

Internship Case Study:

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“Be willing to look for and apply for internships. Don’t just wait for the school’s intern coordinator to find one for you.”

Company:
EnergySec

Internship Length:
3 months

Describe the application and interview process:

I sent my resume to Mr. Parker, EnergySec president. The interview was more of a “get-to-know-you” session than a job interview.

What was the size of your team? Where was it located in the organization?

There were 4 interns. We reported to Mr. Parker with minimal supervision/assistance from the principal analyst.

What was your role and what work did it involve?

I wrote a weekly newsletter and performed research on state public utility commissions. The job involved reading news articles, writing/editing, and performing open source research on state officials.

What was most valuable about your work experience?

The chance to network and get to know people from the industry.

What more would you have liked to learn from your internship?

More hands-on technical work would have been nice.