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# Bioengineering Internship Program

A Learning Opportunity with structured Career Development:  
Bioengineering students gain valuable real-world experience while making connections in professional fields they are considering as career paths.

The **Office for Industrial Relations** is looking for **Alumni** or **Companies** to partner with us.

**Contribute your expertise to the educational mission!**  
**Mentor the innovative leaders of the future!**

**Or enhance the program mission with your financial gift (see end of page).**

## What's in it for YOU, the company?

1. Source of highly motivated pre-professionals
2. Students bring new perspectives
3. Visibility of your organization is increased on campus
4. Quality candidates for special projects
5. Cost effective - not requiring a long-term commitment
6. Reasonable way to recruit and evaluate potential employees
7. Public image of your organization in the community is enhanced as you
8. Contribute your expertise to the educational enterprise

## Student success stories demonstrate the value of internships:

1. "I tried out a career on a short-term basis during my schooling training"
2. "Being through an internship in industry helped me make the decision to go to graduate school"
3. "I developed marketable skills and gained hands-on experience in the field of my interest that I could not get in the classroom"
4. "I developed a relationship with professionals that helped me build a network"
5. "I greatly increased my chance of finding post-graduation employment and I got hired because of my internship work connections"

All Internships will be cooperating with a Subject Expert Faculty from UC San Diego Bioengineering and include mentoring elements from UC San Diego as well as from a company's technical supervisor.

**For detailed information and participation in this program,  
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