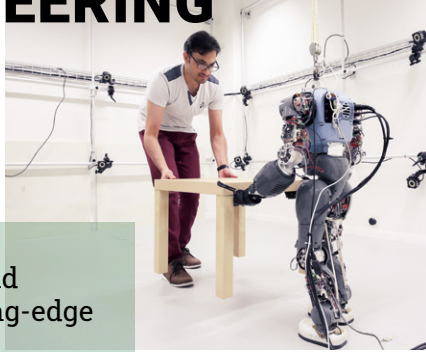


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# E<sup>3</sup> PROGRAM

## EPFL EXCELLENCE IN ENGINEERING

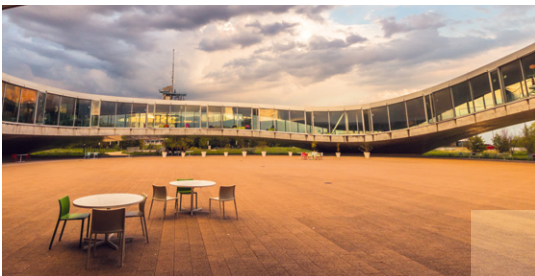


Come to Switzerland  
and dive into cutting-edge  
research projects  
with a 2–3 month funded  
internship at one of  
the most prestigious  
universities in the world



### Your background

biology || neurotechnology || bioengineering  
chemistry || mathematics || physics  
microengineering || mechanical engineering  
materials science and engineering  
electrical engineering || computer science



Registration deadline February 1

[eee.epfl.ch](http://eee.epfl.ch)



2000 students  
700 PhD students  
1400 employees  
92 nationalities

## **The EPFL School of Engineering**

More than 100 laboratories  
in five institutes:

- **Electrical engineering**
- **Materials**
- **Mechanical engineering**
- **Microengineering**
- **Bioengineering**

### **With a wide range of expertise:**

microsystems, electronics, robotics,  
energy, advanced materials,  
immunoengineering, neurosciences,  
advanced manufacturing,  
computer science



### **Research output and rankings**

Showing a consistent positive trend in all recognized rankings (THE, Leiden, ARWU, QS), the engineering fields of EPFL are now placed among the top 3 in Europe and top 20 worldwide.

## The E<sup>3</sup> Program

The EPFL Excellence in Engineering Program offers an intensive research training opportunity to students interested in research careers in any field of engineering, science and technology

You will be matched with a laboratory based on your interest and background.

You will be working as a member of the research group for a period of 8 to 12 weeks during the summer months. An extension to a full semester can be discussed on a case by case basis.

You will attend a series of group meetings and workshops given by researchers from EPFL and abroad. A dedicated workshop with combined social activity will be devoted to the participants presenting their own summer research results.



- ✓ Gain hands-on experience and prepare for future independent research
- ✓ Contribute to projects at the forefront of engineering, science and technology
- ✓ Improve critical thinking skills by evaluating scientific information, designing experiments and testing hypotheses
- ✓ Join a vibrant campus and experience collaborative research



**Eligibility.** You must be enrolled in a Bachelor or Master program. Students enrolled in PhD programs are not eligible. At the time of application, you should have successfully completed at least your second Bachelor year in any field of engineering, science and technology.

**Selection criteria.** Fellowships are awarded on a competitive basis taking into consideration the following criteria:

- You are among the top 10% of your class with a high GPA.
- You plan to pursue PhD studies. Previous laboratory experience is a plus.
- Your application package should convince the selection committee of your excellence and passion for science. Your statement of purpose reflects your ambition, career goals, and explains your choice of host laboratories.

**Fellowship conditions.** For several institutions, EPFL internships are counted in the exchange students' balance. For any information on this matter, please contact [researchinternships@epfl.ch](mailto:researchinternships@epfl.ch). You will receive a monthly compensation that will allow to cover your stay. Travel costs are refunded on request. For more info on housing, visa and more, visit [eee.epfl.ch/faq](http://eee.epfl.ch/faq)

# APPLICATION PROCESS

## Research area

Use the online search tool  
to identify host laboratories relevant  
to your research interests

[eee.epfl.ch/labs](http://eee.epfl.ch/labs)

A large majority of the 100 laboratories of the School of Engineering have committed to welcoming the selected candidates.

Most research projects are interdisciplinary, and we encourage students from any field of engineering, science, and technology to look for adequate hosting laboratories.

Increase your selection chances by identifying three research laboratories and explaining your choice in your statement of purpose.

## Online application

Provide your curriculum vitæ,  
academic transcripts  
and statement of purpose  
(max. 1000 words)

[eee.epfl.ch/apply](http://eee.epfl.ch/apply)

**Deadline: February 1st**

## Selection

Selected participants will be informed  
by email beginning of March.

## Ecole polytechnique fédérale de Lausanne

EPFL is one of the two prestigious Swiss federal institutes of technology, located in Lausanne, on the shore of Lake Geneva



### **Excellence in Science and Research**

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### **World-Class Education**

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### **Cosmopolitan**

EPFL is Europe's most cosmopolitan technical university with a growing number of students and researchers from over 120 nations.