Co-op Employer Partner Program

Northeastern University
College of Engineering

MEET YOUR WORKFORCE NEEDS

Over 2,000 employers across the globe understand why Northeastern's Cooperative Education (co-op) program is ranked number one by U.S. News & World Report. As a co-op employer partner, you get access to talented future engineers with a variety of skillsets to address your hiring needs. You will be supported by a dedicated co-op coordinator throughout the entire co-op process. Partnering with the College of Engineering also provides employers access to student talent from across the university.

Northeastern's co-op program, the cornerstone of the university's experiential learning model, provides students with opportunities to alternate between periods of academic study and periods of full-time employment. Our co-op program has successfully matched employers with students for over 115 years. Now it is your turn to reap the benefits of this successful program.

BENEFITS OF BEING AN EMPLOYER CO-OP PARTNER

- **Reduce hiring costs.** Co-op students are paid hourly, a cost-effective flexible option.
- **Tailor co-op hiring to your needs.** Hire an undergraduate co-op student for four or six months, or a graduate student for up to eight months, or both! Students can work on long-term projects making significant contributions to your workplace.
- **Optimize staffing with flexible start terms.** With fall, spring, and summer start terms, you can hire different students for full-time coverage, and hire additional co-op students during peak periods.
- **Add or complement skillsets at all levels.** Select from students in over 60 engineering degree programs at the BS, MS, and PhD level.
- **Build your employee pipeline.** Identify student co-ops for upcoming full-time positions. More than 50% of students have received full-time job offers from a co-op employer after graduation.
- **Drive innovation.** Co-op students bring fresh perspectives and new ideas to projects, and learn new technology quickly.

CONTACT US

Email us to learn more about the engineering co-op program at **coecoopjobs@northeastern.edu**

PARTNERSHIP WITH CO-OP COORDINATORS

Your co-op coordinator will:

- Work with you to determine your employment needs
- Align your goals with job candidate pools and schedules
- Identify qualified candidates
- Facilitate a successful co-op experience for students and employers
- Address any issues or concerns while the student is on co-op

As an employer partner, you will:

- Post jobs on Northeastern's online job listing portal
- Interview and hire candidates
- Provide a positive work experience for students
- Share feedback

SOME OF OUR CO-OP EMPLOYER PARTNERS

amazon.com · Insulet · Dana-Farber Cancer Institute · SANOFI

BOSE · ABIOMED · Shark NINJA

iRobot · TESLA · wayfair

115 YEARS CO-OP

EMPLOYER TESTIMONIALS

WHOOP is blown away year after year by the quality of talent that comes out of the NU Co-op program. This has not only helped us quickly address the ever changing needs of our business, but has also created an excellent feeder program for full-time hire conversions that have already proven they can thrive here.

Travis Upham | Director, Talent Acquisition | Whoop

[Northeastern University] students bring a wealth of diverse skills to the table, allowing us to tackle both urgent short-term tasks and dive into long-term projects that demand dedication. Their flexibility ensures we have the perfect expertise whenever and wherever we need it most.

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We are continually impressed by the quality of talent Northeastern University co-op students bring to our research lab. Their consistent dedication and expertise have become an integral part of our ongoing projects. We look forward to further collaboration and are confident that their contributions will continue to enhance our research.

Prof. Mathias Bonmarin | Sensors and Measuring Systems Group
ZHAW School of Engineering

QUICK FACTS

#1 RANKED IN INTERNSHIPS/CO-OPS
U.S. NEWS AND WORLD REPORT, 2025

2,420
CO-OP EMPLOYER PARTNERS
(AY2022-2024)

3,274
STUDENT CO-OP HIRES
(AY2024)

Co-op hires in
(AY2022-2024)

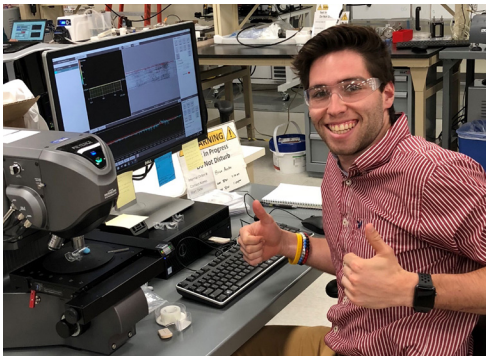| states	countries
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60+ Engineering Degree Programs
Scan or click for a complete list of programs.

CO-OP HIRING TIMELINE

Three co-op start terms and lengths are available to fit your needs.

4 Month		6 Month		8 Month*	
Start	**End**	**Start**	**End**	**Start**	**End**
January → April		January → June		January → August	
May → August					
September → December		July → December		May → December	

*Grad Only