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EE Internship Programs:

EE4085 Internship: Engineering Practice*

EE4086 Internship: Advanced Topics in
Electrical Engineering*

EE4087 Internship: Industrial Project*

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Internship Program Aim

To provide students with the opportunity to :

- nurture student's engineering skill and sustainability
- develop core value towards career
- appreciate a real working environment under guidance of expertise
- integrate the knowledge they acquired in classroom and apply it in real work setting
- appreciate and harmonize team work, group/organizational behaviour in a work environment
- gain the real work experience which will enhance their competitiveness in an increasingly challenging job market

Duration and Course(s) taken

Duration	Course(s) taken (Assessment: by grading system)	Credit Units	Starting time (preferred)	Waiver
4 months	EE4085 Internship: Engineering Practice*	3	EE4085 Summer or SemA	EE2066 Engineers in Society and EE4090 Engineering Training
8 months	EE4085* and EE4086 Advanced Topics in Electrical Engineering*	3 + 3 (6 total)	EE4086 SemA or SemB	EE2066 Engineers in Society and EE4090 Engineering Training and One major elective
12 months	EE4085* and EE4087 Internship: Industrial Project* <i>(follow assessment framework and all assessment activities of EE4080 – Final Year Project)</i>	3 + 6 (9 total)	EE4087 SemA + SemB OR SemB + Summer	EE2066 Engineers in Society and EE4090 Engineering Training and EE4080 Project

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EE4085 : Engineering Practice

Course aims: Provide students with the opportunity to:

- appreciate a real working environment under the guidance of experts
- integrate the knowledge they acquired and apply it in a real work setting
- appreciate team work, group / organizational behaviour in a work environment
- gain real work experience, which will enhance their competitiveness in an increasingly challenging job market.

EE4085 : Template for Final Report and Final Presentation

1. Introduction

- a. Overview of the company's organizational framework
- b. Discussion on the key departments, roles, and responsibilities
- c. Analysis of the company's hierarchical structure and decision-making process

2. Business Overview

- a. Description of the company's core business activities
- b. Discussion on the company's products, services, and innovations
- c. Examination of the company's competitive advantages and market positioning

3. Relationship with Hong Kong and Greater China

- a. Overview of the company's presence and operations in HK and Greater China
- b. Discussion on strategic partnerships and collaborations with local entities
- c. Analysis of the company's contributions to the local and regional economy

EE4085 : Template for Final Report and Final Presentation (continued)

4. Technical Side Content

- a. Examination of specific projects or initiatives undertaken by the company in HK and Greater China
- b. Analysis of the outcomes, successes, and challenges faced in these endeavors
- c. Technical activities in the internship period

5. Engineering Practice Content

- a. Based on the company's operations, discuss the obligations, roles and professional conduct of an engineer in a modern society. Concrete examples to be provided for illustration.
- b. Based on company's operations, discuss the legal, environmental and socio-economic factors (economic, ethics, etc.) that engineering practices should consider

6. Conclusion

Summary of student works and findings from the Internship

EE4086 : Advanced Topics in Electrical Engineering

- **Prerequisites: EE4085**
- Course aims: Provide students with the opportunities to:
 - a. appreciate a real working environment under the guidance of experts
 - b. obtain technical knowledge of an area, including the relevant theories
 - c. integrate the knowledge they acquired and apply it in a real work setting

EE4086 : Template for Final Report and Final Presentation

1. Introduction

- a. Overview of the selected topics, including background and motivation of the works
- b. Overview of theories and principles of the selected topics
- c. Organization of the report

2. Background

- a. Detailed theories and principles of the selected topics
- b. Overview of student works

3. Description of student works

- a. Ideas of student works and/or solutions, and alternative solutions
- b. Implementation of student works and/or solutions
- c. Properties of student works and/or solutions

EE4086 : Template for Final Report and Final Presentation (continued)

4. Results of student works and discussions

- a. Settings of student works and/or solutions
- b. Performance of student works and/or solutions
- c. Findings of student works and/or solutions
- d. Alternative solutions

5. Conclusion

Summary of student works and findings from the Internship

EE4087 : Industrial Project

- **Prerequisites: EE4085**
- Course aims: Provide students with the opportunities to:
 - a. appreciate a real working environment under the guidance of experts;
 - b. integrate the knowledge they acquired and apply it in a real work setting;
 - c. appreciate team work, group / organizational behaviour in a work environment;
 - d. gain real work experience, which will enhance their competitiveness in an increasingly challenging job market
- **This course follows assessment framework and all assessment activities of EE4080 – Final Year Project**
- The program is conducted at the host company, whereby students are jointly supervised by the host mentor and the EE supervisor. Students will complete their **Industrial Project** at the host company.

