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On-the-Job Training and Internship

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How may a student qualify?

The school may send a request letter to SEAFDEC/AQD indicating the name of the student, degree being pursued, date/duration of internship/OJT requested, and number of hours required. A school is only allowed to send at most 10 students with the following qualifications:

- General average in the previous semester must be at least 2.5 (80 %)
- With good moral character
- Physically fit/not in delicate condition (i.e. pregnant, with heart ailment and the like)

Prior to acceptance, the student must submit:

For OJT

- Waiver signed by the parents/guardian
- Medical certificate
- Certificate of good moral character
- One 2x2 ID picture

- Copy of grades
- Registration form
- Proof of payment

For Internship

- Registration form
- Medical certificate
- One 2x2 ID picture
- Proof of payment

How much is the registration fee?

For OJT

Local PhP 1,000 - 30 days or more
PhP 600 - less than 30 days

Foreign SEAFDEC member country
- USD 300/month
Non-member country
- USD 600/month

For Interns

Local PhP 6,000/month

Foreign SEAFDEC member country
- USD 600/month
Non-member country
- USD 1,200/month

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On-the-Job Training and Internship Program



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What is On-the-Job Training and Internship?

The On-the-Job Training (OJT) and Internship programs of the Southeast Asian Fisheries Development Center/ Aquaculture Department (SEAFDEC/ AQD) provide a mechanism for high school and college students (to satisfy a school requirement) or for individuals to experience actual work in aquaculture research and development. These programs can also help broaden the knowledge and skills of the students on different aquaculture technologies. The programs offer exciting opportunities for a dedicated student/individual to work under the supervision of highly experienced research staff.

OJT and Internship are in line with SEAFDEC/AQD's mandate to develop human resources for aquaculture development, especially in Southeast Asia.

What are the objectives of the programs?

The programs aim to provide students/ individuals with practical knowledge and skills in aquaculture by assisting in ongoing research and verification studies at SEAFDEC/AQD.

After the training, the students are expected to:

- Explain the rationale, methods, and procedures practiced or observed in the laboratory or workplace he/she was assigned
- Assess his/her options in career development

What are the possible job areas?

Activities are done at SEAFDEC/AQD's stations in the Philippines. Most facilities are at the Tigbauan Main Station in Iloilo. Dumangas Brackishwater Station (Iloilo) is the venue for pond culture, Igang Marine Station (Guimaras) for fish cage broodstock development and culture, and Binangonan Freshwater Station (Rizal) for freshwater aquaculture.

Areas of Assignment

1 Hatchery facilities*

In Tigbauan Main Station

- marine fish
- mangrove crab
- sandfish
- abalone
- seaweed
- oyster

In Binangonan Freshwater Station

- giant freshwater prawn
- tilapia
- carp
- catfish

2 Laboratories

- Biotechnology Laboratory
- Fish Health Diagnostic Laboratory
- Laboratory Facilities for Advanced Aquaculture Technology (LFAAT)
- Phycology Laboratory

3 FishWorld (For Senior High School students)

* Other areas are by arrangement

