

Are you looking for an inspiring and challenging internship?

Then we are looking for YOU!

Start date: January/ February 2012

Location: Rotterdam

Period: 5 months (negotiable)

Places: 15 students

Level: Higher Education: 3rd – 4th year's students

Fields: Communication/ Social media/ Events; Industrial Design; Business/ Economics/ Marketing

Enviu – We start world changing companies!

Enviu develops innovative solutions to environmental and social issues and introduces these to the market. We collaborate with a large group of young entrepreneurial people, senior executives, corporate partners and universities to co-create these innovative businesses. Enviu operates in the Netherlands and medium income countries (www.enviu.org). Some of our projects are:

www.sustainabledanceclub.com, www.os-house.org and

www.ourmobilegeneration.org.

Working @ Enviu

As an intern you become a full member of the Enviu Team. We develop business ideas into start-ups that have a big impact in the world. You will work on projects within this process and together we make them a success!

We are looking for students that:

- love to dive into new things
- have creative minds
- are curious, pro-active and brave
- are good in working in teams, and also independently
- have great communication skills
- don't stop till the job is done, and done well
- want to challenge themselves
- have a positive attitude

What's in it for you?

At Enviu you can:

- work in projects that have an impact, are innovative and world changing
- expand your professional network and become part of the Enviu community
- follow different professional trainings and courses
- get experience in how we work and what we do (co-creation, open source, issue driven etc.)
- learn from experts from different fields, meet the pioneers in sustainability, innovation and entrepreneurship
- work in a young and innovative team
- be challenged to be the best you can be

Concrete assignments

Some examples of concrete internship assignments are listed below. We are a flexible organization, where things can change easily, so if you not see your perfect match below but do like the kind of positions we have, do not hesitate to apply as well! You never know what might comes up. Please check our current projects on our website (www.enviu.org).

Communication/ Social media/ Online community

- Corporate Communication & PR support for Enviu with a focus on social media, events organization, corporate website, online community management and graphic design (2 – 3 positions, native English or native Dutch)
- Marketing / Communication / PR for Textiles4Life: creating disaster relief products for the Red Cross made out of discarded textiles.
- Communication for our new mobile application the Help! App (NL). Will you come up with THE communication strategy to have 10.000 new downloads every month?

Industrial Design

- Prepare the Product & Material requirements for the international design competition of Textiles4Life.

Business studies

- Work on our newest innovations in the WOW Lab: Enriching business ideas that are in the first phase of our pipeline through desk research, interviews and organization/ facilitation of creative sessions with our community (NL).
- Develop a business case. Every year, approximately 240 million kg of textile waste is discarded in The Netherlands. Only 30% of this - 80 million is collected by clothing collecting companies. We have developed a technology that is able to sort the non-reusable clothes, but how can we turn this into a viable business case?

Event management/organization

- Prepare an international design competition: creating disaster relief products for the Red Cross made out of discarded textiles.

Economics/marketing/sustainability

- Make a sustainability analysis for recycling textiles. What are the concrete (commercial) advantages of recycling and what is the best way to communicate this? (NL)

Application Process

Please send your CV and motivation letter to Helga Delaere: office@enviu.org. For questions you can call 010-2887970. We love surprises, so more creative ways of applying are always welcome. We are looking for the best matches, so convince us you are the one! We will have room for 15 students in total. The first deadline of our application process is on December 6 at 12.00hrs (+1 GMT).

Within 2 days you will hear from us if we invite you to our Internship Challenge Day, which will be on 19 December (please keep that date free!).

During this day you will get to know the challenging environment in which Enviu is working and we will decide if there is a good match between you and Enviu.

Are you looking for a thesis assignment (Dutch), please have a look at our AIDA assignments (www.aidarotterdam.nl).

We are looking forward to meet you!

The Enviu Team