



## Sage PLC

**Website:** [www.sage.com](http://www.sage.com)

**Based at:** Sage HQ, North Park, Newcastle upon Tyne NE13 9AA

**About our business:** Sage is the market leader for integrated accounting, payroll and payment systems, supporting the ambition of the world's entrepreneurs. Like many of the businesses we serve, Sage began as a small business and has grown beyond what seemed imaginable. Today over 13000 colleagues now support millions of entrepreneurs across 23 countries, powering the global economy. It is these entrepreneurs who are the drivers of prosperity and it's our privilege and honour to serve them. We take real pride from how many of our customers have flourished and, that our products have grown with them as they moved from start-up to successful, international businesses. In a world where only the voices of the biggest are heard, we will always fight to hear the voice of the entrepreneur.

**About the internships:** We are offering internships to two or three successful applicants. Interns will spend 10 – 12 weeks working within one of our key business areas. These could include Human Resources, Finance or Procurement. Interns will join the team as a full time member of staff, and will be expected to deliver 'real-life' work, alongside an internship project which will be agreed in advance.

**Duration of internship:** 10 – 12 weeks

**Dates of internship:** Flexible during summer vacation 2018 (late June to late September)

**Working hours:** 35 hours per week

**Do applicants have to be studying a particular subject to apply?** Business, Finance or Management preferable.

**Do applicants have to have any specific skills or existing knowledge?** No

**Do applicants have to be DBS checked?** No

**Describe your ideal intern in five words:** Enthusiastic. Self-starter. Motivated. Takes initiative. Confident

**Remuneration:** These are paid internships, c. £15k pa pro rata. *(Remember that all students completing internships as part of the **Intern:NE** initiative are also offered room-only accommodation in College for the duration of their internship.)*

**We are supporting the Intern:NE initiative because:** We are changing the way that millions of businesses track the movement of money through their business. We are also changing the way we do business. And as a FTSE 100 business we believe in a socially-responsible world and we are active in supporting our local communities and invest in making a real difference through the philanthropy of the Sage Foundation. Our business was set-up in the North East, and continues to be headquartered in the area – our growth will be driven by our home, and that is the North East of England.

**How to apply for this internship:** Applicants should send an up to date electronic CV and a covering letter to [grads@sage.com](mailto:grads@sage.com)

**Closing date for applications:** 5pm on Friday 2<sup>nd</sup> February 2018

**If you have any further questions about the internship, please contact:**  
[grads@sage.com](mailto:grads@sage.com)