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RESEARCH INTERN

The Basics:

- A full-time or part-time internship position.
- Start date can be discussed.
- Lively 12 people office in the heart of Amsterdam.
- Research and report on the future of student living and higher education.
- This is a paid position.

The leading think tank on student living in Europe is looking for a bright mind to build to its team with a Research Lead. As higher education is becoming a global industry, the way in which universities, cities and countries attract talent has changed. Our foundation connects the communities of student housing, higher education and city development. We do this by developing and spreading knowledge through research projects, publications and organised events.

The Class of 2020 is a non-profit partner based foundation for student living and higher education on a European scale. Each year we publish an annual trends report, organise the largest student living conference in continental Europe, and much more. For more information: www.theclassof2020.org

What will you be doing?

Through original research, The Class aims to stay a thought leader specialised in how the future of living, working and learning looks like for young talent. The Class researches topics in the areas of:

- City-university collaboration
- Talent attraction & retention schemes
- Mobility of young talent
- The “Co-Revolution” (i.e. co-living, co-working)
- Innovation districts and urban campus development.
- The student housing markets of Europe
- Affordability and accessibility of housing
- Online and life-long learning.

You will be responsible for tracking news, aggregating and analysing data for our ongoing research projects, writing about the future of student living and university-cities and expanding our network of higher education and student housing connections. You will be a sparring partner for our research team and foundation manager. The job is based in Amsterdam, and will be fully in English.

We are able to support you in an academic research project (thesis) on the future of student living and European higher education.



What kind of person are we looking for?

- A current enrolled BA or MA level student;
- Background in Real Estate, Urban Planning, Public Administration, Urban / Applied Economics, International Studies, Higher Education Studies or related fields;
- Understanding of and/or affinity with the real estate market and developments in the world of higher education;
- Affinity with and knowledge of data organisation;
- Capable of independent work
- Fluent in English, both spoken and written;
- Knowledge of another European language would be an advantage.

Want to apply?

If you meet the requirements and are keen to join the Class of 2020, please send your CV and covering letter to Jorick Beijer via work@theclassof2020.org