

Internship profile: Data team

Project description

The Data team of the European Journalism Centre is looking to add an intern for a period of 1 to 3 months during Autumn/Winter 2018, to support the work of the team in creating opportunities for data journalists.

There are three major changes to the data journalism landscape:

- More data journalists and more journalists are expected to handle data.
- More stories are driven by datasets or how data affects society.
- Data is affecting every aspect of the newsroom, not just in storytelling, but also in audience engagement, workflows, AI and algorithms.

As part of the launch of a new data journalism learning platform, we want to create a high-quality resource database that will help everyone, from students to experienced professionals, to learn a new data journalism skill, critically reflect on the role of data in society, and understand how data will affect newsrooms in the future.

Want to help us do that?

Responsibilities

As an intern in the Data team, you will support the team with research, administrative and editorial tasks that will include, but are not limited to:

- developing a database of data journalism resources;
- creating a list of data journalism influencers;
- mapping data journalism courses;
- contributing in the design, content planning and management of the new web platform;
- contributing to drafting articles and conducting user interviews as part of the launch of our newly revamped online resource centre.

Requirements

First of all, you should be **enrolled** at a university. This is a requirement.

More ideal skills and expertise for the position include:

- Passionate about data journalism and journalism innovation;
- Able to conduct online research tasks autonomously and effectively;
- Basic web design skills (preferred);
- Enthusiastic with a positive team-friendly attitude;
- Able to work independently;
- Excellent organisational skills and attention to detail;
- Fluency in written and spoken English;
- Preferred location: Brussels.

What we offer you

During your internship you will be working closely with the rest of the Data team and with the web developers in charge of the project. You will be able to learn new skills and tools and to see first hand how to design and develop a new online project, including user experience, design, content planning and management, promotion, community management.

Application

In order to apply for the internship position:

1. Send your CV and motivation letter to internship@ejc.net
2. Fill in the application form [here](#).

Deadline for applications: Sunday, October 14.

Contacts

Questions before applying? Please contact internship@ejc.net

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