

# ADAPT Undergraduate Internship Programme 2019

## PROJECT DESCRIPTION

<b>Institution/Team:</b>	EU Funding
<b>Project Title:</b>	Research Funding Development Internship
<b>Suitable for students who are studying in the following areas:</b>	This internship is suitable for any student who is interested in pursuing a career in research and would like to gain exposure to research development and the grant writing/application process. Interest in the EU and EU structures would provide context
<b>Skills needed:</b>	Good writing and communication skills Adaptable Self motivated Familiarity with applying for research funding or previous work on a research project is highly desirable but not required
<b>Project Description:</b>	The intern will assist the EU Programme management team in: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• In depth profile analysis of academic research</li> <li>• Organising Training programme and events and delivering same to researchers throughout the centre.</li> <li>• Communicating and evaluating the training programme upon delivery</li> <li>• Assist with workprogramme analysis – looking in depth at forthcoming calls and workprogrammes to help with building strategy</li> <li>• Matching workprogramme themes, topics and calls to the Centre's strengths and research competencies</li> <li>• Promoting funding opportunities with the Centre both internally and externally</li> </ul>
<b>The Role of the student &amp; benefits gained from participation in this project:<sup>1</sup></b>	The intern will gain in depth knowledge about the European research funding environment, learn about the processes and tools available to support researchers in developing and submitting competitive research funding proposals, and assist with the delivery of a programme of supports helping researchers to secure grant funding.
<b>Who will be working with you?</b>	The intern will be working with the ADAPT Centre's EU Programme Managers, Dr. Máire Brophy and Dr. John Judge
<b>Short description of the group:</b>	(E.g. We have 7 people in our group – Prof Y (the team leader/PI), 3 post-docs, 2 PhD students, 1 technician)  The ADAPT EU Research Managers drive the Centre's strategy to secure significant EU grant funding, manage existing and new research funding awards in Horizon 2020, and evaluate the success in line with the Centre's ambitious EU objectives. The team is responsible for the identification and communication of future funding opportunities and the coordination of centre-wide applications for funding.  The EU Funding team support ADAPT researchers in engaging with wider research programmes throughout Europe (and beyond) and in applying for funding to take their research further. The EU Funding Team support ADAPT researchers in finding and availing of opportunities in European funding and working to further underpin these efforts with a postdoc training programme and an ERC support programme.
<b>Recommended Reading Material:</b>	(e.g. General articles on your track, web links etc) <a href="https://ec.europa.eu/programmes/horizon2020/en/what-horizon-2020">https://ec.europa.eu/programmes/horizon2020/en/what-horizon-2020</a>
<b>Other information:</b>	

<sup>1</sup> ***This is an initial description of the role of the student and it is liable to change following discussions between the investigators and the student.***

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