Windward Launches New Software Internship Program

Local Software Experience Critical To Summer Internships

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Windward, sponsor of the [International Collegiate Programming Championships](#), has announced it is launching a new school-year internship program. The goal of the program is to help talented software engineers get a head start when applying for the summer internships that propel students into lucrative software engineering jobs.

"Working as an intern at a startup is the fast track to an awesome job, because an internship with a superb recommendation puts you ahead of everyone else," said David Thielen, founder and CEO of Windward. "And the best way for a student to get that great summer internship is to get an internship during the year in the city where they are going to school."

The Windward program provides a range of opportunities for computer science students who intern for the reporting, document generation and business intelligence software leader. Interns will learn new technology, frameworks and software; gain a greater understanding of other departments such as marketing and sales; challenge themselves by branching out into tasks that are unfamiliar; and gain a sense of whether the startup world is right for them.

"Start-ups need people who are smart, can create amazing things, and are incredibly productive," Thielen adds. "A local school-year internship with a company such as Windward can help show you if you belong at a startup."

For more information, please visit [Windward Computer Science Internships](#).

About Windward
[Windward](#) offers business intelligence, enterprise reporting, document generation and Web-based business intelligence solutions. Launched in 2002, Windward is the only full-featured, robust Java and .NET engine to use Microsoft Word, Excel and PowerPoint as a layout tool, putting template design and report and document generation power in the hands of the end user. Any Office user can easily and securely create reports and documents with almost no learning curve. Additionally, OEMs and VARs use Windward's reporting component.

Windward works by merging any XML, SQL or custom data source—or any combination thereof—with a Microsoft Office report template. It feeds data into the template to create a what-you-see-is-what-you-get report or document that can be generated in DOCX, XLSX, PPTX, PDF, HTML, direct to printer, RTF, XLS, WordML, TXT, and CSV. Windward runs as a standalone application or in an enterprise computing

environment. Also unique, Windward implements in hours, offers affordable server-based pricing, and offers "prompt, fantastic" technical support via a 24/7 support forum and support contracts. A free trial of Windward's products is available at www.windward.net.

The Windward user group spans 70 countries. User applications include financial statements, inventory reports, product-usage reports, purchase orders, invoices, training certificates, timesheets, and licenses. Other applications include reporting to meet requirements of Sarbanes-Oxley, Patriot Act, ARRA, HIPAA, Health Level Seven, IFRS, Gramm-Leach-Bliley, Basel II, and other U.S. and international acts and accords affecting financial services, real estate, government, and insurance industries and the consultants and integrators serving them.

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