

Summer Placement

Come and Join Price & Myers

Price & Myers is a consulting civil and structural engineering practice established in London in 1978, with the aim of working with good imaginative architects, to make excellent buildings. In our first 46 years we have completed over 30,000 jobs, and won over 800 awards. We have studios in London, Nottingham, Oxford, Manchester, and Bristol and currently employ about 170 people.

We aim to design elegant engineering solutions, produce clear and well-presented drawings, and provide a high-quality and enthusiastic service.

Our work covers an unusually wide range, both in size and type. Projects vary from minor alterations and extensions, to major new buildings and refurbishment projects, using the most recent developments in materials and construction techniques. We have advised on the repair and restoration of many historic buildings, and we have worked with some of the country's leading architects on the design of many outstanding modern buildings. Our diverse project portfolio allows us to find the right solution for every job.

Studio Life

The engineers and support team at Price & Myers come from all over the world and all walks of life. We embrace diversity. We genuinely believe it helps make the practice stronger, and we strive to represent the communities we live and work in. We love the different thinking and diversity of ideas that comes from a broad range of backgrounds. Price & Myers is an equal opportunity employer, and we do all we can to accommodate different needs. There is a range of benefits on offer, including flexible working and shared parental leave, and our London studio is fully accessible.

Our studios are open, friendly places to work. Our Partners sit with their teams and are involved in every project, giving help, guidance and support to their engineers. Graduates will find that responsibility for managing projects comes very quickly for those that show aptitude. Wellbeing at work is vitally important and we promote healthy workplaces and offer mental health support. All of our studios are located centrally in their vibrant cities and the numerous good restaurants, shops, bars, pubs and theatres are within easy reach.

At Price & Myers, you'll find a commitment to career development and training. We support our graduates to gain their chartership, and we help to develop the careers of all members of the team. We have a comprehensive Continuing Professional Development (CPD) programme, a buddy and mentor system to ensure you never feel like you're on your own. The diversity of our project portfolio means you'll have an exciting range of challenges to tackle.

The people who work at Price & Myers seek to improve the world we live in and aim to make a positive impact on social value. We are sponsors and supporters of 'Bridges to Prosperity', a global charity designing and building bridges and other key infrastructure in the developing world. We've also had a great deal of fun helping design and build a float with our friends for the London Pride

march. We pride ourselves on being ethical employers operating an ethical business too. Our financial reporting and accounts are available and transparent, and we pay our taxes.

Training

The wide variety of projects we undertake is particularly suited to graduates who want to get a good grounding in, either all aspects of the design of buildings, or a broad range of civil engineering design. This on-the-job experience, combined with the other formal and informal training offered by the Practice, means that we have an exceptionally high pass rate in the Institution of Structural Engineers' Chartered Membership Exam and many of our engineers pass the Institution of Civil Engineers' Professional Review at their first attempt.

Summer Placement at Price & Myers

We are looking for a number of sharp-minded, confident, sociable people who want to work on a variety of high-quality and challenging projects within our structural or civil engineering teams. We offer Summer Placement opportunities for students studying an engineering relevant degree to build their CV and portfolio.

If you are an undergraduate seeking a 2025 Summer placement, please email a CV and covering letter to Jamie Beeson using the following address: summerplacements@pricemyers.com

We will be carrying out interviews from February 2025 so would advise applications to be made by January.

Duties/responsibilities

As part of the team, you will work under senior staff supervision on several projects always looking to achieve Price & Myers' aim of excellence. You'll get the opportunity to be involved in a variety of projects and you will be supported in your career path through a combination of formal and informal training.

You will be required to carry out design work on all the projects, including scheme design and detailed design by preparing sketches, drawings specifications, schedules and calculations. You will be also required to attend design and site meetings and assist in general project administration.

You will be encouraged to attend office meetings and to take part in office training and general office administration.

Position details

Two-month structural/civil engineering Summer placement for university undergraduates, preferably in their penultimate year

Contract type

Short term placement

Working hours/days

37.5 hours/week, Monday – Friday, in line with our flexible working policy

Frequency of work

About 8 weeks over the summer months

Salary

The position is paid

Expected commencement date

Summer 2025

Required skills/experience

You will be a sharp-minded, confident, sociable person with a genuine passion for the built environment.

Minimum degree class

Undergraduate in a structural/civil engineering degree

Price & Myers are an equal opportunities employer