This is an 11-week 6-credit combined study and internship program in Summer C for engineering undergraduate students in Haifa, Israel. The program will take place in Israel to leverage Israel’s status as the Start-up Nation of the world. Students will participate in an 8-week internship in various engineering firms. Technion Israel Institute of Technology will coordinate the internship placement for students in high-tech start-up companies closely related to their major field of study. This program will contribute 6 credit hours towards the Engineering Innovation Minor for undergraduates or the Engineering Entrepreneurship Certificate for graduate students.

Haifa is the third-largest city in the State of Israel after Jerusalem and Tel Aviv. The city of Haifa is home to the Technion Israel Institute of Technology, a renowned public research university in Israel, described as Israel’s MIT. Haifa is also home to MATAM, the largest and oldest business park in Israel, which hosts a large number of Israeli and international hi-tech companies, such as Intel, IBM, Microsoft, Motorola, Google, Yahoo, Wix, and Philips.

Tour of The Bahai Gardens, German Colony, Culinary tour of Haifa, Day Trip to Caesarea National Park, Nazareth & Holy Christian sites located along the northern shores of the Sea of Galilee, Trips to Jerusalem and Dead Sea, and an Israeli food workshop.

You will stay in Technion International’s on-campus housing in a double room.

CONNECT theory with practice and apply the engineering and scientific principles learned in the classroom to a real-world professional environment

LEARN about local business and engineering practices and customs

HONE personal as well as professional skills & habits, and broaden your perspectives

EGN 4641: Engineering Entrepreneurship / EGN 6640: Entrepreneurship for Engineers (3 UF GPA credits)
EGN 4949 / EGN 5949: Engineering Internship (3 UF GPA credits)

Total Number of Credits Offered: 6
APPLICATION INFORMATION

2018 Application Deadline: February 15, 2018
Please apply online at: www.ufic.ufl.edu/sas

ELIGIBILITY | REQUIREMENTS

– Undergraduate & graduate engineers, 3EG and above
– Minimum 3.0 GPA
– Resume
– Instructor approval

2018 PRICING

Undergraduate Program Fee: $5,008
Graduate Program Fee: $5,504

A $350 nonrefundable deposit toward the total cost of the program is due at the time of application. The remaining fees are due no later than 45 days prior to departure. If you receive financial aid, you can defer payment until it disburses. Deferment decisions will be based on the amount of aid to be received.

WHAT’S INCLUDED

Tuition for 6 UF GPA credits, housing, welcome and farewell meals, course related tours, local bus pass, course material packets, international health insurance, and emergency medical assistance.

WHAT’S NOT INCLUDED

Round-trip airfare, meals, additional personal travel, and personal expenses.

FINANCIAL AID

Most financial aid that you would receive on campus during the summer can be applied toward the cost of this study abroad program. UFIC recommends that you speak with your financial aid advisor about your financial aid eligibility for study abroad. More information can be found at Student Financial Affairs.

SCHOLARSHIPS

UFIC offers summer scholarships for qualified students. This year’s summer scholarship deadline is February 9, 2018.

Apply online at: www.ufic.ufl.edu/sas/scholarships/html

Additional scholarships are available through the Kemerait Family Internationalization Fund in the College of Engineering. For more information, contact Ping Neo, pneo@eng.ufl.edu