

Internship Experience Program in

Singapore



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SINGAPORE

Singapore is the smallest country of all Asia. It is a group of 63 islands, including the main island itself. There are two connections from Singapore to the Malaysian state of Johor, a man-made causeway in the north and a bridge in the south. Singapore has a surface of 692,7 km².



The population of Singapore, 4 million, consists for the main part out of Chinese's, the rest consists out of Malays and Tamils. These population groups live mostly apart from each other. For this reason the government is trying to convince the people that they are first of all Singaporean.

The climate of Singapore is tropical, with an average daytime temperature around 26 °C. In the evening the temperature only drops a little. Rainstorms occur on about 40% of all days in Singapore. These rainstorms are usually short and intense.

The official languages are English, Mandarin, Malay and Tamil. English has been promoted since independence, and it is spoken by the majority of the population. Furthermore the public signs and official publication are in English.



SINGAPORE CITY

Singapore city is the busiest port in the world with over 600 shipping lines sending super tankers, container ships and passenger liners.

Furthermore Singapore is a major supplier of electronic components and a leader in shipbuilder and repairing. With all this economic growth Singapore has become one of the most important financial centres of Asia. There are more than 130 banks in Singapore!

The strategic location, excellent facilities, cultural contrast and tourist attractions all contribute to the success of Singapore as a leading destination for business and pleasure.

The nightlife of Singapore is even more wildly. In Singapore you can party 71 floors above the ground! If you are afraid of heights there are plenty other bars and clubs. At night you will never get bored. For students there are happy hours (from 17.00 to 20.00) the drinks are served at reduced rates.



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INTERNSHIP PROGRAM

For doing an internship in Singapore you must be 18 years old or older and be able to speak and write English. To apply you must be following a bachelor or master degree.

In Singapore we can offer highly prestigious internships. We can also offer medical internships & volunteer programs in healthcare organisations as well as hospitals. The internships are paid between €250 and 900 per month.

In Singapore Stageplaza can also offer volunteer programs in an orphanage and the Singapore Zoo.

It is also possible to follow language courses in Mandarin, Hindi, Tamil, Thai and Malay. Very interesting to find out more about the different cultures!

HOW DOES IT WORK?

- You decided to do your internship through Stageplaza. Great idea!
- First send me an email in which you explain your interest.
- I will contact you and if you decide to do the internships I will send you 3 documents that you have to return to me:
 - **Application Form**
 - **Signed copy of Terms and Conditions**
 - **Copy of your passport.**
- Send alongside these documents your CV (check <http://europass.cedefop.europa.eu/>) and your Motivation Letter. A Motivation Letter must contain a description of your level of education and your working experience related to the internship. As well you should motivate your choice for doing this internship.
- At the time you send all these documents, you will need to cover the **Registration Fee**, and this way, everything will be ready to enrol you in the program.

Please note that in the Application Form, you will need to describe what kind of tasks would you like to develop. The more we know, the best we can help you, so the best company we will find. Don't feel afraid of writing a lot, to write too little can cause misunderstandings, and consequently, disappointments (And we don't want a sad face!)

- Your information will be studied by a qualified consultant of Stageplaza and our partner organization, they will accept or decline your booking. (Depending on the possibilities of placing you in a suitable company for your internship, and on your skills and level of the language)
- The total amount of the program must be covered

Please note that in Singapore, the way of arranging internships is quite different when compared to Holland. You might get invited to do an interview by phone

Once your interview has been successful, your adventure is ready to start.

- You have the right to cancel one Work Placement offer, but only for reasonable causes, which will be criticised by a consultant of Stageplaza and our partner organization.

PRICES

Compulsory

Registration Fee	€100
Work placement Fee	€600
Volunteer program Fee	€350

Optional

Accommodation Administration Fee	€ 70
Accommodation Single room in student lodge (per month)	€120
Accommodation Single room+bathroom+swimming pool (Per Month)	€300
Language Training: 15 Hours/Week (per month)	€ 50

OTHER HANDY INFORMATION:

Visa:

Contact the closest embassy of Singapore and apply for a visa. You will need a valid passport and a passport photo. It depends on what country you live in how much you will have to pay for the visa.

Insurance:

We advise all students who will do an internship in Singapore to get a travel insurance before you leave your own country, with a health insurance. You can get information about this at your insurance company.