

## THE IMPORTANCE OF INTERNSHIP GIVEN ACCOUNTING EDUCATION IN VOCATIONAL SCHOOL OF HIGHER EDUCATION, ITS PROBLEMS AND SOLUTIONS

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### Abstract

Vocational schools of higher education are higher education institutions providing students with a theoretical occupational and vocational training in order to upload them practical knowledge and skills. In the accounting and taxation programs given in vocational school of higher education, vocational training in accounting is thought. For the accounting education to reach its objectives, it is necessary to upload the students with practical knowledge and skills together with accounting theory. Therefore, in terms of adapting to working life and gain professional experience, internship is an important part of education. The candidate student understands the importance of internship, the experience of the authorized people at the workplaces, and their foreseeing the intern as a future-professional staff, are very important for the internship period to be effective and efficient. However, there may be several problems during the internship, and internship functionality may be reduced. In this study, the problems encountered during the internship and things to do for internship period to be successful.

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