ROADMAP FOR FINDING STEM INTERNSHIPS & CO-OP PLACEMENTS

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BONUS TIP
Start building a mentorship network of professionals in your field. Make a point of speaking to those who have lived and worked abroad.

TOP RESOURCES
Find agencies and NGOs with internship positions using these resource lists
International Internship Organizations
Use the “sector” filter to search for STEM opportunities.
International Internships and Student Programs With Canadian Governments
For Canadian citizens. Check out the IYIP program, and others.
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ADDITIONAL RESOURCES
All Job Boards
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Business Directories
Find companies working internationally in your STEM field.
Regional Job Boards
Find regionally focused STEM job boards.

BONUS TIP
International development often involves STEM disciplines. It’s also a great field for building cross-cultural experience.

TOP RESOURCES
Research companies, internships, jobs and mentorship connections:
Engineering Job Boards.

TOP RESOURCES
All NGOs
Multiple internship and volunteer opportunities with these NGOs.
NGO Job Boards
If an NGO is posting international STEM jobs, they are good targets for an internship or co-op placement.

KEY ADVICE
These crucial ideas will help you build your career:
Qualities of an International Engineer: Why not engineer abroad?
The Four Parts to Acquiring Global Career Skills: Are you ready for the challenge?
Your International IQ: Get ahead with a global mindset!
How to Survive Your First International Internship: Make an impression abroad!
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