Idaho Falls may be eligible for a housing allowance.

Visit www.inl.gov/education/internships for more information.

Requirements

To become an INL intern, you must

- Be a full-time student at an accredited college or university the semester before and after the internship.
- Have a 3.0 cumulative GPA or better.

Foreign nationals are eligible for internships if they attend an accredited U.S. college or university and have a Curricular Practical Training Authorization.

How to apply:

Applying for INL internships is easy. Go to www.inl.gov and click on "Education." Fill out the online application and select the internships that pertain to your degree or major field of study.