



Internship at the International Energy Agency (IEA)

Location: Paris, France

Period: Approximately 6 months

The Energy Efficiency Division (EEfD) of the IEA seeks interns to assist with ongoing global research, analysis and outreach activities. This is an excellent opportunity to work with one of the world's leading international organisations on the topic energy efficiency, which is at the heart of the global clean energy transition.

Interns will conduct research, analysis and ad hoc activities as required by the EEfD in two overlapping focus areas. The first area of focus is characterised by data gathering, data preparation, and quantitative analysis of:

- **Policy data preparation**– designing processes to capture and prepare policy data for incorporation into the IEA's Policies and Measures database;
- **Financing and investment** – collecting, analysing and modelling data on financing and investment trends in buildings, transport and industry sectors;

The second area of focus also comprises quantitative aspects but is generally characterised by more qualitative research and analysis, as well as outreach activities with emerging economies, notably in the areas of:

- **Integration of efficiency and renewable energy policies** – researching synergies and related issues;
- **Behavioural insights for policy** – research on how policy makers are using behavioural sciences to shape efficiency policy-making;
- **Energy efficiency in industry, buildings, and cities** – research and analysis on policies to advance energy efficiency in these areas.

Candidates with skills and capabilities in either or both focus areas are encouraged to apply, noting that all ideal candidates will have:

- Excellent written and spoken English;
- Solid skills in database tools like Microsoft Excel and Access;
- Proven research skills and analytical abilities demonstrated in past work (analytical reports, university assignments and/or published papers);
- Knowledge of the energy sector and preferably energy efficiency policies and measures.

The following capabilities would further strengthen candidates' profile, particularly for the second focus area:

- Experience with emerging economies
- Fluency in Chinese, Portuguese or Spanish
- A strong understanding of digital technologies and solutions in the energy sector
- A background in / studying for an advanced degree in public policy and urban planning, behavioural sciences (including behavioural economics) or engineering, particularly environmental engineering



The IEA provides a modest stipend during the internship. Please note interns **must be enrolled** in a Masters or PhD programme during the time of their internship, ideally in a relevant disciplines such as environmental policy, energy economics, environmental engineering/sciences or similar.

Interested candidates should submit a current CV and cover letter outlining their interest in the position to energy.efficiency@iea.org no later than **midnight 06 December 2019**.

Due to the volume of applications received, only shortlisted candidates will be contacted. Candidates will also be asked to complete a short numbers-based test in Excel in order to assess their analytical skills.