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Get access to excellence within Life Science – host an internship for a researcher

Take the possibility to host a researcher (with a PhD degree) from KI for up to three months through our internship program. You get to design the project based on your organization's need, and the bigger part of the researcher's salary is covered by KI. The hosting organizations contribute with a fixed sum.

KI Career Service offers a selection of very motivated researchers from KI the possibility to perform a three-month internship with a non-academic organization.

The researchers are active in different research fields with competence relevant to organizations working with Life Science and health. The project is defined based on your organization's specific needs, and can, for example, focus on laboratory work, method development, data analysis or literature studies. The internship project does not need to be part of the researcher's academic research project.

Through this internship program, you get access to research competence, can start or strengthen the collaboration between your organization and KI, and have a chance to establish valuable contacts which might lead to future recruitment.

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**"Internship
for researchers"**



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Interested?

Contact the
Karolinska Institute Career Service:

career-service@ki.se

We are happy to discuss your ideas regarding projects or other possible collaborations which could benefit both your organization and KI. Just contact us!

More information about this program and our other activities can be found on our website:

ki.se/careerservice

About the researchers

Most of the researchers applying for the program are postdocs, but also more senior researchers could be interested in external projects. They perform research in a wide range of fields and topics, among which: allergies, cancer genetics, epidemiology, HIV, human stem cells, clinical microbiology, neurophysiology, infection, structural biology and many more.

About the internship

The internship consists of three months fulltime work, which can be performed full- or part-time. The main part of the internship should consist of a practical task which is meaningful for both you as an organization, and the researcher. It is important that the researcher's competence is used in the best possible way. Next to this, the internship is to include an introduction to your organization, it's structure, employees, work mission and, if relevant, it's ongoing research.

Conditions of collaboration

Before the start of the program, your organization sends in a written description of the internship project and takes part in a mingle where interested researchers get to ask questions. Calls for internships happen about twice each year.

Researchers are very competent, independent and used to driving projects. This means that the role of a supervisor would mostly be to act as point of contact and introduce the researcher to the work. After the completion of the internship, both supervisor and researcher get the chance to evaluate their experience.

The researchers are employed by KI during the internship and KI take the salary costs. However, a fixed cost of 40 000 (inc taxes) is paid by the hosting organization to take part in this internship program.

“ We got both hands-on help and intellectual input. That was exactly what we were looking for ”

“ Really positive experience for us too, excellent work and finished in expected timelines ”