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Website: <https://careersatnissan.co.uk/>

Based at: Nissan Sunderland, Washington Road, Sunderland, SR5 3NS
How many internships do you plan to offer?

About our organisation: Though Nissan Sunderland (NMUK) is Britain's largest car production plant, employing over 6,000 staff and producing in excess of 10 million cars since production began in 1986, we're not just all about cars. Our people and culture are the heart of our business and we are proud of the diversity and variety that is found at NMUK. Nissan is diverse at every level. We have over 37 nationalities at our global headquarters alone and we believe it is our diverse workforce that makes us interesting. We thrive off new thinking and differing perspectives. That is why we encourage and take full advantage of mixed backgrounds, genders, nationalities, ages and lifestyles. The unique personalities found within our Nissan communities around the world make us powerful. At Nissan Sunderland we are rightly proud of our North East location and the thriving culture that this brings. Some of the friendliest people in the world walk through our doors every day and it is this that makes for a warm and supportive working environment.

About the internship: Within the plant at Nissan Sunderland, the Nissan Skills Foundation (NSF) aims to bridge the gap between the opportunities provided by the success of Nissan and the skills and abilities of school leavers. It is a departure from the normal day-to-day business of manufacturing cars and is set up to actively engage with school children from Primary, Secondary and Tertiary institutions in the North East. It offers both structured classroom-style lessons and ad hoc engagement events based upon the needs of local schools. Our approach is to remove all barriers and raise students' aspirations and understanding of the opportunities available in Engineering and Manufacturing, and increase engagement with STEM subjects using innovative activities.

Our intern will be involved in planning and delivering activities for school visits in local schools; devising data capture methods for capturing the benefits of the programme; working with existing data sets to analyse the benefits of our work; writing reports; and presenting to team members.

You can read more about the work of the Nissan Skills Foundation at <https://uk.nissannews.com/en-GB/releases/release-426212167-nissan-skills-foundation-reaches-30-000-children-across-north-east-england>

Duration of internship: Four weeks

Dates of internship, if fixed: To be agreed with successful applicant (from late-August to late-September).

Working hours / hours per week: Working week is 39 hours 7:55 – 16:40 Mon – Thurs, 7:55 – 14:25 Friday

Do applicants have to be studying a particular subject? This internship is open to students studying any degree programme. We're looking for someone who is interested in researching the social impact and "value" of our STEM schools programs so may be of particular interest to STEM students or those studying Education Studies or Social Sciences.

Do applicants have to have any specific skills or existing knowledge? (for example, coding, social media expertise, foreign language ability, etc.): No

Do applicants have to be DBS checked? Yes

Describe your ideal intern in five words: Innovative, enthusiastic, friendly, inquisitive, caring

Remuneration: This is an unpaid internship. Uniform and all necessary PPE will be provided by Nissan. St Chad's College will provide free accommodation in College and a travel subsidy to cover the cost of travel (petrol or public transport cost) for the successful applicant for the duration of the internship.

We are supporting the Intern:NE initiative because: We believe that it's important that young people can see the fantastic graduate career opportunities that exist within the North East region. At Nissan Sunderland we are an advanced automotive manufacturing plant but within our plant multiple alternative career paths exist for graduate from all academic disciplines, from Human Resources and Finance to Communications and CSR. We're proud that many of the young people who complete placements with us during their education come back to work in permanent roles, and we know that nurturing the talent in the region is not only good for business but good for the North East.

How to apply for this internship: Please send a CV and a covering letter to Ian Green (contact details below) by the deadline of 5pm on 13th August 2021. **(PLEASE NOTE SHORT DEADLINE)**

If you have any further questions about this internship, please contact: Ian Green , ian.green@nissan-nmuk.co.uk (07989345284)