About Flat World

Flat World is an education technology company revolutionizing how the world learns. Through our innovative education-as-a-service platform and digital-first textbook offerings, we provide affordable, adaptive, and personalized learning solutions to students and higher education institutions. Based in Washington, DC, Flat World products have improved the learning experience for over 1 million students in over 44,000 courses worldwide.

Flat World’s vision is a world where access to lifelong, personalized learning is a great equalizer, rather than differentiator. We move quickly, take risks, and passionately believe in our cause.

Want to forever change the future of education? If so, we want to invest in you!

Position Description

Participate in the design and development of interactive and competency-based learning experiences within a mobile-first, web-based learning platform. Duration of the internship is expected to be 6-8 months. Candidates can be based remotely, but are preferred in the DC area, and can expect to travel between 10-50% of the time, depending on location.

Responsibilities

- Participating in the design and development of instructional materials for undergraduate-level courses
- Working to integrate technology across multiple platforms and vendors, including social learning networks and adaptive learning engines
- Thinking through the development of platforms in mobile and non-PC formats
- Working with faculty and staff of client to convert existing courses into web-based, interactive learning experiences
- Developing competency assessments based on courses and learning objectives
- Helping inform the design of user experience components
- Collaborating in the production of web-based instructional content and design, including texts, learning exercises and assessments
Qualifications/Requirements

Our ideal candidate will have:
- Relevant degree in Education, Instructional Design or a technology field
- Bachelor’s degree from a top institution
- A passion for student success and challenging the status quo in higher education
- “Will-do” attitude and willingness ensure professor or instructor delight
- Capable of working independently with little supervision
- Self motivated with strong organizational skills and attention to detail
- Strong team player with the ability to prioritize and thrive in a fast paced environment

Benefits and Compensation:
- Competitive hourly wage
- Creative & relaxed office space with a fully stocked kitchen, Xbox Kinect, and air hockey
- Free gym access with locker rooms
- Opportunity for professional development and promotion in a high-growth startup