HKU Faculty of Dentistry student industry internships available

Two student industry internships have been arranged by the HKU Faculty of Dentistry this year in collaboration with Colgate-Palmolive – one for an undergraduate and one for a postgraduate, in August 2011.

The internship will allow the two selected Faculty students to taste working life at Colgate-Palmolive for one whole month, full-time. Based in Colgate-Palmolive’s Hong Kong headquarters in Causeway Bay and working closely with the company’s Scientific Affairs Manager and Division, the two appointed “Academic Affairs Trainees” will assist in increasing strategic links between the company and key academics in the region.

Current HKU Faculty of Dentistry postgraduates and BDS III to BDS V students are welcome to apply for the internships, by sending a CV and cover letter to the Knowledge Transfer Officer at the Faculty’s Knowledge Transfer Unit (dentktu@hku.hk) before 29 April 2011. Internship details can be downloaded here. Queries can be e-mailed to Joey Chan of Colgate-Palmolive at joey_chan@colpal.com

“We are grateful to Colgate-Palmolive for offering the student summer internships for the second year running,” says HKU Dean of Dentistry, Professor Lakshman Samaranayake. “The industry internships offer our students a valuable opportunity to enrich their studies and whole-person development at the Faculty, while engaging in knowledge exchange with a major international company in oral health consumer products.”

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