

Internships for BUSINESSES

Keele Internships
Self-matching offer


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**Careers and
Employability**

Can you offer an internship to a Keele student or graduate? Up to £1,531 funding available towards wages

Keele University is encouraging Keele students to develop their enterprise skills by directly approaching SMEs they are interested in. If you are able to offer a student some paid work experience, we may be able to offer you **up to £1,531** funding towards their wages.

Why should you consider offering an internship?


- University students can bring a fresh pair of eyes to the company
- Get a project or piece of work done that you haven't been able to resource
- Reduced risk and cost with the wage funding contribution
- Help a student apply their skills in your workplace and boost their employability

Small and Medium sized Enterprise eligibility

Businesses must be registered and based in the UK, with an annual turnover of under £50 million and under 250 employees. Eligible organisations include companies, sole traders, partnerships and charities.

Funding details

- You need to pay the student at least £8.75 per hour, for a min of 140 hours, on a PAYE basis. The funding contribution is a fixed £4.37 per hour, up to a max of 350 hours. Max funding is £1,531.
- Internships can be any length from 4 weeks to 10 weeks. Full time or part time hours.
- To confirm funding availability please contact internships@keele.ac.uk (with subject title "Self Matching Internship"). Funding is subject to SME eligibility, availability and approval by the Keele University internship team.


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