

## Mitacs Accelerate - Graduate Internships

### Sponsor

Mitacs

### Program

Accelerate - Graduate Student Internships

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- Intern CV Template
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### Description

Students work closely with a partner organization and faculty supervisor, using the latest tools and techniques available to them in both academic and industrial settings. Projects are a cost-shared model with Mitacs, through the support of federal and provincial government, matching the industry partners or non-for-profit (NFP) organizations dollar for dollar.

### Eligibility

- Full-time grad students at all Canadian universities
- Canadian citizens, permanent residents, and international students
- All academic disciplines
- Businesses and not-for-profit organizations

### Funding Availability

Interns are provided with a stipend/salary starting at \$10,000 per four-month period. Typically,

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internships are approved for a total of \$15,000, including a minimum \$10,000 stipend and maximum \$5,000 in research costs with \$7,500 coming from the industry partner matched with \$7,500 from Mitacs.

### Indirect Costs

0%

### Project Duration

Master's students can complete up to two four-month internships and PhD students can complete up to six. The internships start at four months.

Note: There is a six- to eight-week peer review prior to approval for internship start.

### Special Notes

The expectations for the internships are as follows:

- Spend 50% of the internship with the university and 50% with the partner organization
- Submit a final report and exit survey summarizing project results and experiences
- Follow the Accelerate Code of Conduct

### Deadlines

**If College-level review is required, your College will communicate its earlier internal deadlines.**

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**Internal Deadline**

There is a rolling intake of applications. Applicants must submit signed OR-5 form (supervisor) along with full application including signed memorandum to: [research.services@uoguelph.ca](mailto:research.services@uoguelph.ca) [4].

The complete package must be received one week prior to the anticipated submission date to the sponsor (external deadline).

**External Deadline**

Applicant submits full application including signed memorandum directly to Mitacs representative. The submission must be planned at least six to eight weeks in advance

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of the proposed internship start date.

## How to Apply

1. Review the following information when you begin writing your proposal:

- [Eligible research and adjudication criteria](#) [5]
- [Writing Your Proposal guide](#) [6]
- [Policies](#) [7]

2. Get feedback on the proposal from all participants and your [Mitacs business development representative](#) [8]

3. Collect all required signatures: intern(s), professor(s), partner contact, and university Office of Research Services or equivalent

4. Email your proposal package to your Mitacs representative

For Questions, please contact

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