

# ProspectSoft Ltd

## Industrial Placement Scheme



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**WINNER of the Best SME Placement Provider for the 3<sup>rd</sup> Time!**



### About ProspectSoft

ProspectSoft is an exciting British software company that provides amazing software solutions with the aim of helping businesses to grow and become more successful. Our software can help generate more enquiries, make more sales and improve customer retention whilst integrating with the leading UK accounts package providers.

Our four main products are CRM software, eCommerce, eMail Marketing, and Mobile options that work together or on their own to suit the needs of our customers and achieve an automated and integrated system that works to the needs of the business; SMEs and small corporate users in particular. Our business partners include major IT players such as Intel, Hewlett Packard and software suppliers like Access Accounting, Pegasus and Iris Exchequer.

The company is made up of some fantastic people who have a passion for helping our clients succeed. Many members of the team are actually returning placement students, who have returned to the company after a successful placement year, as the placement scheme is ProspectSoft's fundamental way of recruiting, and essential to the growth of the company. The company is continuing to expand and is now installed in the UK and 12 other countries, from Sweden to South Africa, Ireland to New Zealand and the USA.

### Why Choose ProspectSoft?

The Awards speak for themselves! We have won The Best SME Placement Provider for 3 out of the last 4 years, and were the runner up in the 4<sup>th</sup>. Furthermore, ProspectSoft has been recognised by the National Council for Work Experience - being named the Best Place to Experience a Placement in 2010, and being recognised as a highly commended organisation in 2012.

As a Placement with us, you can be assured that you will be a valued member of the team and have a significant impact on the company. A previous placement student with us has even won the Rate My Placement Award for Best Student Contribution to an SME.

As one current placement student explained;

*“What a brilliant placement experience I have had; I have been given some incredible opportunities and a very high-level of responsibility... I cannot express how valued I felt and I genuinely did not feel like a placement student, but a vital member of the Team.”*



## Placement Reviews

Read our Award-Winning Reviews:

<http://www.ratemyplacement.co.uk/search?company=389&show=reviews>

Read Placement Testimonials: <http://prospectsoft.com/careers>

Catch up with our Placement blog : <http://blog.prospectsoft.com/blog/category/placements/>

## The Job Role

**Location:** Stokenchurch, Buckinghamshire

**Salary:** £15,661 for a 13 month contract

### Assistant Solutions Developer Assistant Support Consultant

#### Overview:

ProspectSoft have a history of providing superb placement opportunities for top calibre IT students. We recruit with future permanent job opportunities in mind and are therefore **ONLY** looking for ambitious students who wish to pursue a career in the IT industry.

In this position, successful applicants will become involved in two company roles throughout the year. This will allow for a deeper insight into how the company functions and will also give placements a more rounded feel of working in the Industry. The two roles are the Assistant Support Consultant role in which placements will become familiar with customers and the Prospectsoft system and the Assistant Solutions Developer role in which placements will become used to developing software in a professional environment.

The year will be highly software development focused and will involve the use of technologies such as the .NET framework, ActiveX/COM and web technologies including HTML, CSS and JavaScript. Any experience with the above technologies, SQL or Sybase/Oracle databases will be advantageous although not essential. Students can expect to leave their placement having had real life experience of the entire development lifecycle.

Successful applicants can expect to gain a great deal of experience working and building relationships with customers on systems analysis, software development, databases, writing SQL statements and procedures to populate and manipulate data within them. Placement students will also gain experience with some of the industry's latest and most powerful technologies such as Microsoft Windows Servers, Microsoft Windows (including Windows 8), Microsoft Office 2013, Microsoft Office 365, Microsoft Virtual PC, Microsoft Exchange, Citrix Go-to-assist, ProspectSoft CRM... and many more.

This year's students have been working closely with permanent staff to ensure the successful latest releases of ProspectSoft CRM and Web Solutions. Other placement activities often include full development projects, setting up testing and demonstration environments, and assisting with the specification and design of bespoke software developments for customers.

To view past placements opportunities and reviews please follow the link:  
<http://www.prospectsoft.com/careers/placements>.

#### Qualifications:

You will typically be expecting to achieve a 2:1 or above in a Computer Science related subject.

#### Skills:

**You should be able to demonstrate a strong interest in computing, and a desire to develop your skills in all aspects of computer technology. Good communication skills both written and verbal are especially important as placements will be required to deal both inter-departmentally and with other departments as well as with customers and partners. There may also be the opportunity to visit client sites to attend meetings and help with software installation, implementation and training.**

#### To Apply:

If you are interested in joining our dynamic and exciting team and are prepared to work hard whilst having fun, please:

- **email your CV to: [careers@prospectsoft.com](mailto:careers@prospectsoft.com)**
- **Include a covering letter stating why you feel you are suitable for this particular role.**

**The closing date for applications is 16<sup>th</sup> February**, however please bear in mind that positions for assessment days are filled as applications are received.