

Innovation Academy Sustainability Internships



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Perspectives is an internationally trusted research and advisory group leading the work on transformative climate change mitigation and adaptation policy and action at the speed and scale necessary to prevent dangerous climate change and advance sustainable development. Perspectives provides independent, high-quality, and innovative advice to its public and private clients enabling them to pursue rapid decarbonization and climate resilient development. In its research and advisory work, Perspectives draws upon the latest available science and develops ambitious, transparent, and fair solutions. Perspectives fosters trusted relationships with its partners, based on participatory and pragmatic decision-making processes. Internally, we value diversity and create opportunities for personal and professional growth of our team. Perspectives is looking for a highly motivated, analytical and flexible intern with a strong dedication to working in international research and consulting in projects and business development.

Tasks:

- Research and analysis of information on carbon markets, adaptation, mitigation and climate policy design.
- Support our consultants in their projects (writing reports, organizing events, background research).
- Elaboration of Excel-based calculations and Power Point presentations for public and private clients.
- Providing support on organizational, administrative, outreach and marketing tasks and business development.

Your profile:

- Strong analytical skills and a passion to express ideas in writing.
- Detail-oriented and committed to deliver high-quality outputs
- Desire to work on sustainable development and climate change topics, including voluntary carbon markets and the development and integrity of carbon market mechanisms in the US and abroad.
- Ability to deal with ad-hoc requests in limited time and under pressure.
- Enjoy working autonomously as well as within an international team.
- Proficient user of Microsoft Excel, Power Point and Word.

Possible major(s)/areas of study:

Student in climate change, environmental science, sustainability and/or climate policy related study track.

Internship language:

English is working language; French, Spanish, or German writing and speaking skills are considered a plus.

Learning outcomes:

- Develop your understanding of innovative ways to scale up the implementation of effective climate actions worldwide, focusing on topics such as carbon market mechanisms, climate finance, and UNFCCC initiatives.
- Grow your project management skills and develop your multicultural communication and coordination abilities.

Required application documents:

CV and motivation letter addressing the above criteria.