

INTERNSHIP FAIR



WHAT

An internship fair for the 3rd bachelor/ 1st master STEM students of the VUB to increase the opportunity and relationship between companies and students

WHERE

On the online platform provided by jobteaser

WHEN

9 November from 9:00 to 12:00

BY WHO

Organized by IAESTE Brussels, BrEA and supported by the VUB faculty of engineering.

WHY



Internships serve as a highly effective strategy for both recruitment and retention of sought-after talent. Students actively seek out these opportunities to gain their initial professional experience as part of their academic curriculum.

PRICE

Standard price is 600 euro with discounts of -400 euro for sponsors and -500 euro if an IAESTE internship is offered to an international student.

REGISTRATION

Fill in the following form to registrate: <u>https://forms.gle/F8huLJX1gbi29J4B9</u>

More information down below



About Us



IAESTE Brussels arranges **internships** for **students with a technical background** (engineering, computer science, bioscience, natural science, architecture and business and marketing). Together with **83 countries**, we are member of the IAESTE association which makes us one of the biggest organisation for students. IAESTE Brussels is located at the **VUB campus**, an internationally-oriented university in Brussels.

FOR WHO

Engineering, bio-engineering, architecture, or (computer) science students usually seek a challenging task. The internship form specifies the student's study level, language proficiency, IT abilities as well as required specialisation.

WHERE

We are located in **Brussels** at the **VUB**, but also have local committees in **Ghent** and **Leuven** (linked to their respective universities).

Belgian committees





Our partner **BrEA**, the **Brussels Engineering Alumni**, **unites engineering graduates** who excel in various disciplines. With a shared passion for engineering, we foster strong bonds among members and enhance the reputation of Vrije Universiteit Brussel, particularly its faculties. Networking is paramount, both within the association and the wider community. We champion **Free Inquiry**, valuing **critical thinking** and **independent research**. Together, we contribute to the university's success and advance engineering sciences.

Event info

The **Internship Fair** is an initiative created by IAESTE Brussels, BrEA and the Engineering faculty of the VUB. It serves as a remarkable opportunity for companies to connect with talented students with a technical background and explore potential collaborations for internships and possibly job opportunities in the future.

WHEN

9th of November, 2023, in the morning. WHERE

On the online platform created by Jobteaser



JobTeaser European leader in the recruitment and guidance of young talents.

WHAT TO EXPECT?

Live Presentations:

Engage with students through live presentations where you can showcase your company, share your vision, and highlight the exciting projects and internships you have to offer.



One-on-One Conversations: Schedule one-on-one conversation slots that students can book to have exclusive discussions with your company representatives. Build personal connections and discuss internship opportunities tailored to their skills and aspirations.

Virtual Company Stalls: Create your own virtual company stall, complete with a company dashboard, allowing students to explore your organization in detail. Present your job offers and provide valuable insights into your company culture.



Talent Discovery: Browse through the online profiles of participating students, get a glimpse of their talents, and initiate chats to further explore potential matches for your company's needs.

Live Chat Support: Benefit from live chat support with Jobteaser, ensuring a seamless and user-friendly experience throughout the event.





Event Statistics and Data Export: Gain valuable insights into the success of the event by accessing comprehensive event statistics and easily exporting relevant data for analysis and future reference.

Post-event Access: Companies can access and review their chat conversations for up to one month after the event, ensuring you never miss out on valuable connections.

BENEFITS OF ATTENDING AN INTERNSHIP FAIR

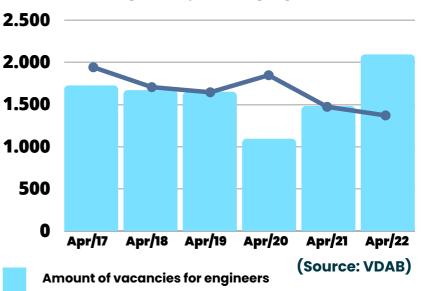
Belgium falls short in supplying enough STEM graduates.

Digitization and automation of professions in the EU is leading to both the emergence and disappearance of jobs, as well as a change in the required skills of employees. Belgium is not performing well in this regard: the share graduates in STEM fields of is substantially below the EU average, and Belgium has the highest percentage of enterprises facing difficulties in filling vacancies for ICT specialists.

