

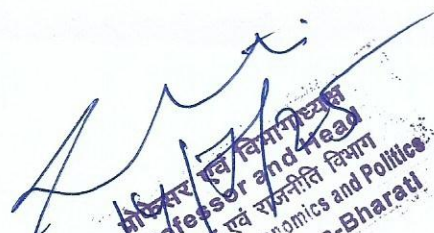
Modality of Internship

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Resolutions relating to the UG Internship Programme under 4-year UG Programme in the Department of Economics & Politics, Vidya Bhavana, Visva-Bharati.

In the Board of Studies Meeting on 14.07.2025, relating to the subject above, it is resolved that:

1. Any student of the Department of Economics & Politics, who will be undertaking Internship Programme in an outside Centre/Organization/ Institution, need to submit a certificate of successful completion of his/her Internship from the competent authority of that Centre/Organization/ Institution. He/ She also need to submit a hard copy of his/her Final Report that has been produced during the Programme he/she has undertaken. The evaluation of his/her performance will be judged by a Departmental Committee on the basis of a viva-voce/presentation. The distribution of marks will be (i) 50% for successful completion and submission of Final Report and (ii) 50% on the performance in viva-voce / presentation.
2. The detail of the internship programme that will be offered by the Department for students of other Department of Visva-Bharati / other institutions during the ongoing academic year is attached herewith.
3. The format of the certificate to be issued by the Interns pursuing their work in the Department of Economics & Politics is attached here with.


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For Incoming Students

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Visva-Bharati
Internship Programme, 2025-2026

Name of the University Internship Providing Organization (UIPO): **Department of Economics & Politics**
Name of the Bhavana: **Vidya Bhavana**

Title of the Internship Programme : **Introduction to Sustainability, Corporate Governance, Trade and Fiscal Management**

Nature of the Internship Programme : Skill based for enhancing research aptitude and employability

Objectives: :

- To understand how Environmental, Social, and Governance (ESG) factors are used to make investment decisions and understand how CSR contributes to a sustainable future.
- To understand the relationship between globalization, economic growth and environmental sustainability with the help of empirical exercises in the Indian context.
- To understand the foreign exchange market, international commodity and asset markets, international capital movements with the help of data on Indian foreign trade and investment statistics
- To understand the definitions and measurement of fiscal sustainability, their operationalization with the help of empirical exercises in the Indian context

Duration : Total 120 Hours; 4 credit

Mode : Online

Minimum Eligibility Criteria : Currently pursuing UG in any recognized University/College in Economics/Commerce/Business Administration/Public Policy

Date of start and closure : Start: **14.08.2025** Closure: **14.10.2025**

Total intake of Interns : 4 (Four)

Selection Process : Short-listing and personal interview

Place of the : Department of Economics and Politics, Vidya-Bhavana, Visva-Bharati, Santiniketan, Pin- 731235

Logistics to be provided : N.A.

Fee to be paid : Rs. 500/- for students of Visva-Bharati (internal); Rs. 1000/- Otherwise (external)

Contact details of the coordinator : E-mail < santadas.ghosh@visva-bharati.ac.in >


Brief description of the Internship Programme: The Programme is divided into Four Modules, each bearing 1 credit point (equivalent to 30 hours of engagement). Each module will be having an internship supervisor (mentioned in the parentheses)

- Module-1: Sustainability and Corporate ESG (Dr. Achiransu Acharya)
- Module-2: Trade and Sustainability (Dr. Priya Brata Dutta)
- Module-3: International Economics and Foreign Exchange Management (Dr. Amit Kumar Biswas)
- Module-4: Fiscal Sustainability in the Indian context (Dr. Krishanu Pradhan)

Module-1 will facilitate to (i) develop a comprehensive understanding of ESG principles and their application in business and society (ii) evaluate the impact of ESG factors on organizational performance and stakeholder value (iii) Identify and analyze ESG risks and opportunities and (iv) develop strategies for managing them. **Module-2** will familiarize participants with the relationship between trade and environmental quality and will help them to acquire the knowledge and skills necessary to incorporate sustainable trade practices into policy frameworks and managerial decisions. **Module-3** will aim to provide with the fundamental ideas of international economics with special references to export, import and capital movements across international borders along with hands on training on data handlings related to international trade and investments. In **Module-4**, the interns will deal with the issue of fiscal sustainability and its empirical analysis in the Indian context to develop their research aptitude in Applied Public Finance.

How to Apply:

Applicants for the Programme should send their applications along with their updated CV through e-mail to the Coordinator on or before **01.08.2025**. The required fee is to be paid only after confirmation of selection.


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For Outgoing Students

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Certificate for Completion of Internship Programme

Dated: _____

This is to certify that Mr. / Ms _____,
pursuing Four-year Undergraduate programme in Economics (Major) in the Department of Economics & Politics, Visva-Bharati; currently enrolled in U.G. Semester _____; has completed his / her Internship in my Organization / Institution / Department and submitted his / her Final Internship Report. In this connection, I would like to declare the following:

1. The candidate has applied for this Internship through proper channel and his/her application has been duly forwarded by the HOD, Department of Economics & Politics, Visva-Bharati.

2. He / she has undertaken the work over a period from (date) _____ to (date) _____

3. The nature of work the candidate has carried out falls under (tick what is appropriate)

(i) *Skill based Internship (Enhancing Employability)*

(ii) *Research based Internship (Developing Research aptitude)*

(iii) *Both (i) and (ii) above*

4. Considering offline and online engagements together, the candidate's total engagement over the entire Internship period is not less than (✓ the appropriate box)

☐ 30 Hours

☐ 60 hours

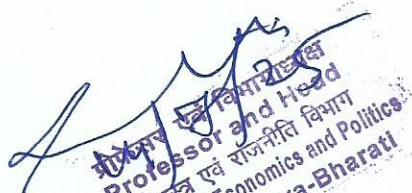
☐ 90 Hours

☐ 120 hours

5. He / she has produced a Final Internship Report which can be submitted to the Department of Economics & Politics, visva-Bharati for his / her performance evaluation.

6. Based on the overall performance as an intern, the candidate's score (out of 10) is: _____
[1 = lowest; 10 = highest]

[Signature of the Internship Coordinator/ HOD]


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