



DEFENCE RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT ORGANISATION (DRDO)
DIRECTOR GENERAL (AERONAUTICAL SYSTEMS)

Advertisement for the Paid Internship Scheme 2025-26 for Labs under Director General (Aeronautical Systems) in respect of students pursuing Engineering/Science Under Graduate/Post Graduate courses

OPENING DATE OF ADVERTISEMENT: 26 Jun 2025

CLOSING DATE OF ADVERTISEMENT : 10 Jul 2025 (1600 HRS)

Advt. No: DGAERO/PDINT/2025-26/01

Aeronautical Systems cluster of DRDO is engaged in the development of state-of-the-art unmanned Air Vehicles, Aero Gas Turbine Engine Technology, Airborne Surveillance Systems, Parachutes, Decelerators and Lighter-than-Air Systems. The cluster comprises of four labs – ADE, ADRDE, CABS, GTRE and certifying body CEMILAC which provides concurrent airworthiness certification. More details about the labs, DRDO website may be referred (<https://www.drdo.gov.in>)

Applications are invited from Final Year Under Graduate/Post Graduate Engineering and Science Stream (Post Graduates) Students for PAID INTERNSHIP SCHEME-2025 through DRDO website for the following Labs under Aero cluster.

Sl. NO.		LABS				
		ADE (Bangalore)	ADRDE (Agra)	CABS (Bangalore)	CEMILAC*	GTRE (Bangalore)
1	No. of Vacancies	69	20	39	17	55
2	DISCIPLINE					
i.	CSE/IT/Allied Disciplines	06	05	11	03	05
ii.	AERO	12	02	03	03	10
iii.	MECH	17	06	03	03	20
iv.	EEE/EE	06	01	08	02	10
v.	ECE	22	04	10	03	
vi.	Instrumentation	-	-	02	-	
vii.	METALLURGY	-	-	-	01	05
viii.	MATERIAL Sc	-	-	-		
ix.	CHEMICAL ENGG.	-	-	-	01	-
x.	TEXTILE/ Polymer science	-	02	-	01	-
xi.	Def. Technologies	06	-	02	-	05

3	CONTACT PERSON	ANITHA SARAVANAN Scientist F	AMIT KUMAR, Scientist F	SUDHANS HU DHAR YADAV SAO-I	KVSC SASTRY Scientist G	Dr. SENTHIL V Scientist F
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6	POSTAL ADDRESS OF THE LAB	Director, ADE, DRDO, New Thippasandra Post, Bangalore-75	Director, ADRDE, Station Road, Agra Cantt- 282001	Director, CABS Belur, Yemalur Post Bangalore- 560037	Chief Executive, CEMILAC Marathahalli Colony Bangalore- 560037	Director GTRE, CV Raman Nagar, Bangalore- 560093

* 9 seats at Bangalore and 8 seats at outstation Regional Centre for Military Airworthiness-RCMA (Korwa, Pune, Nasik, Hyderabad, Lucknow, Chandigarh, Goa, Kanpur)

IMPORTANT INFORMATION:

(I) ELIGIBILITY

- Final year Undergraduate/post graduate students undergoing full time course in respective discipline from recognized Indian University/Institute.
- Should register for six months internship.

(II) DURATION OF INTERNSHIP

The duration of internship/project work training will be for a period of 06 months. Completion Certificate will be issued to students after completion of 06 months from date of joining the internship program.

(III) ONLINE SUBMISSION OF APPLICATION:

- Applicants should ensure that they satisfy the above eligibility criteria as on closing date of advertisement i.e. 10 Jul 2025 (1600Hrs).
- Applicants are advised **not to change their registered mobile number or e-mail** as vital information regarding their short listing/selection status will be intimated through Email/SMS
- The applicants are advised to fill in the application (as per the prescribed format provided) along with requisite documents. **Scanned copy (PDF format) of documents along with application to be mailed to the concerned lab email id.** Application received after the due date will not be considered.

- (d) Student must have a valid bank account number in his/her name for disbursement of the internship stipend.
- (e) Applications having false/incomplete information will be rejected.

(IV) NATIONALITY

- (a) Only Indian Nationals can apply.
- (b) Students studied/studying in countries outside India are not eligible to apply.

(V) STIPEND

Stipend of total of Rs.30,000/- (Rupees thirty thousand only) will be paid in two installments (Rs.15,000 after 3 months and Rs.15,000 after 6 months) subject to attendance of minimum 15 days in a month shall be made. If the intern leaves the internship before completion of entire duration of 6 months, he/she will not be issued the certificate of internship.

(VI) GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS

- (a) Candidates will be shortlisted by the respective labs on the basis of merit, available vacancies and information provided by the candidate in the applications and selection criteria adopted by the lab.
- (b) Selection of intern and the allotment of relevant labs shall be communicated on his/her e-mail id.
- (c) The topic/area of internship will be decided by the lab based on guide and the Research facilities available at the lab.
- (d) The intake of internship is subject to availability in the lab and the selection is at the sole discretion of the Lab.
- (e) DRDO shall have no obligation to offer employment to such interns / project students nor can an intern claim a right for employment on the grounds of completion of this Internship.
- (f) No communication will be undertaken for rejected candidates.
- (g) The management reserves the right to change the vacancy positions or selection criteria at any point during selection process of the aforesaid internship scheme without assigning any reason whatsoever.

