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CTIS Q&A Session

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outline

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ranking criteria

- GPA : grade point average
- CGPA : cumulative GPA → 'new course' restrictions
- AGPA : all inclusive GPA → cohort
- Annual GPA → merit scholarship

<https://www.bilkent.edu/bilkent/ranking-criteria/>

merit scholarships

- candidate (**annual GPA** ≥ 3.30)
- meeting course attendance requirements (no FZ due to attendance)
- get into the first 5% of the **related** population

fair practices:

- for both semester (fall & spring) enroll to minimum 5 courses (lower bound of normal course load range - NDYA)
– **check details from the link**
- Students who are exchange students for one semester and take an internship course for the other semester cannot receive a merit scholarship

<https://w3.bilkent.edu.tr/bilkent/scholarships/>

mentorship

- Any CTIS student who has successfully completed CTIS151, CTIS152 and CTIS 165 courses and has NOT yet successfully completed CTIS310 course MAY apply to be a CTIS Mentee.
- The CTIS Mentorship program guarantees that any CTIS student who applies to be a CTIS mentee will be assigned a CTIS Mentor.

http://www.ctis.bilkent.edu.tr/ctis_mentorship.php

minor programs

- application: 3rd to 5th semester
- CGPA \geq 3.00
- rem: CTIS semester internship

<https://w3.bilkent.edu.tr/bilkent/minor-programs/>

ÖÇP

- 3 periods (fall/spr/smmr)
- contract-based
- max. 125 hrs per period
- max. 60 hrs per month
- CTIS lab student helper
- other

<https://w3.bilkent.edu.tr/www/ogrenci-calisma-programi/>

internship

- CTIS290: Summer Internship (non-crd.)
 - CTIS310: Semester Internship (10 crd.)
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- If you started CTIS in a Spring then you can perform Semester Internship earliest in the 5th semester.
 - f2f requirements.
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- rate of job offers: >50 %

https://www.ctis.bilkent.edu.tr/ctis_internship.php

erasmus+

- collaboration, cultural exchange
- between EU members - candidates
- for 1 or 2 semesters (financial support: 1 semester)
- european credit transfer system (ECTS)
- requirements
 - apply when in 3rd to 5th semester
 - CGPA \geq 2.50
 - CGPA: 50%
english language skills : 50% (**ENG101** and **ENG102** course grades)

https://www.ctis.bilkent.edu.tr/ctis_exchangePrograms.php

senior projects

- attend to project demo.s each year (early May)
- try forming your teams in your 3rd year
- come up with a (possibly innovative) project idea (not a must)
- requires a very good time management and a project plan

https://www.ctis.bilkent.edu.tr/ctis_seniorProjects.php

annual awards

- 4-year performance
- Senior Projects
- Internships
- other

- Some of our sponsors:
 - Microsoft, Cisco, Oracle, IBM, Dell-EMC
 - Havelsan, Cybersoft, Meteksan-Savunma
 - TÜbitak, TBD, Nokta Medya, Sebit, GFDS

http://www.ctis.bilkent.edu.tr/ctis_awards.php

CTIS Web: Student Handbook

- CTIS HOME / STUDENTS / Student Handbook
- http://www.ctis.bilkent.edu.tr/ctis_guides.php
- CTIS: Important Regulations
- http://www.ctis.bilkent.edu.tr/repository/CTIS_Important_Regulations.pdf

good luck

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