

# **EDGE PROGRAM**

**ENGINEERS & SCIENTISTS ON THE CUTTING EDGE** 

#### SUMMER INTERNSHIPS IN PATENT LAW

Michael Best strongly supports engineering and science students who have a desire to explore the world of Intellectual Property. If you have a passion for technology and a genuine interest in the law, there is no better place to learn about patents, technical research, and legal writing than at a cutting EDGE law firm.

We invite you to spend your summer with us exploring the world of Intellectual Property as a Michael Best EDGE Intern. You will develop your writing and research skills while working closely with our Attorneys, Patent Agents, Engineers and Scientists to prepare and prosecute patent applications in the United States Patent Office (USPTO) and around the world and to conduct patentability searches, infringement studies, and validity studies. You will have the opportunity to interact with clients, the USPTO and foreign associates. You will become an Engineer or Scientist on the cutting EDGE.

#### WHAT WE OFFER

IP Mentor & Advisor 12 Office Locations 10 Amazing Weeks

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Competitive
Salary





## YOUR EDGE EXPERIENCE

### MENTORSHIP As an EDGE Intern, you will:

- Explore the world of Intellectual Property
- Develop your writing and research skills
- Be guided through the industry by IP professionals
- Become an Engineer or Scientist on the cutting EDGE

## **DEVELOPMENT** With your IP Mentor's guidance, you will:

- x Set goals and manage projects
- x Network with other IP professionals within the firm
- x Become versed in the latest technologies and developments
- Perform patent and technical research and writing
- x Review patent applications and draft documents for attorneys and agents
- x Research and report on patent filings
- \* Access the tools necessary to be successful and benefit from your time spent with us

# YOUR QUALIFICATIONS

EDUCATION Bachelor's, Master's and Ph.D. students, as well as Post-Docs, in the following majors:

**Computer Science** Computer Engineering **Electrical Engineering** 

Mechanical Engineering Chemistry Life Sciences

#### OTHER QUALIFICATIONS

- Valid authorization to work in the U.S.
- A passion for technology and a genuine interest in patent law
- Demonstrated academic ability
- Excellent time management and follow-up skills
- Strong initiative and proactive in working with others
- x Excellent verbal, written and interpersonal communication skills

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