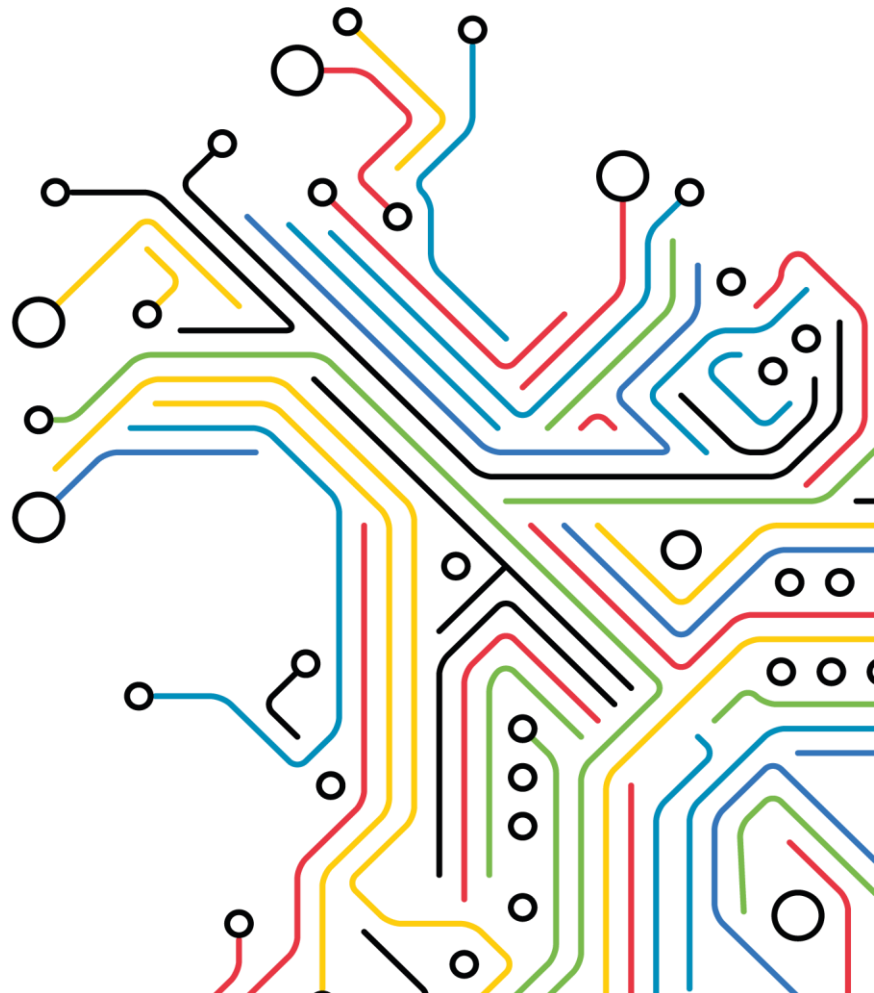




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INESC TEC'S Summer Internships





General Presentation

If you are interested in research, and you like to learn how to create something new, come from theory to practice and apply to **INESC TEC's Summer Internships**.

The internships will have a minimum duration of **four weeks**, from July 10 to September 15. [After the end of the application process in Telecommunications and Multimedia](#), we now have 30 additional positions in the following research areas: Energy; Computer Engineering; Robotics.

At the end of the internship, you will have the opportunity to present the results of your work in a final session - and you will be eligible to receive a distinction for best internship! You will also obtain a certificate of internship completion that you can include in your CV!

Moreover, in case you are interested you can also ensure **equivalence with the curricular internship**, mandatory to complete the degree at certain Higher Education Institutions, with which INESC TEC has protocols.

INESC TEC is a private non-profit research association, with Public Interest status, dedicated to scientific research and technological development, technology transfer, advanced consulting and training, and pre-incubation of new technology-based companies. Present in six sites in the cities of Porto (headquarters), Braga and Vila Real, and with more than 800 researchers, INESC TEC acts from knowledge generation to science-based innovation, and performs collaboratively in search for a more sustainable, responsible, and improved world. The primary goal of INESC TEC is to exceed performance in research, while considering its social, environmental, and economic impact, with a commitment to the scientific and technological contribution to foster pervasive intelligence.

