

CE399/CE499 Summer Practice – General Guidelines TED University – Department of Civil Engineering

CE 399-499 courses, each of which must last minimum of 20 working days, are designed to engage students in the practical experience of civil engineering profession. Students are expected to report their activities both orally and in print.

Upon successful completion of these courses, students will be able to:

- 1. Recognize the importance of professional and ethical behavior.
- 2. Recognize the importance of cultural diversity.
- 3. Practice good working habits, time management, and self-discipline.
- 4. Prepare written and oral technical reports in English.
- 5. Apply knowledge of mathematics, science, and engineering to develop solutions for engineering problems.

General Rules:

- During the entire period of summer practice, the student shall obey the rules and regulations of the company and also those of the University (<u>TEDU-Zorunlu Staj Yönergesi.pdf</u>).
- Summer practice cannot be done while attending the summer school.
- The summer practice period must be continuous; cannot be divided into two or more separate parts for any reason.
- Summer practice must be done at an institution employing at least two full-time professional civil engineers.
- Due to inevitable reasons (i.e. illness of the student, death of a family member), if the student will
 not be able to attend the practice for few days with the permission of the supervisor, the Summer
 Practice Coordinator of the Department (SPC) should be informed via e-mail and these days should
 be compensated immediately after this enforced break.

Steps to Follow:

- Check with the Career Center (CC) of the University regarding availability of internship positions suitable for you.
- If no open internship positions are available through the CC, find an appropriate company for the summer practice. Submit the letter of acceptance from the company (see Appendix 1: Summer Practice Acceptance Form) to the SPC at least one week before the starting date of the summer practice. Begin your summer practice if only you receive approval from SPC.
- If insurance will not be provided by the company, apply to the Financial Affairs Department of the University for the necessary paper-work to get insured during the period of summer practice. Documents required for insurance applications are: Summer Practice Acceptance Form (Appendix 1) with approval of SPC, copy of birth certificate, copy of residence permit.
- On the first day of summer practice, submit the "Trainee Evaluation Form" (see Appendix 2) to your supervising engineer in the company.
- During your summer practice, observe and learn different aspects of the company, such as goals and customer profile, engineering services/tasks provided by the company, materials/equipment/software used in the process, practical issues of the daily work (e.g. tests carried out for quality assurance, security measures taken on site), etc.



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- Observe and learn how the civil engineering skills/knowledge is utilized in the whole process.
- Closely work with an engineer and possibly contribute to her/his work directly.
- Participate in an ongoing project to gain real life experience.
- During the summer practice, write your observations and experiences regularly (at the end of each
 day) by creating an online journal (preferably using Google Drive) in the internet, whose link is to
 be submitted to the SPC at the beginning of the following Fall semester. These notes can be used
 when writing the final summer practice report. Created online journals will be evaluated in addition
 to the prepared final summer practice report (See CE Summer Practice Assessment Guidelines.pdf
 for details).
- At the end of the summer practice, write a final summer practice report, whose format and assessment guidelines are given in the following document: <u>CE Summer Practice Assessment Guidelines.pdf</u>. The final report should be carefully edited, spelling and grammar should be checked using a word processor. The report should be soft bound before submission. Reports submitted in envelopes and plastic pockets will not be evaluated. The deadline for submission of the final report is the last day of the add-drop period of the Fall semester. Final reports should be submitted to the SPC.
- At the end of the summer practice, make sure that the Trainee Evaluation Form is filled out and sent to the University CC by the supervising engineer. This form should be mailed or hand-delivered directly to the University CC in a sealed envelope.
- After the add-drop period of the Fall semester, the summer practice presentation schedule will be announced by the Department. Present your summer practice activities clearly during these meetings. These presentations will be open to all academic members and students of the University.

Important Remark:

The summer practice period should *not* be spent on activities like training, coursework, studying for classes, learning a new programming language, examining manuals and catalogs, etc. Such activities can only be done *in support of* main engineering activities. It is expected that students *actively* participate in technical activities during the summer practice. If the engineering content assigned to the student at the company is "weak", or the student is not assigned to any projects to work on, it is the responsibility of the student to talk to his/her supervising engineer and find an acceptable solution. If the problems are not handled, it is the responsibility of the student to transfer to another company for summer practice after informing and receiving the necessary approval of the SPC. Not having enough work to do at the company does not count for a good excuse to submit a poor summer practice report. The full responsibility of performing a successful summer practice belongs to the student.

Appendix 1a: Summer Practice Acceptance Form (In Turkish)



YAZ STAJI ONAY FORMU



İlgili Makama,

TED Üniversitesi İnşaat Mühendisliği Bölümü öğrencilerinin izlediğimiz eğitim-öğretim programı uyarınca 4 hafta (20 iş günü) süreyle yaz stajı yapma zorunluluğu vardır.

Staj süresi boyunca öğrencimizin iş kazası ve meslek hastalıkları sigortası TED Üniversitesi tarafından sağlanacaktır. Aşağıdaki formun ilgili kısımlarını doldurup, öğrencimizin belirtilen tarihler arasında kurumunuzda staj yapmasına onay verdiğinizi beyan etmenizi rica ederiz.

