

Research Department Intern

- Are you excited about the prospect of staying updated on the latest trends and developments in the tourism industry?
- Do you have a desire to collaborate with industry professionals and experts in the field of tourism research?
- Do you enjoy unlocking insights from tourism data through quantitative analysis?

If these sound like you, then apply today to become PATA's next Research Intern!

ABOUT THE INTERNSHIP

The PATA Internship Program provides students with the opportunity to learn about PATA and the travel & tourism industry on an international scale.

- Onsite, PATA HQ Bangkok Office OR Remote, Asia-based
 Onsite Internship Applications will be considered a priority
- Full-time | 3-month Programme (Subject to extension based on performance)
- Following Bangkok Timezone (GMT+7) | 9 AM 5:30 PM (Flexibility can be provided upon request)
- Academic Credit: You may get academic credit from your institution of higher education for the internship. Check with your university to confirm their academic credit policy for internships.

Keep in mind for Onsite Internship applicants:

- Visa: You will be responsible for obtaining and financing the necessary visas.
- Cost: PATA interns are not paid. All costs related to travel, insurance, accommodation, and living expenses must be borne by either the interns or their sponsoring institutions. (PATA provides allowance to support, please consult during your interview)

ABOUT PATA RESEARCH DEPARTMENT

The Research Department is in charge of delivering accurate and timely tourism data. We work with tourism data collecting, reports design, editing and production of SIC products and publications. You will get a chance to know more about tourism efficient resources, tourism industry trends and more.

AS A PATA RESEARCH INTERN,

As a research intern, life is dynamic and intellectually engaging. You'll tackle diverse tasks, from literature reviews to hands-on data analysis, under the guidance. With opportunities to attend webinars and workshops. Contributing to cutting-edge projects provides a sense of accomplishment, and exposure to diverse perspectives fuels personal and professional growth. The experience is vibrant, demanding precision and dedication while laying a solid foundation for a future career in academia or research. One paragraph description of life as a research intern.

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As a Research Intern, you'll be tasked with:

- Collecting tourism data i.e. visitor arrivals, visitor profile, tourism expenditure, average length of stay, etc. from national tourist offices/national statistics offices and official websites on a daily basis
- Regularly tracking tourism policies and/or updates from official sources.
- Keeping direct and regular contact with the research/statistics department of national tourist offices / national statistics offices in order to get access to regular feed of the data in need
- Learning how we utilise the collected data/figures and putting them into the database (Excel format) with the PATA coding and to make sure they are not compromised with the accuracy
- Assisting with report reviewing and proofreading
- Learning how our PATAmPOWER (<u>http://mPOWER.pata.org</u>) platform works and working on it in order to keep data up-to-date and manage our membership accounts associated with the Membership Team.

ABOUT YOU

- Currently enrolled in a Bachelor's Programme; or within two years after graduation from a Bachelor's Programme
- Strong verbal and written English communication skills
- Familiar with google suite tools (google sheets, google docs, google drive, google hangouts) and Microsoft Excel.
- Self-motivated and mature person, with a highly collaborative mindset.
- Strong cross-cultural understanding and interest in working in a different culture
- Responsive and punctual.
- Strong desire to help others.
- Growth and results-oriented.

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