As so, INESC TEC endeavours to be a relevant international player in Science and Technology in several domains, such as computer science, energy systems, artificial intelligence, communications, power and energy systems or robotics. Being an institution that operates at the interface between the academic and business worlds, bringing academia, companies, public administration, and society closer together, INESC TEC generates new knowledge as part of its research, and leverages that knowledge in technology transfer projects, seeking impact through both value creation and social relevance. INESC TEC integrates 13 R&D Centres with complementary skills, always focused on the international market. At INESC TEC, the knowledge and results generated in fundamental research are typically applied in technology transfer projects, always ensuring greater and immediate social relevance. In Portugal, INESC TEC's technological innovation capacity has allowed the modernization of national sectors and the launch of new companies operating worldwide.

The main goal of these Summer Internships is to provide a first research experience to those who seek to learn more about research and development activities, complementing their training and eventually creating conditions for future collaborations.



Who can apply?

Bachelor or master's degree students, in the areas of Electrical and Computer Engineering, Computer Engineering, Computer Science, Data Science, or other similar domains.

All applicants must be enrolled in a Higher Education Institution, when applying for the Summer Internships.

Important note: If you have recently applied for the [CTM Summer Internships](#) initiatives, in the area of Telecommunications and Multimedia, and if you have already been selected, you cannot accumulate with any other internship. If you remain on the waiting list or have not been selected, you can apply for the available positions in these new areas.

What we have to offer?

We provide a practical research experience, for at least **four weeks**, where you will be placed in one of our research centres to experience and understand how research is done and how you can contribute to the creation of something new.

During the internship, you will have access to all the conditions and technologies necessary to carry out your work. These internships are unpaid and are considered a complement to your training.

You will have the opportunity to expand your knowledge and skills acquired academically, working in a professional environment, solving real problems.

You will also be able to develop soft skills, such as collaboration, cooperation, and teamwork.

You will also have the opportunity to explore future perspectives for further studies and/or career development alternatives.

Moreover, if it is in your interest, you can also ensure **equivalence with the curricular internship**, mandatory to complete the degree at certain Higher Education Institutions with which INESC TEC has protocols. You will be responsible **to ensure that you meet all the requirements established by your Higher Education Institution**. We can help you with this process, just contact us through the email internships@inesctec.pt.



How it works

Places are limited. We have 30 positions available in the following research areas: Energy, Computer Engineering and Robotics.

The internships have a minimum duration of four weeks, running between July 10 and September 15, and require your full-time participation.

You must fill out an application form, indicating in the order of your preference, the research area(s), you wish to apply. If you are selected, you will be assigned a supervisor and your work plan will be duly elaborated. You will then receive further instructions on how to proceed with the formalisation of your internship.

If you wish to have an **equivalence with the curricular internship**, it will be your responsibility to make sure, before applying, that all the necessary requirements are met so that this summer internship is recognised by the HEI where you are enrolled. As an illustration, you may consult [here](#) a brief example with the conditions and procedures to be met. We can help you in this process, just contact us via the email internships@inesctec.pt.

Important dates:

Applications: June 5-20

Evaluation and selection of participants: June 21-27

Announcement of results: June 29

Finalization of the internship work plan: June 27 to July 7

Internship Completion: four weeks, between July 10 and September 15

Submission of the report and final evaluation – second half of September (TBD)

How you can apply

If you are interested in research, and you'd like to learn how to create something new, you should go from theory into practice and apply now to INESC TEC's Summer Internships.

All you need to do is fill out the Application Form available [here](#), with your personal data, the research area(s) you wish to apply, the period in which you are available to carry out the internship, and a short text explaining your motivation to do this internship with us.



Evaluation, Selection and Notification

A panel of researchers will evaluate all applications submitted, considering the research area selected and the motivation for doing the internship. Accepted applications will depend on the match of the interest expressed by the applicant and the opportunities available in each area.

The selection panel may also request further interviews or additional information (e.g., CV or data on your academic background), whenever deemed necessary.

The evaluation and selection process is expected to last seven days; after this period, all applicants will be notified by email with the results.

If you are one of the selected candidates, you will receive further instructions on how to proceed with your internship.

Report and final presentation

At the end of the internship, you must submit a report and make a short presentation of the work carried out, during a session specifically designed for this purpose, which will take place in the second half of September.

You may ask your supervisor for help in writing your internship report.

Internships will be properly evaluated, and during the final session, it will be awarded a distinction for the best internship.

At the end, everyone will receive a certificate of participation and completion of the internship.

Contacts

For more information, please contact us through the following email: internships@inesctec.pt.