



Summer 2010 Graduate Research Internship at Grockit

Grockit is happy to announce our Summer 2010 Graduate Research Internship program. This is a paid position for students pursuing doctoral research at a university in the United States in one or more of the following areas:

- Computer supported collaborative learning
- Educational data mining
- Artificial Intelligence in education
- Intelligent tutoring systems
- Item Response Theory

We highly encourage you to read more about this opportunity on our blog at:

<http://blog.grockit.com/blog/2010/02/03/announcing-summer-2010-research-internship/>

About Grockit

Grockit is a San Francisco-based web startup building a platform for — and a community around — live collaborative learning games. Grockit offers collaborative learning tool that allows students to practice tests in the three ways they naturally study: alone, with peers, and with experts. We strive to provide our growing global network of learners with a smart platform built on educational research, peer assistance, and a data-driven adaptive design. Find us online at grockit.com

Program Goals

- This program seeks to provide research opportunities to doctoral students to get hands-on experience with a real-world system.

Program Duration

- June 7, 2010 – August 13, 2010

Important Dates

- March 1, 2010 – Application deadline
- March 15, 2010 – Notifications sent

Award

- \$5,000 stipend
- \$3,000 housing allowance for interns residing outside of the San Francisco Bay area
- Round-trip air travel reimbursement from your university to San Francisco (up to \$500.)
- Breakfast and lunches every weekday!

Eligibility

- Current full-time enrollment in a doctoral program in the United States in any of the areas specified above, with at least 2 years of coursework already completed.

Selection

- For applicants with research focus on Item Response Theory, strong preference will be given to those with experience working with the R computing environment and with SQL databases.
- For other applicants, strong preference will be given to those with programming experience.

Questions?

- Contact Ari Bader-Natal (ari+internship@grockit.com) with questions about this program.

Application

- **To apply, complete and submit the form at:**
<https://grockit.wufoo.com/forms/grockit-summer-2010-research-internship/>

* An up-to-date version of this announcement can be found at http://blog.grockit.com/2010_summer_research_internship/