

<b>About PRADAN Development Internship Programme:</b>	<p>At PRADAN, the Development Internship programme is an opportunity for young, educated people to live and work in rural communities and develop themselves for future development sectors. This opportunity offers invaluable exposure to the field of rural development and practical learning in a real-life setting.</p> <p>This will be an unpaid internship, in any of the PRADAN's intervention states. While PRADAN does not provide accommodation and transportation facilities, we can assist in connecting the interns with local families in the village, where they can stay during their internship.</p>
<b>Roles and Responsibilities:</b>	<p><b>1. Community Understanding:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Interns will reside in a PRADAN operational village, where they will conduct field studies, interact with community members, and gain first-hand insight into the challenges and opportunities within rural communities.</li> <li>• Develop a comprehensive understanding of the village or community in which the organization is working.</li> <li>• Learn about the cultural, social, and economic dynamics of the area and build understanding around effective community-based interventions.</li> </ul> <p><b>2. Collaborative Assignments:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Interns will work on assignments designed in collaboration with a senior PRADAN professional, who will act as their mentor and reporting officer throughout the internship period.</li> </ul> <p><b>3. Field Immersion, Research &amp; Data Analysis:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Involve in various field level activities including community trainings, meetings, exposures and other events to gain first-hand experience of community engagement.</li> <li>• Conduct field surveys, interviews, and focus group discussions with the community as part of the primary research process on the assigned topic.</li> <li>• Analysing data to draw learnings around the assigned research topic</li> <li>• Review secondary data, existing research articles and reports to gain insights about the assigned topic of exploration.</li> </ul> <p><b>4. Reporting &amp; Presentation</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Prepare a detail reflective and analytical report incorporating insights and learnings based on findings from the assignment.</li> </ul>
<b>Eligibility Criteria:</b>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Applicants must have secured a minimum of 60% marks in their 10th, 12th, undergraduate, and postgraduate studies (where applicable).</li> </ol>

	<p>2. Applicants with scores between 50%–59% in any one completed degree (excluding the currently pursued degree) will also be considered eligible.</p> <p>3. For students enrolled in Humanities and Social Science programs, a minimum of 55% marks is required up to the latest semester of the ongoing degree.</p> <p>4. The medium of instruction and examination for the current degree must be English.</p> <p>5. Students must be available for a minimum duration of 30 to 45 days, or more as required by their university. The internship duration should not be less than 30 days.</p> <p>6. Only students currently pursuing postgraduate degree, or those enrolled in the third or fourth year of an undergraduate program, are eligible to apply.</p>
<b>Internship Preference</b>	Preference will be given to students from Agriculture, Fishery, Horticulture, Forestry, and similar discipline.
<b>Location</b>	As per organisation requirement in any of the 10 working states of PRADAN
<b>Last date of application:</b>	20 <sup>th</sup> February 2026
<b>How to apply:</b>	Using Google Form
<b>Application Form</b>	<a href="https://forms.gle/ZGdMSJn5LmhPud1j9">https://forms.gle/ZGdMSJn5LmhPud1j9</a>
<b>For any query</b>	<a href="mailto:internship@pradan.net">internship@pradan.net</a>

*PRADAN values a diverse workforce and is an equal opportunity employer, however we are keen to include more women. So, we would encourage more applications from female students.*