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## INFORMATION & COMMUNICATIONS TECHNOLOGY (ICT) INTERN



*"A lot of companies only hire skilled professionals for tech-related jobs so I jumped at the chance to get some experience and learn more about a field that interests me. I was able to build on new skills, such as graphic design, working in Excel, promotional and business writing, and networking."*

*"I know there's a future for me in ICT and I'm way more excited about working in the tech industry now. This internship opened my eyes to a whole swath of careers I'd never dreamed of. There are a lot of passionate, smart people out there who are working together to do some really cool things."*

*I often speak with other students about my experience and tell them not to be intimidated by what they don't know. The mentors out there are awesome, and they want to help us as much as we want to do a great job for them."*



# CAREERS

**TAKE  
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