

ANNOUNCEMENT

INTEL VIETNAM STUDY ABROAD PROGRAM

2010 - 2012 Scholarship Program to study at Portland State University, USA

A U.S. Engineering Degree - A Career with Intel Vietnam

Learn More at Information Sessions: January 16-18, 2010 in Da Nang and Ho Chi Minh City

I. THE PROGRAM

Intel Products Vietnam is pleased to announce the second year of the **Intel Vietnam Study Abroad Program** – the 2010-2012 Scholarship program to study at Portland State University (PSU), USA.

The **Intel Vietnam Study Abroad Program** is two-fold: A U.S. education experience *and* an engineering career with Intel in Vietnam. Intel will sponsor current Third- and Fourth-year Engineering students from select universities to complete their Bachelor of Science degrees in either Electrical or Mechanical Engineering at Portland State University (PSU). Upon graduation, the students will return to Ho Chi Minh City to begin exciting engineering careers with Intel at our new facility.

An Opportunity to Become a Leader

Students selected for the **Intel Vietnam Study Abroad Program** will be among the best and brightest, destined to become future leaders with Intel and play an important role in this fast-changing country. Intel and PSU are seeking students with strong academic performance, English capacity, and desire to learn and grow. Above all, we want individuals who are committed to making a difference with Intel in Vietnam.

Much More than a Scholarship

The program starts in July 2010 with intensive preparation in Portland, Oregon, for an exciting but demanding academic and living experience. In September 2010, students will begin their final two years of academic study at PSU, including a capstone (practicum) course involving real projects. Upon completion of their academic curriculum, students will return to Vietnam, receive their degrees then embark on careers with Intel in Vietnam.

Content of the Scholarship

Intel will sponsor the full cost of summer preparation coursework, two academic years of tuition, room & board, and books. In addition, Intel will provide a professional position upon successful completion of the degree and job interview. (Note: selected students will need to pay their own round-trip travel to and from the U.S., plus associated visa/immigration costs and miscellaneous expenses while living in Portland.)

II. PARTICIPATING UNIVERSITIES AND DEGREE PROGRAMS

The **Intel Vietnam Study Abroad Program** is open to the following universities and degree programs:

1. **Ho Chi Minh City University of Technology:** Electrical & Electronics Engineering and Mechanical Engineering Programs
2. **Ho Chi Minh City University of Natural Sciences:** Electronics & Telecommunications Program
3. **Ho Chi Minh City University of Technical Education:** Electrical and Electronics and Mechanical Engineering Programs
4. **Ho Chi Minh International University, VNU HCM:** Electronics & Telecommunications, Computer Engineering Program
5. **Da Nang University of Technology:** Electronics & Telecommunications and Mechanical Engineering Programs
6. **Hanoi University of Technology:** Electronics & Telecommunications and Mechanical Engineering Programs

III. ELIGIBILITY

This program will only be open to individuals who meet the following minimum criteria:

1. **A full-time Vietnamese student in Third or Fourth Year regular program** in one of the participating universities and faculties listed in section II.
2. Target Cumulative **GPA of 7.0** or higher (on a 10-point scale).
3. **Strong English** language skills required. Program applicants will be required to demonstrate English language proficiency through scores on either TOEFL examination or IELTS.
4. Not a current employee of any company.
5. No prior employment commitments after graduation.
6. Strong behavioural skills in teamwork, problem solving, communication, leadership, initiative.
7. Active in community and extra-curricular activities.

IV. HOW TO APPLY

Online application: Students must complete the online application. The URL link is <http://www.pdx.edu/cecs/intel-vietnam-study-abroad-program>, which will be live starting January 11, 2010.

Application materials: Students should also plan to have these documents ready by the application deadline:

1. Transcripts for the two first undergraduate years
2. Strong English language skills (and a copy of TOEFL or IELTS score, if you have already taken either test)
3. High school record
4. Official score report for university entrance exam
5. Any provincial and national science contest awards, honors and recognition, if applicable

Send the complete application materials **by February 15 2010** to:

Intel Vietnam Study Abroad Program Manager
Corporate Affairs Dept.
Intel Products Vietnam
Lot I2, D1 Road, Saigon Hi-tech Park, District 9
Ho Chi Minh City, Vietnam

V. SELECTION PROCESS

In order to obtain the **Intel Vietnam Study Abroad Program** scholarship, applicants must successfully pass all of the following three rounds:

1. Round One: Application Deadline & Eligibility Screening

Qualified applicants will be invited to Round Two.

2. Round Two: Qualifying Tests

Applicants who meet basic eligibility in Round One will be invited to demonstrate engineering and English proficiency.

- Engineering technical knowledge, as demonstrated via a test administered by PSU.
- English proficiency, as demonstrated via a TOEFL or IELTS exam.
 - Minimum English language scores required for admission will be:
 - TOEFL: 525 (paper) or 71 (iBT)
 - IELTS: 6.5 overall, with minimum 6.0 on each individual band

3. Round Three: Interview

Applicants who pass Round Two will be invited to participate in an Intel Interview designed to assess future fit in a career with Intel. There will be a Behavioral portion of the interview, looking at Verbal Communication, Team Building, Motivation, Problem Solving, Leadership, Creativity, and Personal Qualities. There will also be a Technical portion of the interview.

Applicants who pass all the three rounds and who are able and willing to sign a legal contract accepting an offer of employment with Intel, contingent upon completion of a Bachelor of Science degree from PSU, will be selected for the program. These selected students will be designated "Intel Vietnam Scholars."

VI. IMPORTANT DATES

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| 1. Application Deadline & Eligibility Screening: | February 15, 2010 |
| 2. Qualifying Tests: | By approximately March 15, 2010 |
| 3. Interview: | Approximately April 15, 2010 |
| 4. Results announcement: | May 1, 2010 |
| 5. PSU admission & Visa process: | May - June, 2010 |
| 6. Depart for US: | July 2010 |
| 7. Graduation and Intel Vietnam Career: | June 2012 |

Note: Intel and PSU reserve the right to make changes to the Program if required.

LEARN MORE: UPCOMING STUDENT INFORMATION SESSION

Intel and Portland State University will be visiting campuses in mid January to talk more about the [Intel Vietnam Study Abroad Program](#).

Third- and Fourth-year students from the participating universities and degree programs who meet minimum requirements, please attend.

- In Da Nang: **Saturday, January 16, 15:00-17:00 pm, Room ECE2, Section C., Da Nang University of Technology, 54 Nguyen Luong Bang, DN**
- In Ho Chi Minh: **Monday, January 18, 8:30-10:30 am, Hall B4, HCM University of Technology, 268 Ly Thuong Kiet, District 10.**

If you have any questions about the information sessions, please send an e-mail to:
intel.vietnam.scholarship@intel.com

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