



Internship position - Quantifying Industrial Strategies (QuIS)

The Organisation for Economic Co-operation and Development ([OECD](#)) is an international organisation comprised of 38 member countries whose mission is to promote policies that will improve the economic and social well-being of people around the world.

The OECD Directorate for Science, Technology and Innovation (STI) helps OECD member countries and other key economies build an environment conducive to translating science, technology and knowledge into innovation in order to create economic and social value added.

The Productivity, Innovation and Entrepreneurship (PIE) Division of the STI directorate is responsible for comparative analyses of the microeconomic drivers of economic growth, productivity, business dynamism and innovation, as well as the ways in which these are affected by globalisation, the digital and green transformations, and structural change.

Industrial policy is sparking renewed interest across OECD member countries and beyond. It has been called upon for stimulating growth and productivity, promoting resilience and capacity building, and addressing major global challenges such as climate change. The Green & Industrial Policies (GIP) unit of the STI/PIE division works on the design, measurement and evaluation of industrial policies.

The GIP unit within the STI/PIE division is looking for highly motivated interns to work on the Quantifying Industrial Strategies (QuIS) project. QuIS focuses on the measurement of industrial policies, based on the framework laid out in the STI policy paper [An Industrial Policy framework for OECD countries](#) (2022). The three main objectives of QuIS are: (1) to standardise the measurement of industrial policy expenditures; (2) to increase transparency of industrial policy expenditures and enable countries to benchmark their industrial strategies; and (3) to provide a compass and landscape for countries in terms of industrial policies. The project's outputs can be found at <http://oe.cd/quis>.

The interns will help to maintain the database and expand its geographical scope. The selected person will prepare a landscape of industrial policy expenditures and their composition in one or more OECD countries, working under the supervision of a junior and a senior economist in the STI/PIE division.

Main responsibilities

- Collect data on industrial policy expenditures based on interactions with national administrations, and by carrying out new investigations relying on public information.
- Check the quality of the data and carry out descriptive analyses of industrial policy expenditures and their composition.
- Contribute to the drafting of a country note presenting the main findings of the analysis and prepare associated communication material.

Academic and professional background

- Student in economics, statistics, econometrics, public administration or public policy.
- Strong interest or previous experience in policy-oriented analysis.
- Knowledge of Latvian would be an asset.

Key competencies

- Candidates should have strong skills in economic analysis, in particular microeconomics and public economics.
- Demonstrated ability to work well in a team and in a multicultural environment.

Languages: Excellent knowledge of one of the two official languages of the Organisation (English and French).

Duration: 6 months, with the possibility to renew in case of mutual interest.

Location: Interns can work either on site (at the Paris headquarters) or remotely, depending on the agreement between the intern and the supervisor. Internships also include access to a variety of professional trainings.

Compensation & leave: Intern receive a monthly stipend of 1000€ (tax free). Leave entitlement is 2.5 leave days per month.

Enrolment: Interns must be enrolled in an accredited program throughout the duration of the internship.

Starting date: as soon as possible

Application: Please email luis.diaz@oecd.org and ummugulsum.cavus@oecd.org with a CV, a cover letter, and any pending questions as soon as possible.