

/ Vacancy: Design for Innovation internship

From: Bax & Company
Location: Barcelona, Spain
Open position: Continuously looking for interns

The company

Bax & Company is a specialized consultancy supporting clients across Europe in shaping and implementing their R&D and innovation strategies. From our main Barcelona office, we work for large industrial corporations (many of which are Fortune 500 companies) as well as smaller high-tech companies, research institutes and governments. We add value by combining our knowledge, experience, methodology and network with a powerful drive to turn our clients' vision into reality in the complex world of partnering, new market opportunities, emerging policy fields and fast-changing technologies.

Our services include the creation of business, R&D and policy collaborations and the project management of such collaborations, as well as partner search and preparing and guiding companies in the implementation of Open Innovation strategies. Furthermore, we perform a range of activities related to the exploration of new markets, technologies and policy areas, profiling, planning and developing business growth opportunities, definition of technology or market development projects and the development and implementation of innovation policy.

We principally work in fields related to global societal challenges and emerging technologies such as sustainable construction, environment and infrastructure, smart cities, lightweight and electric automobility, advanced materials. We increasingly use advanced graphics & video communication tools to convince our clients and other stakeholders we engage with.

The position

Bax & Company is currently seeking candidates for an Design and Technology-oriented Internship position. We are looking for people who are close to graduation, ideally for whom an internship forms part of the curriculum.

As an intern, you will be supporting B&C consultants with client-facing assignments involving R&D project management, innovation collaborations, creation of new Open Innovation initiatives, and provision of support for clients' business development activities.

We expect you to participate in at least two or three different assignments that may cover substantially different fields. We do not formally require you have a strong background in particular fields, but we expect that you will work to the utmost of your ability to quickly adapt and learn about them.

You will perform your activities from our office in Barcelona.

In this particular case, we seek an intern with strong 2D design skills, able to convert abstract ideas and concepts into compelling graphics and possibly animations or other kinds of video material. The intern should have strong interests in advanced technologies, and a background in engineering or related sciences is considered a plus.

The candidates we are seeking

We seek ambitious candidates that are in their final year of innovation/design/engineering studies and/or graphical (2D) design studies at a highly ranked educational institution.

We are looking for candidates who combine a genuine passion for technology and business with a keen interest and desire to understand the fields of R&D, (Open) Innovation, technology to market and new business creation.

You need to be self-starting and stress-resistant, with a good eye for detail and a strong will to provide optimal added value, both in the work you perform for our consultants and for B&C clients. To be able to achieve this you will work closely with, and learn from, our more experienced consultants.

We seek people who can express their thoughts and insights rapidly, accurately and concisely – but can also listen very well. Good command of written and spoken English is crucial, if this is not your strong point we ask you not to apply.

Overall, we are looking for entrepreneurial spirits who want to take charge of the tasks assigned to them, seek coaching from their more experienced colleagues, and impress with their level of performance in general.

Additional requirements and conditions

In addition to good working English, additional languages are definitely a plus (e.g. Spanish, Dutch, Catalan, German, French).

Interviews will be conducted upon receipt of relevant profiles – we therefore encourage you to apply without delay.