IIITDM Kancheepuram Summer Internship for External Students (IIITDM-SIES)

This internship programme is for two months, designed to enhance awareness and interest in high-quality academic research activities among young Engineering, Sciences and Humanities students through a goal-oriented product development at Indian Institute of Information Technology Design and Manufacturing, Kancheepuram (IIITDM Kancheepuram).

Eligibility

The students from institute/universities other than IIITDM Kancheepuram can apply for internship through this program. The students completed 4th semester exams of B.Sc or 6th semester exams of B.E./B.Tech./B.Des/B.Arch, 6th or 8th semester exams of Integrated M.E./M.Tech. programme (Dual Degree), 2nd semester exams of M.E./M.Tech./M.Des./M.Arch/M.Sc. with an outstanding academic background in terms of high ranks in the institute / university examinations are encouraged to apply, highlighting their academic performance and achievements including papers presented at seminars, conferences, projects executed, design contests participated, score/rank in Mathematics Olympiad and any other awards/distinctions obtained. The students with external agency fellowship are also eligible to apply for this internship program.

Period of Programme

The internship programme will tentatively be scheduled between 18th May and 15th July 2026.

Participating Departments

- Computer Science and Engineering
- Electronics and Communication Engineering
- Mechanical Engineering
- Science and Humanities
- School of Interdisciplinary Design

Mode of Internship

The mode of internship will be offline (in-person) at IIITDM Kancheepuram.

Scholarship

An incentive of ₹10,000 will be awarded at the end of the internship period to a maximum of 50% of the total interns who deserve, based on merit and performance.

Accommodation

Free accommodation will be provided at institute (IIITDM Kancheepuram) hostel.

Bonafide

Bonafide / Endorsement certificate issued by the Head of Department / Institution is required in the specified format. Note the tentative start and end date of the internship without fail.

Outcome of Internship Programme

The interns should carry out research work assigned by the respective faculty (mentor) at IIITDM Kancheepuram. The desirable deliverables include publications based on the work in reputable journals and/or conferences and IPR generation (NDA need to be signed).

Instructions to the candidates

Instructions to fill up the online form for Summer Internship Programme (2 Months) at IIITDM Kancheepuram

1. Each candidate must upload a single PDF file (max. file size 5 MB and .pdf format only) containing the following documents:

(a) Brief resume or CV highlighting the area of interest, not exceeding two pages.

(b) Scanned copies of original / self-attested grade sheets of SSLC (10th standard), HSC (12th standard), all semesters of Bachelor's degree (B.E./B.Tech./B.Des./B.Arch/B.Sc.(Engg.)), and all available grade sheet of Master's degree (M.E./M.Tech./M.Des./M.Arch/M.Sc.). Candidates should have at least 55% marks or equivalent CGPA in all the examinations SSLC onward.

(c) The applicants should be among the top 20% based on CGPA/% score in the College/ Institution/University at the time of applying for internship and to be certified by the Head of Department / Institute at the time of application.

(d) Bonafide cum Endorsement certificate from the Head of the Department / Institute (on institute letterhead) recommending the student for the summer internship programme is mandatory as per template provided.

2. Each candidate must upload a clear photograph (.jpg/.png/.gif formats only and max. size allowed is 100 KB).

3. Applications not containing any of the documents mentioned in point (1) will not be considered for shortlisting.

4. A maximum of HUNDRED AND THREE positions are being considered for May-July 2026 summer internship programme. Accommodation for the selected candidates during the internship tenure will be provided at IIITDM Hostel at free of cost. The food and other available amenities may be provided on payment basis.

5. The selection will be conducted based on merit, a written examination (if required), and the specific requirements of the concerned department at IIITDM Kancheepuram.

6. A maximum of ONE intern student will be assigned per interested faculty at IIITDM Kancheepuram as mentor under this summer internship programme, apart from candidates with external agency fellowship.

7. The mentor allotment for the interns will be decided by IIITDM Kancheepuram. No sharing of intern candidates among the mentors will be permitted.

8. Check the filled-in details, before submitting the form. Once submitted, no changes can be made in the form.

9. Applicant will receive a confirmation email from IIITDM Kancheepuram. This confirms that his / her application is submitted successfully along with the attached files.

10. If no confirmation is received via email, check the spam / junk folder before contacting IIITDM Kancheepuram.

11. Consistent brilliant academic performance (Relative rank in the class / Institute / University), research work carried out by the student besides his regular academic work and participation/ recognition in competitions will be given preference in the selection process.

12. The names of the students shortlisted for the written examination (if required) will be published on the IIITDM Kancheepuram website by the third week of March. No separate email communication will be sent.

13. The list of students selected for the Summer Internship Programme will be displayed on IIITDM Kancheepuram website by the second week of April. No separate mail communication will be sent.

14. The waitlisted candidates will be given an opportunity for the Summer Internship Programme, if the selected students haven't responded within the given deadline/refused to take the internship offer.

15. Please note that successful submission of your online application does not confirm your selection for Summer Internship Programme.

16. No scholarship/fellowship will be provided to the intern candidates from IIITDM Kancheepuram. For students having external agency scholarship/fellowship, IIITDM Kancheepuram does not take any responsibility for the disbursement of the scholarship/fellowship amount. The student needs to be connected to the external agency directly for the disbursement of funds.

17. Selected candidates will be required to submit a report at the end of the program. An internship completion certificate will be issued by the Institute for the successful intern candidates.

18. The decision of IIITDM Kancheepuram shall be final in selecting the suitable candidates for the summer internship. No correspondence shall be entertained in this regard in whatsoever manner.

For any queries related to form-filling, contact: pic-internships@iiitdm.ac.in

Important Dates

Activity	Dates
Application open	16th Feb 2026 (Monday)
Application deadline	15th March 2026 (Sunday)
Short listed students for written exam (if required)	23rd March 2026 (Monday)
Written exam (if required)	29th March 2026 (Sunday)
Final selected students	15th April 2026 (Wednesday)
Internship start date	18th May 2026 (Monday)
Internship end date	15th July 2026 (Wednesday)