



**Would you like to help Danish companies and universities prosper in the intersection between science, technology and innovation? And at the same time be part of the new Danish presence in Boston located at the heart of the most innovative square kilometer in the world? Innovation Centre Denmark Boston is looking for two interns from February 1<sup>st</sup> 2021.**

We are looking for two new interns in the areas of Corporate Innovation and Research, Entrepreneurship & Education. We are looking for interns that are eager to learn and develop professionally as well as personally in one of the most dense innovation eco-systems in the world.

The 6-months internship runs from February 1<sup>st</sup> 2021 to July 31<sup>st</sup> 2021. We require that you are currently enrolled in a Master's program in Denmark.

### **What we expect from you**

For both positions, it is essential that you embrace working on diverse projects in a dynamic organization and thrive in an environment where you have responsibility and influence in defining and executing your daily tasks. Additionally, you are motivated working under tight deadlines. As to your academic background, we are not looking for any specific line of studies, rather, we prefer you are:

- Interested in R&D, innovation, technology and future trends.
- Open-minded with a strong drive to perform individually as well as part of a team.
- A sharp analyst experienced in collecting and presenting complex information in a concise manner
- Knowledge and interest within Denmark's business strongholds within life sciences, digitalization, renewables and sustainability.
- Experienced or interested in the full range of social media tools essential to planning and executing campaign strategies and programmes, e.g. Facebook, Twitter, Instagram, LinkedIn.
- Ability to produce a variety of written Danish and English-language communications products in a clear, concise style.
- Positive with a great sense of humor.

## **Who are we and what we do we offer?**

Innovation Centre Denmark in Boston is the latest addition to the group of eight Innovation Centres globally. We are a partnership between the Danish Ministry of Foreign Affairs and the Danish Ministry of Higher Education and Science. The Centre bridges research institutions, startups, companies and capital in Denmark and Boston area; accelerate the entry of Danish life science, cleantech and digital companies and work to promote growth and competitiveness in Denmark through knowledge and networks in the Boston ecosystem; facilitate research cooperation; promote educational exchange and provide inspiration to help drive innovation in Denmark. The knowledge, skills and interests that you bring with you will highly influence your assigned projects. As an Intern you will:

- Be part of an agile and dynamic team
- Learn to network and expand your international network
- Work with Danish universities, top U.S. universities, startups, corporations and institutions
- A chance to apply and develop your academic skills
- A great opportunity to kick-start your professional career in the global hotspot of life science

The internships are unpaid with monthly rent support of DKK 4,000.

## **Internships Spring 2021**

We are currently seeking two interns within:

### Innovation & Business

Innovation Centre Denmark provides innovation advisory services to Danish companies and organizations. You will support the team that works with Danish companies consulting and facilitating access to the Boston and East Coast innovation ecosystem. We focus on all sizes and maturity within a wide array of technologies but focusing on life science, AI, renewables and sustainability. We arrange Boot Camps for startups, and academies and master classes for executives and facilitate corporate innovation in Danish companies. The team works with versatile projects, and you will be assisting the Innovation team with the following activities:

- Building and strengthening knowledge, networks and partnerships on key agendas.
- Promoting innovation in Danish companies and organizations by arranging delegation visits, meetings and other activities.
- Explore emerging trends and prepare reports for knowledge sharing.
- Assist Danish companies of all sizes and maturity boost their innovation and capabilities through consultancy assignments.

### Innovation, Research & Education

Innovation Centre Denmark is responsible for promoting Danish higher education and science in Boston and the U.S. East Coast. We work closely with the Danish Ministry of Higher Education and Science and other stakeholders to connect Danish universities and research based companies to US partners. You will work on both research driven task and support crossover projects involving companies and startups. We tailor delegation visits, meetings etc. through strategic partnerships and collaborations with world-renowned universities such as MIT and Harvard University. We have a partnership with MIT, but we will work with all relevant institutions

in the area. You will experience the cutting-edge research in Boston and assist with the following activities:

- Establish and strengthening networks and contacts between Denmark and the Massachusetts research community by arranging delegation visits, meetings, workshops and other activities.
- Promote Danish research, innovation, and higher education.
- Collect, promote, and disseminate best practice within science, technology, innovation, and higher education in Boston area by drafting reports on topics such as industry/university collaboration models.
- Gain a deep knowledge on how entrepreneurship is done and organized at the some of the best universities in U.S.

As part of a dynamic team, you will be assigned tasks within both verticals. Furthermore, you will participate in the following joint tasks:

- Planning and coordinating communication efforts across the organization.
- Write and create visual content on Social Media and other promotional platforms.
- Support business development related projects and prepare delegations visits etc.
- Event planning and execution
- Developing and researching the annual Innovation Project.
- Managing our web page.

### **How to apply?**

Please send us a one-pager in English that explains why you will be a good fit for Innovation Centre Denmark Boston and how the internship fits into your overall personal and professional goals. Please enclose CV and transcripts of your latest grades in your application no later than September 1<sup>st</sup> 2020 to [bosinn@um.dk](mailto:bosinn@um.dk) and mark it "*Internship Spring 2021*". If you have any questions regarding the content of the positions, please contact our Executive Director, Joan Hentze, at [joahen@um.dk](mailto:joahen@um.dk). For practical information about the positions, please contact Ana Pena Hyppolite at [anapen@um.dk](mailto:anapen@um.dk).

When we have received all applications, we will arrange Skype interviews with selected candidates.