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Öğrencinin Nüfus Kayıt Bilgileri

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Nüfus Cüzdanı No.	Veriliş Nedeni	
S.S.K. No. (Var ise)	Veriliş Tarihi	

Staja Kabul Eden Kurum Bilgileri

Kurum Adı	
Kurum Adresi	
Web adresi	
Telefon Numarası	Öğrencinin staja başlama tarihi
E-posta adresi	Öğrencinin staj bitiş tarihi
Fax- numarası	Staj yapılan toplam süre (iş günü)

Stajyerden Sorumlu Yetkili Bilgileri

Adı-Soyadı		
Görevi ve Ünvanı	Öğrencinin staj yapması	
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İşveren S.G.K. Tescil No.	Tarih/İmza/Kaşe	

Öğrencinin İmzası	Bölüm/Fakülte Staj Onayı	Öğrenci İşleri/Sekreterya Onayı
Bu belge üzerinde verdiğim bilgiler doğrudur.		Evrakları eksiksiz ve onaylı teslim alınmıştır.
Tarih:	Tarih:	Tarih:

Appendix 1b: Summer Practice Acceptance Form (In English)



SUMMER PRACTICE ACCEPTANCE FORM



Trainee	Inforn	nation
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Trainee illiorillation		
Name-Surname	Department/Program	
Faculty		
Academic Year	E-mail address	
Phone Number (GSM)	Home Phone Number	
Home Address		

Information

Practice Start Date	
Practice End Date	
Duration of Practice (work days)	
	Practice End Date

Trainee Consultant

Name-Surname	
Postion and Title	Trainee whose details are
	given above will conduct
E-mail Address	his/her summer practice
	under my supervision.
	Date/Signature/Seal

Signature of the student	Department/Faculty Approval	Registrar's Office Approval
All the information I provide with this form is correct.		All required documents are submitted.
Date:	Date:	Date:

Appendix 2a: Trainee Evaluation Form (in Turkish)



STAJYER DEĞERLENDİRME FORMU



Bu form stajyerin danışmanlığını yapan mühendis tarafından doldurulmalıdır. Bu formdaki sorular hem stajyerin stajdaki başarısını ölçmek hem de TED Üniversitesi İnşaat Mühendisliği Bölümü eğitim programının sürekli iyileştirilmesi amacıyla kullanılacaktır. Katkılarınız ve yardımlarınız için şimdiden teşekkür ederiz.

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a. Verilen mesleki görevleri yerine getirme başarısı											
b.Profesyonel ve etik sorumluluk gösterme başarısı											
c. Genel staj başarısı											
Ölçek: 1 – Çok Kötü, 2 – Kötü, 3 – Orta, 4 – İyi, 5 – Çok İyi											
Bölüm 2. Kişisel Becerilerin Değerlendirilmesi											
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f. Mesleki etik değerlere sahip olma											
g. Yazılı ve sözlü iletişim becerisi											
h. Çok disiplinli takımlarda görev üstlenebilme becerisi											
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j. Yaşam boyu öğrenmenin gerekliliğini farketme ve gereğini yapabilme becerisi											
Ölçek: N/A – Gözlenmedi, 1 – Çok Kötü, 2 – Kötü, 3 – Orta,	4 – İy	i, 5 – (Çok İy	i i							
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Lütfen bu formu **kapalı ve imzalı** bir zarf içerisinde (TED Üniversitesi Kariyer Merkezi, Ziya Gökalp Caddesi No.48 06420, Kolej, ANKARA) adresine posta ile veya elden ulaştırınız.

Appendix 2b: Trainee Evaluation Form (in English)



TRAINEE EVALUATION FORM



This form should be filled by the engineer supervising the trainee. Answers to the questions on this form will be used to evaluate the success of the trainee as well as to support the continuous assessment cycle of the TED University Civil Engineering Undergraduate Program. We thank you for your contribution.

Name of the Trainee:				·							
Section 1. Evaluate Success of the Trainee											
	1	2	3	4	5						
a. Level of success in completing professional duties											
assigned											
b. Professional and ethical behavior											
c. Overall level of success as a trainee											
Scale: 1 –Extremely poor, 2 –Poor, 3 –Average, 4 –Good, 5	–Exce	llent									
Section 2. Evaluate the Professional Abilities of the Traine	e										
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In comparison to the other well educated civil engineerin	g stu	dents	of Tu	rkey ((or the	cou	ntry	wher	e inte	rnshi) was
completed) please assess trainee's:											
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a. Ability to comprehend science and advanced mathematics subjects							1	2	3	4	5
fundamental to engineering	IIIat	пеша	lics	subje	CLS						
b. Ability to apply knowledge of mathematics, science, as	nd en	gineer	ing to	n desi	ign						
and implement original, innovative and sustainable civil engineering systems or											
processes to meet desired needs within a greater societal context											
c. Ability to identify, formulate, and solve engineering problems											
d. Ability to appreciate cultural diversity, respect individual and cultural											
differences											
e. Ability to design and conduct experiments; analyze and interpret data											
f. Ability to act professionally and ethically											
g. Ability to demonstrate effective oral and written communication skills											
h. Ability to display multidisciplinary teamwork skills											
i. Ability to practice good working habits, time management, and self-discipline											
j. Ability to engage in life-long learning and realize importance of life-long learning											
Scale: N/A –Not Applicable, 1 –Extremely Poor, 2 –Poor, 3 –	-Aver	age, 4	-God	od, 5 -	-Very	Good					
Section 3. Given that you have an open position in your o	compa	any, w	ould	you h	ire a	TED U	Jnive	rsity	Civil E	ngine	ering
Department graduate?											
2Yes 2No											
Name of the Supervising Engineers											
Name of the Supervising Engineer:											
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Please hand deliver or post this form in a sealed envelope to TED University Career Center, Ziya Gökalp Caddesi No.48 06420, Kolej, ANKARA.