

# AP Valletta

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## internship programme

# about AP Valletta

AP Valletta is an award-winning architectural and design firm located in Valletta, Malta, which provides architectural, engineering, interior design and valuation services. Founded in 1991, AP Valletta consists of a multinational and multi-disciplinary team of architects and other professionals. Over the years it has completed a range of projects and achieved considerable success in local and international design competitions. In the last ten years AP Valletta has been especially successful in the development of masterplans, a number of which were located within historical environments, often carried out in collaboration with other partners and specialists. AP Valletta has a diverse portfolio which includes urban landscapes, office buildings, residential buildings, retail and hospitality, industrial infrastructure and cultural buildings. The offices of AP Valletta are situated on St. Michael's Bastion, part of the landward enceinte of the sixteenth-century fortified city of Valletta and overlooking the entrance to Marsamxett Harbour. The original

eighteenth-century fabric of the building was considerably tampered with during the nineteenth century, and, during the Crimean War, when Malta served as headquarters for the Allies, an unrealised project for a military hospital on the bastion incorporated this building to serve as the entrance wing. The building is the only one to retain its original aspect, most of the surrounding area having been redeveloped in the nineteenth century in the eclectic style of the period. A tunnel underlying the building along its length, connects Sappers Street to the fortified ditch that surrounds the city. The six-storey complex of buildings is being regenerated as a creative cluster with AP operating from 650 sqm of space accommodating 50 persons, along with other like-minded creative enterprises.



# part of four sappers creative cluster



The cluster includes fablabvalletta, a subsidiary enterprise which provides digital fabrication services, 3D printing, laser cutting, and prototyping to support experimental research.

Technical assets include: Autodesk Architecture 2018, Autodesk Revit 2018, Autodesk Building Design Suite Premium 2018; Adobe Creative Suite Design Premium 5; Trimble Sketchup; Rhino V5; Maxwell Studio V4; Tableau; NBS Specification Writer; Microsoft Project 2018; Microsoft Windows 10, Microsoft Office 365, Delta Wasp 3D printer; EPILOG laser Fusion 120 Watt (PLA filaments); VIVE HTC: VR set (Virtual Reality headset).

## working at AP

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You will be working on various projects within a team, being trained and mentored by experienced architectural professionals. If you see yourself as a talented and ambitious architectural student, who is interested in testing your limits in a fast-paced and competitive working environment, this is a position to apply for.

# programme structure

AP offers two types of internship:



## Summer Internship

3 months

(between June and September)

You would join one of our design teams as a student intern, providing support on a variety of tasks related to architectural and interior design services, focusing on:

- Building and working on physical models of projects currently entrusted to the office, in collaboration with fablabvalletta;
- Drafting and developing presentation images and documents with various Computer Aided Design (CAD) and other software.



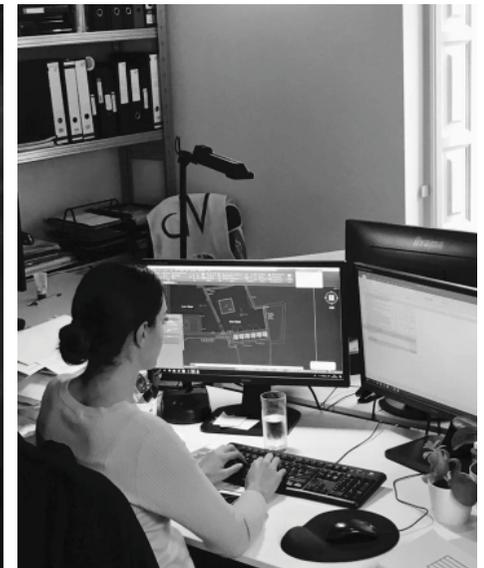
## Long Internship

min. 6 months - max 12 months

(open all year)

You would join one of our design teams as a student intern, carrying out professional duties related to masterplanning, architectural and interior design services; you would focus in particular on:

- Assisting a Design Director and her/his team in the development of urban and architectural design for projects for planning submissions;
- Assisting a Design Director and her/his team in the preparation of drawings and documents for meetings, presentations and planning submissions;



\* For both Summer and Long Internship programmes you will receive a monthly stipend.

# entry requirements

- Bachelor or Masters student in Architecture and/or Landscape Design, Interior Design, Urban Design\*; Masters Student in Structural Engineering;
- Strong graphic and design talent;
- Excellent command of Adobe Creative Suite and AutoCAD;
- Excellent craft and model-making skills\*\*;
- Knowledge of Revit is a plus;
- Fluency in written and spoken English, any other language is an asset;
- A team player;
- Previous internship experience in renowned architecture firms is preferred though not mandatory;

\* For Long Internship programme Master students are preferred.

\*\*Especially for Summer Internship programmes.

## and application process

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Tell us who you are, your academic achievements, and what motivates you to join AP  
This can be a text, a combination of a text and an illustration, a video, whatever describes you best

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Submit everything by email to [internships@apvalletta.eu](mailto:internships@apvalletta.eu);  
Subject line must specify which internship you are applying for, summer or long.

You can use wetrasfer links too, to the same email address

**!** Deadline for Summer Internships is 20th May **!**

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If your candidature is successful, you will hear from us within 2 weeks and will be invited for an interview.

For Long Internship we might ask for a second interview with a Design Director.

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If your interview is successful, you will receive an offer in writing to start your experience at AP.