

IARU Global Internship Programme @ ETH Zurich

The IARU Global Internship Program aims at providing IARU students with the opportunity to gain valuable international work experience by conducting high-impact research and projects in another member university. Such internships enable students to gain insights into their host university and provide an exciting platform to build cross-cultural understanding.

University	ETH Zurich
Host Faculty/Department	ETH Equal! (www.equal.ethz.ch)
Internship title	Gender Attainment Gaps in Higher Education
Duration of internship	June - September, 2 months, 80%
Supervisor/Mentor	Renate Schubert
Funding	CHF 2'000/month
Person to contact for more information	Renate Schubert, schubert@econ.gess.ethz.ch , +41 44 632 47 17
Internship Description (for website)	<p>In several IARU institutions a gender attainment gap is observable at different stages of higher education. In some institutions, the key factors responsible for the attainment gap are already studied in detail. The ultimate goal of such endeavors is to recommend measures to assure equal opportunities and equal success for male and female students.</p> <p>The intern is supposed to support the process of investigating into causes and of recommending measures. The intern will work at the office of ETH Equal! together with the head of the Equal Office, i.e. the Gender Delegate of ETH Zurich's President as well as one or two of Equal's permanent collaborators. Contacts with further researchers involved in attainment gap studies will be established.</p> <p>The intern's duties involve supporting the aforementioned research through literature reviews as well as through quantitative and qualitative data analyses (data from questionnaires and interviews). Furthermore, the intern will collect and assess data and measures related to the gender attainment gap in all IARU Universities.</p> <p>Requirements:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">- Highly motivated student in economics, social or political science (or related subjects).- Proficiency in quantitative data processing and analysis (i.e. SPSS or similar programme), experience in qualitative data processing- Ability to work independently- Strong communication and language skills, excellent English
Applications open	25 th of April – 25 th of May 2017

Programme Expenses

The intern is responsible for all personal expenses, including transport and accommodation. The internship is remunerated with a stipend of CHF 2'000 per month.

Accommodation

Accommodation cost will be borne by the intern and paid from the stipend. Accommodation will have to be organized by the intern with the support from ETH Equal!

Application Criteria

To be eligible to apply for the IARU Global Internship Program@ETH Zurich, you must be a student at one of the IARU universities and have completed at least two full years of university study. The internship must be acknowledged by your university as a part of your studies.

Application Process

Please submit your application with CV, letter of motivation (also listing your experience in quantitative and qualitative social science research) and references and forward it electronically to equal@ethz.ch no later than **May 15th, 2017**.

Shortlisted students will be contacted after the closing of the application deadline.