

Work Experience

W20008

Preparatory Study 3

Dublin high-technology global industries

Part 1:

- List five global “high-tech” employers who have operations in Dublin and surrounding areas. For simplicity of definition, for the “surrounding area” look within the loose geographical area formerly known as The Pale.
- For each organisation – who should not have been covered by any prior assignment – list the main business(es) of the corporation, their global geographical spread, their relative position in the global market (*e.g.* Leader, former leader).

Part 2:

- For one of the five corporations above:
 - Does the organisation have a work experience or intern programme?
 - Outline some details of that programme (*e.g.* Duration *etc.*)
 - Identify one job in the company
 - State the likely qualifications required for the job
 - Indicate the course(s) that would lead to one of those qualification(s)
 - Identify how to get onto one of those courses from your current course, using the HELS
 - Identify the points and qualifications available from your course to qualify for the HELS
 - What that job typically entails and might pay
 - Prospects for travel in the selected job.

Guidelines

- The completed assignment should not exceed 1 A4 page.
- The assignment should use the standard cover sheet.
- The assignment should be standard formatted (see sheet on standard formatting).
- Submission should be made, after stamping/dating, in paper form using the box in Room 15.
- The deadline for this assignment is: **15:15, Thursday 18-10-2012**