

What the interns say...

“Being an intern in STRIKFORNATO helped me gaining deep understanding of the significant and complex missions that the HQ daily carries on. I could also experience what working in Maritime Battle Staff Operational Command looks like as well as performing in an highly skilled work environment.”

Alice Arci, from Italy
Arabic Language Specialist

“This insight into the reality of the Military and its operations allowed me to learn and understand about their struggles and their needs. I have grown as a person, expanded my knowledge greatly, and I've acquired the necessary toolset for my desired career in the foreign office.”

Maria Marques, from Portugal
Masters of Transnational Law

Join our team!

- ⇒ Accepted any time of year
- ⇒ Applications available on the following website:

www.sfn.nato.int/internship

Additional information concerning the expertise/fields for which STRIKFORNATO seeks can be found on the website. However, we are willing to consider anyone with a drive to improve themselves and assist our unit.



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STRIKFORNATO Internship Programme



***NATO's premier maritime
power projection force***



About STRIKFORNATO

STRIKFORNATO is the Supreme Allied Commander Europe's (SACEUR) premier, rapidly deployable and flexible maritime power projection force.

With more than 65 years of history, STRIKFORNATO is a Memorandum of Understanding organisation consisting of twelve member nations: France, Germany, Greece, Italy, the Netherlands, Norway, Poland, Portugal, Spain, Turkey, the United Kingdom, and the United States of America.

Headquartered in Oeiras, Portugal since 2012, STRIKFORNATO provides the Alliance the unique ability to rapidly integrate high-end US naval and amphibious warfighting capabilities into the Alliance.

The Internship Programme

STRIKFORNATO has re-launched the Internship Programme focused on current university-level students and recent graduates.

Through this programme, STRIKFORNATO seeks to establish mutually beneficial relationships within a diverse environment by engaging interns of different nationalities, cultures and backgrounds.

Your knowledge and fresh insights will be truly appreciated within the organisation.

With the internship, STRIKFORNATO intends to provide you the opportunity to:

- ⇒ Sharpen your skills in STRIKFORNATO's international community
- ⇒ Gain an understanding and balanced view of NATO operations and defence issues.
- ⇒ Gain valuable work experience
- ⇒ Improve communication skills
- ⇒ Be part of a diverse and impactful team
- ⇒ Enhance your *curriculum vitae*

Conditions

STRIKFORNATO is seeking highly motivated candidates from a wide variety of disciplines to the Internship Programme.

Applicants must meet the following prerequisites to apply:

- ⇒ Be a citizen of one of the STRIKFORNATO Memorandum of Understanding member Nations
- ⇒ Be at least 18 years old
- ⇒ Be proficient in English, both written and oral
- ⇒ Be proficient in the use of Microsoft Office software

In order to be accepted you will need to have:

- ⇒ NATO clearance
- ⇒ Health insurance

Internships last between 3 to 12 months, depending on the candidate's level of education and availability. Internships may commence at any point during the calendar year.

During the programme, interns are monetarily compensated at a monthly fixed rate.