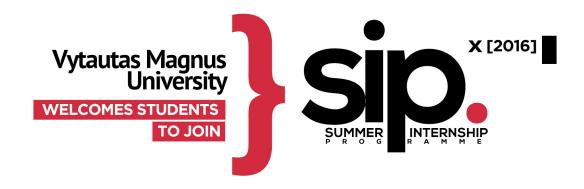




- Starts on July 7, 2016
- 6 weeks long
- Introductory days @ VMU
- Lithuanian language classes
- Cultural program and trips
- Internship placements based on the major field of studies
- Accommodation provided at the VMU Dormitory in Kaunas city centre
- -VMU certificate of 6 ECTS
- Participation fee EUR 390
- -Application deadline / March 15, 2016

www.vdu.lt/en/summer-internship-programme-sip-registration-now-open/

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Facts and Figures about SIP'2016 **

- **SIP** has a history since 2010 in partnership with **LISS (Lithuanian International Student Services)** and Lithuanian-American Community
- Its alumni body consists of over 250 students from USA, Canada, South Korea, France, Spain, Germany, Brazil, Romania, Ukraine, Turkey and Hungary
- Many of the participants have matured from students to young professionals, and they talk about their experience in Lithuania as of tremendous value and significance in both professional and intercultural learning and personal growth
- -The internships range from finance and economics, politics and international relations, medicine and social work, to communication and public relations, as well as marketing, advertising, technologies, engineering, IT, etc
- Participants do not just follow their professional assignments; during the six weeks of their involvement they visit museums, attend lectures, visit historical sites and participate in a wide range of social and cultural events







{About WLU}

World Lithuanian University (WLU) is an initiative inspired by joint efforts of Lithuanian and Diaspora scientists who contributed to the reestablishement of Vytautas Magnus University a quarter-century ago. It became a pattern for further collaboration that fosters creative exchange between scientists and students from Lithuanian Diaspora, and aims to attract everyone interested in modern Lithuania, its daily life, traditions and culture.

WLU is involved in a variety of activities: VMU Summer Academy events, study and internship programs for students and researchers, Lithuanian education projects, etc. At the same time, WLU functions as a conceptual, virtual entity, which is open to various initiatives.

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{About VMU}

Vytautas Magnus University (VMU) cherishes and encourages intellectual exchanges, culture, openness and international collaboration as its core values. We are proud to say that VMU is the only higher institution in the country and one of the few in the region where a wide liberal arts education is imparted. Here at VMU we aim to promote knowledge along with freedom and creativity.

University also distinguishes itself by fostering interculturalism and multilingualism: 30 foreign language courses are offered and, as a reflection of global trends, more and more lectures are taught in English, many of them by professors from abroad.

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Lithuanians are a very global nation scattered around the world. A nation like this has a great need for forums and formats to meet at the heart of all Lithuanians, in Lithuania, and have a talk about the future, about the project of our future, and about the way we see our homeland Lithuania. Some may live in America, others in a different part of Europe, but we are all together, in a symbolic way. (Leonidas Donskis, Lithuania)

This program united me not only with the native country of my grandparents, but also with all Lithuanians, who hold their motherland deep in their hearts no matter where they live in the world. I'm pleased to have made new contacts and discovered something I have in common with other world

Lithuanians: a shared history. (Thammy, Brasil)

My internship was beyond amazing. I gained various skills at many levels. Programme itself helped me to get to know Lithuania from different perspectives. I would love to actually apply again next summer (is it technically possible?!) and I would definitely recommend it to my friends since it only brings positive things. Thank you once more for everything!

(Maelle, France)

I was a little shy to speak Lithuanian at first, but the program's organizers gave me a very warm welcome and a great tour of Kaunas and the most wonderful parts of Lithuania. I also met other colleagues who have the same experience and see Lithuania as something more than a tourist attraction. (Takuya, USA)



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