

How to *find out more*

For easy enrollment, log onto
the Third Frontier Internship
Program Web site at:

www.ohio3fip.com

*The site provides students
and businesses with
information about the
program, eligibility and
benefits and online
registration.*



Businesses and students can designate a preferred statewide location and time of year for internships, as well as the type of internship desired (math, science or engineering).

The Third Frontier Internship Program is administered by the Ohio Department of Development using part of the Governor's Workforce Investment Act discretionary funds from the Ohio Department of Job and Family Services.



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An Investment *in your future*





Benefits for businesses

Identifying and hiring the right people is one of the greatest challenges facing today's high-tech businesses. If your firm qualifies to participate in the Third Frontier Internship Program, you will have the opportunity to hire and develop individuals with advanced skills and outstanding potential for success in the high-tech business world. Interns can be a high-value addition to your workforce, bringing innovative ideas that make companies more competitive in the global marketplace.

Benefits for students

If you are at least a college sophomore or a graduate or doctoral student in good academic standing at an Ohio institution of higher education, and enrolled in an approved math, science or engineering curriculum, you may be eligible to jump-start your career with the Third Frontier Internship Program. Your internship experience will enhance your educational achievements and will increase your chances of landing a job at a dynamic firm after graduation.

Students enrolled in either an Ohio two-year community or technical college, or in an Ohio four-year college or university can earn up to \$6000 over a 12-month period.

The Third Frontier internship program

The Third Frontier Internship Program was inspired by a drive to bring talented students together with dynamic companies in an effort to position Ohio for long-term growth and heighten the state's high-tech capabilities in the evolving knowledge-based economy.

Established in 2002, the program links Ohio students with rewarding internship opportunities that provide great hands-on experience within Ohio's private sector business community. The goal of the program is to build a young, talented workforce for the future and assist students in gaining valuable work experiences that can lead to permanent full-time employment in Ohio after graduation.

The program will reimburse up to 50 percent of the intern's wage, or no more than \$3,000 for a 12-month period. Following an intern's graduation, your firm will have the opportunity to offer full-time employment to an individual who is well prepared for a future career with your organization.

The Third Frontier Internship Program is looking for participating businesses that can provide one or more of the following types of internships:

- Advanced manufacturing
- Information technology
- Advanced materials
- Instruments; controls and electronics
- Bioscience
- Power and propulsion

