

Semple & McKillop Ltd Student Placement Programme

Semple & McKillop are seeking to appoint high calibre student(s) who have an interest in Building Services Engineering for a 1 year placement starting June – Sept 2012.

The successful Placement Student(s) will have an interest in mechanical and electrical design services within the built environment. Preferably they shall have an interest and/or experience of environmental systems and technologies.

Working under the direct supervision of a Senior Chartered Engineer, the post holder shall join the Team providing technical support to the Engineering section. S/he will work on projects from initial concept through to completion and gain experience in client meetings, outline and detailed design, product specification, tender analysis and on site supervision. A Learning and Development Plan will be agreed with opportunities provided for skills development including accredited training in Health & Safety.

Semple & McKillop have offices in Belfast, Monaghan, Glasgow and London. The postholder(s) will either be based at Ormeau Rd, Belfast or Castleblayney, Monaghan.

Why choose Semple & McKillop ...

Semple & McKillop has an active Student Placement Programme. The structured Programme covers principles of M&E engineering, personal and team development and a range of project experience.

At Semple & McKillop we place a high priority on attracting, nurturing and employing high calibre staff. Current staff who have completed our Student Placement Programme include:

- Dan Gilchrist, University of Northumbria, Newcastle; 1999
- Terence Close, Queens University, Belfast; 2004
- Stephen Kernaghan, University of Ulster; 2007
- Clodagh Farrell, University of Ulster; 2008

In recognition of our contribution to student employability through work-based and placement learning, Semple & McKillop received the 'Ulster Placement Employer of the Year Award'.

Students on our Placement Programme have secured awards including a number from the University of Ulster and professional bodies, CIBSE-ASHRAE and the Energy Institute.

APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS AND DETAILS

Please provide the following requirements when making your application for a place on our **Student Placement Programme**.

1. A **cover letter** with supporting details relevant to your application.
2. A **statement**, of no more than 400 words, outlining what you expect to achieve from your one year placement.
3. An up-to-date **Curriculum Vitae**.
4. Details for **two referees**. One of these should be your Head of Department/Senior Tutor. The second should preferably be someone who can comment on your suitability for this Programme.

The closing date for completed applications is: **12:00 noon, Monday 27th February 2012**. It is anticipated that interviews shall be held Monday 5th & Tuesday 6th March 2012.

Should you require further information, or wish to speak informally to someone about this position, please contact Terence Close, Senior Associate on +44 (0) 28 9033 1700.

ABOUT SEMPLE & MCKILLOP

Semple & McKillop is a leading engineering practice providing consultancy services to the built environment. The range of services include: Mechanical, Electrical, Plumbing, Low Carbon and Environmental Consultancy and Specialist Technical Services.

The Company has gained a reputation for design innovation, client commitment and sustainable engineering solutions. Semple & McKillop is an Investors in People organisation and operates an Integrated Quality Management System accredited to BS EN ISO 9001:2008, BS EN ISO 14001:2004 and BS OHSAS 18001:2007.

As an award winning practice, the Company continues to demonstrate incremental and continuous growth. The culture within the Company is friendly and informal and over 25 highly competent and qualified staff are currently employed by Semple & McKillop.

Semple & McKillop aim to be the employer of choice for talented professionals in the industry. Our commitment includes providing a supportive culture with opportunities for self-development and career development prospects. In addition, we provide flexible working conditions and offer competitive remuneration packages. Semple & McKillop Ltd is committed to the promotion of equality of opportunity for all staff and opposed to all forms of unlawful and unfair discrimination.

Please check out our website for further details: www.semplemckillop.com.