EE4087 : Syllabus

Project Implementation

- Formulation of design problem; utilization of engineering/problem solving skills; analysis, assumptions, extension of knowledge; concepts, innovation; project management; usage, resource management.

Project Demonstration

- Live demonstration; guided tour; supporting material; explanation of problems encountered.

Project Report

- Organization; content, engineering/theoretical analysis, relevance; use of appendices, engineering/theoretical work, report writing style and grammar; presentation of material; visual.

Project Oral Presentation

- Content; relevance, accuracy, delivery; organization, preparation and effectiveness of delivery, style, pacing and body language, time management.

Time and Place

- The program is conducted at the host company whereby students are jointly supervised by the company mentors and the CityU supervisors.
- **Program Duration:** 4 – 12 months (the exact duration is negotiable between the company and student)
- **Program starting time:** flexible; for internship of 12 months, starting date is 1 June, otherwise, starting date is 1 September

Role of Training Partner Companies

- provide training position titles and job specifications
- arrange interviews and confirm offers
- provide a training relevant to the student's major study
- allow a day-release of one day per week for students to take coursework at CityU (**only during semester time**)
- provide a salary to the student
- assign a company mentor with relevant expertise to co-supervise the student with the CityU supervisor and to review the log book regularly
- need to complete the evaluation included in logbook at the last month of internship period

Joint Supervision

- A Company mentor with the relevant expertise shall be assigned to supervise the student(s). His/Her responsibilities include providing general guidance and technical advice to students and assessing their performance during the training period
- An academic staff member from the Department shall be assigned to co-supervise and monitor the progress of students
- The CityU supervisor will visit students 3 times during the training period

Time-line

Period	Events
26 February 2024 – 8 March 2024	Students submit job preferences, transcript, CV and study plan of remaining courses
March 2024	Students to be short-listed
March - April 2024	Company interviews
April 2024	Companies confirm offers
June - September 2024	Placement commencement
June 2025	Placement completion

Things you need to do

- Study the job listing of available positions on **EE Internship System** (<https://intranet.ee.cityu.edu.hk/intern/>)
- Prepare a CV and study plan of remaining courses
- First round, choose **up to 3** jobs and rank them according to your preference
- Submit your CV, academic transcript and study plan via EE Internship System before **8 March 2024**

Option: Find your own internship company

- The host company shall offer reasonable allowance for you and a day release per week for you to study.
- Tasks at work should compliment your major studies.
- After securing the offer, contact Prof. Eric Wong. We will help with the agreement.
- Note: Please give us at least a month to process the document work.

Program starting time: for internship of 12 months, ideal starting time is 1 June, otherwise, starting date is 1 September for Year 3/4 or latest January for Year 3

Option for Year 4: Host company invites you to take another 8-month internship after summer internship

- Similar to the case of finding your own internship, please contact Prof. Eric Wong immediately once you **have** confirmed with your summer host company

Reminder for All Applicants

- You can take EE4085/6/7 once only.
- If you withdraw from the program after confirming the offer, you cannot enroll into EE4085/6/7 again.
- If you have confirmed exchange offer, we will not consider your internship application for now.
- EE4085/6/7 students can register 2 courses or maximum 3 courses per semester under the provision of one-day release per week (or equivalent) arrangement during the internship period. Any unauthorized additional courses will be de-registered during/after the course add/drop period.

Special Reminder for Year 2 Applicants

- Year 3 schedule is not fixed yet. Meanwhile, Year 3 studies involve a lot of core courses. Please prepare course plan with special care to ensure flexibility.
- Make sure that you have talked to your programme leaders before submitting your application.
- We will discuss with the companies chosen by Year 2 applicants if they would like to join Year 3 interns. If a company prefers to take Year 4 interns, we will notify the Year 2 applicants to update their choices.
- Good time management is important!

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