

Undergraduate Internship in Dublin: European Foundation for the Improvement of Living and Working Conditions

The Foundation is a European Agency, one of the first to be established to work in specialized areas of EU policy. Specifically, it was set up by the European Council to contribute to the planning and design of better living and working conditions in Europe.

The Foundation carries out research and development projects, to provide data and analysis for informing and supporting the formulation of EU policy on working and living conditions. The Foundation has a network of experts throughout Europe who conduct research on its behalf including assessing the current national situations, the preparation of case studies and national reports and the conducting of surveys.

The Foundation is a tripartite EU Agency with the mission to develop knowledge, and provide research findings in the fields of living and working conditions and industrial relations to policy-makers in the EU institutions, governments and social partners.

Preference will be given to candidates capable of contributing to the analysis of social and labor policies in a comparative or global perspective and of working in a multicultural environment.

Each intern will be supervised by a senior staff member working in the research program of the EF. The candidate will work as an assistant on a specific project, making a contribution to either the EF's work program. At the end of the internship, each student could be called to present the results of his/her work in an internal EF workshop.

The opportunity is to work in the framework of the European Industrial Relations Observatory (EIRO), analyzing concise national reports on specific industrial relations topics (structured features), and preparing a comparative overview for publication online. The topics under consideration include the role of social partners in the implementation of national action plans for employment (NAPS) in the context of the European Employment Strategy and undeclared work.

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