

# INTERN PARTNERSHIPS

## WHAT IS IT?

The Intern Partnership program offers college and university students an introduction to Oklahoma's impressive science and innovation companies.

Undergraduate and graduate students are matched with an Oklahoma company to complete an innovative project together.



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- Provides funding for projects completed by an undergraduate or graduate student
- Funds industry innovation activities leading to an answer to the company's problem
- Company-driven program
- Offers flexibility on number of interns from summer up to two years

## THE IDEAL APPLICANT

- ▶ Has an employee who can serve as a qualified mentor
- ▶ Can demonstrate the project will provide excellent experience for students
- ▶ Will provide an on-site, applied learning and work experience to solve a real-world problem for the company
- ▶ Has a project with an end-user application in aerospace, autonomous systems, or defense, biotechnology, or energy diversification



## FUNDING OPPORTUNITY

- \$10,000 minimum per year
  - \$30,000 maximum per year
  - 1-2 years of funding
- (Requires a one-to-one match)

