
Re: [External]Internship Results

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Hi Michalina,

Finally i have some time to write to you.

I do not know how the feedback format should be for your case, but I am writing a short summary below. Let me know when/if you need an official recommendation letter for any applications.

In general, you have a great passion and motivation for what you are doing. This is very positive, please hold on to this passion. This is what will shape your life in the future. There are not many people working on their favorite fields/topics while earning their salary/life. I am sure you will achieve a career where you will have a lot of fun working with. This motivation also affects the people around you positively. At Micropsi, what we are trying to achieve is a work environment where a bunch of self-motivated developers share a common passion and have fun while working. You would be a good fit for this culture.

I believe you have a good sense of growth direction for a person at the beginning of their career. So far, we have done two internships and in both, your focus was remarkable and direct to the point. In other words, you know what you want to learn. This focus will shape your future direction quite well. You are developing a good skillset for yourself. Please keep improving on python and linux system as they will be the base for every application or field you want to grow into.

These days, learning AI is inevitable. My recommendation would be to learn very well the theory behind the most famous AI methods during your university time and keep up with the hands-on opportunities in parallel. Please do not forget that the future ahead is going to be shaped by cutting-edge AI technologies and the capabilities of these models. For instance, everybody can develop AI applications (or any SW applications) nowadays. I suggest you think about this> When you graduate, how will you differentiate in this competitive environment and still stand out as a great SW developer? There are options: a) You will be a part of developers building such capable AI models (e.g., generative AI companies, b) You will learn an application field quite well and use/adapt the AI capabilities the best for that field (e.g., robotics). Both are equally important and fun. You have a Bachelor career ahead so you will have opportunities to test these two options and see what is more fun for you. My recommendation would be to find internship options to experience them.

You have an exciting journey ahead. And you have plenty of time and many opportunities to try. After observing your work attitude (even for very short time), my strongest recommendation would be to NOT to rush or panic (because the tech will be skyrocketing in the next few years on many fronts but people will be hyping about it, just like LLMs) and KEEP your focus on your goals or on whatever you are doing. The developers who are not panicking and growing themselves on a focused path will be the winners in these cluttered and chaotic moments. You will have enough time to experience things. Also, sometimes it is ok to let go of whatever you are working on (if the resources are limited) for better opportunities.

Hope the words above are not too abstract for you. Let me know if anything is not clear and we can elaborate.

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