

Do you have a background in engineering and are hoping to re-enter the field in Washington?

CITY OF SEATTLE INTERNSHIP INFORMATION SESSION

T U E S D A Y
January 25th
12:00 pm - 1:30 pm
Zoom link sent via email

Login to join the City of Seattle, in connection with Jewish Family Service, the Welcome Back Center, and Trac Associates, to learn more about City of Seattle Internships.

We will be joined by speakers from Seattle Public Utilities, Seattle City Light, and Seattle Human Resources who will provide guidance on how to be a competitive applicant for paid Engineering Internships with the City of Seattle. Participants will be provided with resume and interview preparation.

Requirements for Internship:

- Be willing to submit proof of work authorization in the U.S.
- Have an engineering degree from your country of origin
- Be willing to complete a degree evaluation
- Maintain a GPA of 2.5 or higher during the internship

If offered an Internship, the City Requires:

- That Interns are readily available to work onsite in Seattle when operational needs require
- That Interns be willing to provide proof of a COVID-19 Vaccination by the start date
- That Interns be willing to provide proof of being an active, registered student



If you meet the above requirements and are interested in this event, you can register at <https://forms.gle/qAfa9xT9ed5nR9Ud9>. For more information about this opportunity, please email kpeavler@jfsseattle.org with questions.

CITY OF SEATTLE | SESSION SPEAKERS

DAT NGUYEN, SEATTLE PUBLIC UTILITIES

Dat has worked in government human resources at the State of Washington and City of Seattle for close to 30 years. Throughout his career, he has worked in various HR functional areas as recruitment, labor relations, classification and compensation. Dat manages the Seattle Public Utilities' College Internship Program for the past 3 years. In this role, he works with supervisors to identify internship opportunities, draft job postings and is a liaison with students throughout the hiring process. Given that internship is potentially at the beginning of the talent pipeline, he's passionate about providing these opportunities to as many students as possible.

LINDSAY OHAB, SEATTLE CITY LIGHT

Lindsay manages the internship program for Seattle's local electric utility (which delivers electricity to over 460,000 customers in our region!). She works with local colleges and universities to promote the internship program, recruit and onboard new interns, and plan professional development events for the program. Students from all types of academic disciplines participate in City Light's summer internship program – such as engineering, business, public policy, and more. Lindsay enjoys working with amazing students who make a positive impact across our community.

SANDRA WONG, SEATTLE HUMAN RESOURCES

Sandra is an Intern Program Coordinator with the Seattle Department of Human Resources Workforce Equity. In her role, she works with the 30 City Departments to hire the college interns for the City of Seattle. Sandra works with hiring managers to create the internship postings, recruiting for applicants, onboarding, and supporting the department HR business partners. Sandra is passionate in working with the potential and possibility of bringing youth to meet the City's future workforce needs.

STEFANI THORNTON, SEATTLE HUMAN RESOURCES

Stefani is the Workforce Development Program Coordinator with the Seattle Department of Human Resources. She is experienced managing staff trainings and educational events focused on career development. Stefani is a passionate connector of people to resources.

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Technology Operations-Engineering Intern from Afghanistan

"As a student with a Master's level Electrical Engineer with over 15 years of EPC (Engineering, Procurement and Construction) project management, electrical design, and quality control experience, I have submitted several applications with multiple organizations with no job offers. It has been challenging to get professional experience and starting a new career in the United States. It made sense for me to start my career as an intern. In this internship, I've learned to be patient. The hiring process took a while. Be patient and wait for the process to finish. It is a worth the wait as it is a privilege to be an intern here."