(VII) CAUTION

- (a) Misrepresentation or falsification of facts/information detected at any stage of the selection process or instances of misconduct/misbehavior at any stage during selection process shall result in cancellation of candidature without any notice and no correspondence in this regard shall be entertained.

(b) Application received after closing date will not be entertained.

(VIII) HOW TO APPLY

- (a) Students can apply for more than one Lab. However, if the student is eligible for more than one Lab, he/she will be selected for only one Lab based on the merit/decision of the authorities.
- (b) Duly filled-in Application.
- (c) Request letter from college/institute with duration of the Internship/Project (6 months) and date of commencement should be addressed to the Lab Directors (respective lab).
- (d) Resume (Biodata).
- (e) Statement of marks upto semester 6 for (Under Graduate) and semester 2 for (Post Graduate).
- (f) Aadhaar Card copy.
- (g) All the above Documents to be e-mailed to the concerned lab email-id in PDF format, no hardcopy will be entertained.

(IX) SELECTED STUDENTS WILL HAVE TO SUBMIT THE FOLLOWING DOCUMENTS AT THE TIME OF JOINING

- (a) No Objection Certificate (NOC) from college authorities (in original) on college letterhead mentioning that the student will be spared for internship training at DRDO and that the student will be present for a minimum of 15 working days in a month for training.
- (b) Police verification certificate.
- (c) Undertaking for adherence to Indian official secrets Act, 1923.
- (d) Undertaking that interns will follow IT rules and regulations applicable for Ministry of Defence and its amendments thereof.
- (e) Students need to provide the bank details for transfer of internship amount.
- (f) Medical fitness certificate from authorized medical practitioners holding atleast an MBBS degree.
- (g) Student is required to bring the Aadhar card (in Original) along with college ID card for verification. They should also submit 03 nos. passport size photographs.
- (h) All previous semesters marks sheet in original for verification should be brought.
- (i) Original documents will be returned immediately after verification.
- (j) Any other documents if required, will be communicated to the student at the time of selection/joining.



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LAB APPLIED FOR		Photograph
(a)	Name of the Student	
(b)	Date of Birth	
(c)	Degree	UG: PG:
(d)	Discipline	
(e)	CGPA (on scale of 10)	
(f)	College Registration No	
(g)	Name of the Institute/University	
(h)	Postal Address of the candidate	
(i)	Email ID	
	Mobile:	
	Alternate Mobile No.	
	Landline:	

The above information is correct as per my best of knowledge and belief.

Student Signature

Check list of Enclosure

- (a) Application. ☐
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- (c) Resume (Biodata) ☐
- (d) Statement of marks upto semester 6 for (Under Graduate) and semester 2 for (Post Graduate) ☐
- (e) Aadhaar Card copy ☐
- (f) Duly signed the Instructions to the students by candidate and HOD or Principal ☐

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE STUDENTS

(to be signed and emailed along with the application)

(I) GENERAL

- (a) The student trainee is a citizen of India and studying in Indian Institutes/Universities.
- (b) Arrangement for accommodation, logistics is the responsibility of the students themselves.

(II) SECURITY

- (a) Selected student trainee will submit Police Verification before joining the training.
- (b) Students will not be allowed to bring in any laptops, mobile phones, USB dongles, or any other storage media.

(III) STUDENT DISCIPLINE, TIMINGS AND ABSENTEEISM

The HoD/Principal of the Institute and the student agree to the following on acceptance of an applicant as a trainee:

- (a) During the project, the student will be present for the continuous period as per the internship letter received from DRDO Lab
- (b) If the student is irregular, the institute will be intimated. The student is liable for termination from internship and it is possible that no more students will be entertained from the institute further.
- (c) The student will have to be physically present for at least 15 days in a month. In the event that the students do not do so, the registration will stand cancelled.
- (d) Scientist(s) will be earmarked for his/her complete internship period and will be indicated as guide(s) on the project report.
- (e) Certificate will be issued to the student for the training period after the completion of the entire period of 6 months.
- (f) Students should have minimum 50% attendance every month of the stipulated training period in Lab for successful completion of the training, processing of stipend and subsequent award of certificate.
- (g) Student trainees have to abide to working hours of the respective Lab
- (h) The student shall submit progress report after 3 months and project report after 6 months or as per the directions of the guide.
- (i) Clearance to be obtained and submitted to HRD division on completion of training.
- (j) Students should maintain non-objectionable conduct which specifically includes making sure that they neither mention nor misrepresented regarding any DRDO Lab on social media, besides their general overall conduct.
- (k) Any violation of the laid down conditions by the student will lead to immediate termination of the project work of the student / entire student group without any notice.
- (l) Lab will not provide marks/grades/evaluation for the student.

(IV) DOCUMENTS TO BE SUBMITTED AT THE TIME OF JOINING BY SELECTED STUDENTS:

- a) No Objection Certificate (NOC) from college authorities (in original) on college letterhead mentioning that the student will be spared for internship training at the offering Lab under DG Aero Cluster and that the student will be present for a minimum 15 working days in a month for training.
- b) Candidates need to submit the ink signed application along with copies of required documents.
- c) Police verification certificate.
- d) Undertaking for adherence to Indian official secrets Act, 1923.
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Student Signature

HOD/Principal Signature & Seal