

2017 TAEF Fellows - Student Evaluation

When completing the evaluation below, remember that it is important to give serious thought to the rankings. If more space is needed when completing the comments section, please add additional sheets. The goal of the evaluation is twofold.

1. To provide the opportunity for students to give constructive feedback on all aspects of their professional fellowship.
2. To provide information that will be helpful to future students considering a fellowship with that organization.

Name of the Fellow: Youssef Ben Ahmed _____

Company: eXo Platform _____

Supervisor: Nouha Blagui _____

Fellowship Beginning Date: 3 July _____ End Date: 25 August _____

Evaluation Scale: (5) Strongly Agree (4) Agree (3) