

Met Office

IT Industrial Placements

Exeter

About us

Through world-leading science and cutting-edge technology, we collaborate to challenge the ordinary every day because we believe in the best. Working with global partners such as NASA, our IT projects reach as far as Space. Our Exeter HQ is an amazing facility. It offers use of an onsite gym, spa, subsidised restaurant, cafe, Costa, an array of clubs/societies and is easily commutable from/to the centre of Exeter. Many of our Industrial Placement students end up working at the Met Office after graduating, so this is a great opportunity to put yourself in the spotlight of a world leading organisation!

About the role

Without technology, the Met Office wouldn't be where it is today. Technology is key to every area of our work – from science and forecasting to marketing and consultancy. We're constantly pushing ourselves to stay ahead of the game, exploiting technology to keep people safe, enable industries to operate, aircraft to take off and land safely, and help Governments to make key decisions.

We're looking to recruit ambitious, capable undergraduates to join our 12-month Industrial Placement Scheme across our Technology and Information Services team. You will gain valuable experience and absorb information from around 500 of the UK's most talented and enthusiastic IT professionals. You will get to see firsthand what a £97 million Supercomputer can achieve. Our Supercomputer is the largest in Europe and one of the largest in the world. Whatever your IT interests – from application and development to infrastructure or testing – you'll have a chance to explore new ways of working and increase your knowledge. We'll give you the right tools, training and support to help you to make the most of your placement year and your time with us.

About you

You'll be currently studying for a science, numeracy or IT based degree and would like to spend your placement year gaining 12 months practical industry experience. With knowledge of at least one programming language, you also have a keen interest in IT development. You're a great team player and engaging communicator, comfortable using your own initiative and managing your own time. An effective and analytical problem solver, you're also curious, someone who loves to learn and apply new skills.

Apply

Please visit our careers website (<http://careers.metoffice.gov.uk/current-vacancies>) to find our IT

Industrial Placement vacancy and further details on how to apply.

Additional Information

Salary: £14,994 pa

Closing date: 4th March 2016

Kind regards

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