(Source: WSE)

Job candidate supply issue example for engineers

vacancies engineer vs job seeking engineers without work

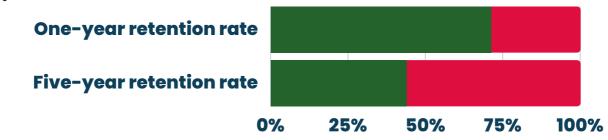


Amount of job seeking engineers

more than half of all interns (57.6%) return to their employer following an internship

(Source: NACE)

The one-year retention rate is 71.4% for those who interned inside of a company of future employment and 43.9% for the five-year retention rate.



(Source: NACE)

Partnership packages

We offer three packages

Standard	Sponsorship	International Internship
€ 600	€ 600 € 200	€ 600 € 100

Standard package

The standard package includes full participation at the internship fair. Which means access to the event through the JobTeaser platform and a virtual stand in said platform.

Sponsoring package

Become a Gold local sponsor of IAESTE Brussels or a national sponsor of IAESTE Belgium and enjoy exclusive benefits. As a Gold local sponsor, you will receive a reduction of €400.

The Gold local sponsor package offers incredible value for the affordable price of €1500 per year. With this package, you gain exposure on campus and social media, a dedicated page in our yearly booklet, discounts on events (like this one), and much more. You can acces the sponsor packages via this <u>link</u> or contact us.

International Internship package

If you offer one or more international internships through IAESTE, a reduction of € 500 is applied to the standard fee.

This means offering an internship to an international student in one of our member countries via our platform. The duration of the internship is to your choosing with a minimum of 6 weeks and a maximum of 52 weeks. There is a fee of €300/week as compensation to cover lodging and living cost (Note that this is not a salary, but merely an expense coverage). For more info visit our <u>website</u> or contact us.



To register your company for the Internship Fair, simply fill out our registration form by clicking on the following link: <u>https://forms.gle/ZwmvXAmAGvcJbwrG8</u>.

After the registration we will contact your company with further details about the event.

We look forward to welcoming your company to this exciting event and connecting you with talented students!



For any inquiries or further information about our organisation and the Internship Fair, please feel free to reach out to us using the contact details below:



e-mail: iaeste@vub.be



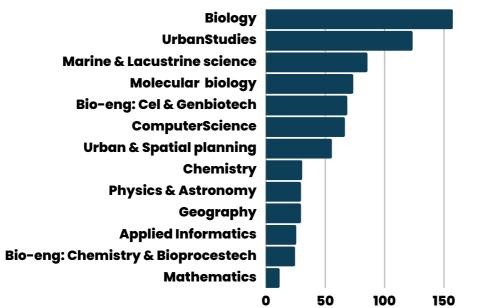
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Appendix: Demografics of VUB students

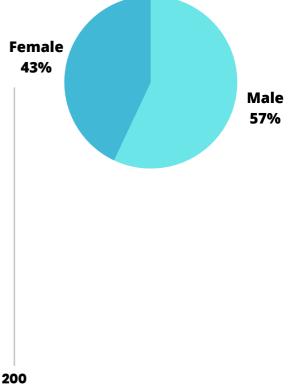
Faculty of Sciences and Bio-Engineering

- 1986 Students
- 223 First-time university students
- 31% International students

Amount of students for each Master



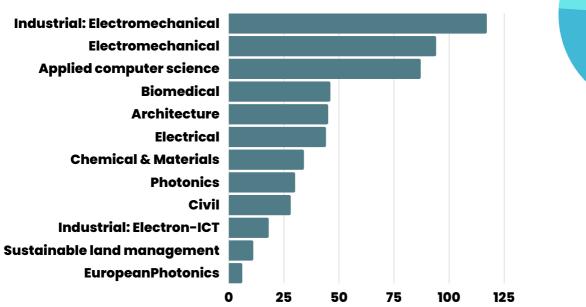
Male/Female distrubution



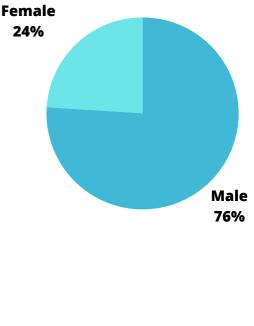
Faculty of Engineering

- 1513 Students
- 177 First-time university students
- 43% International students

Amount of students for each Master



Male/Female distrubution



(Source: VUB)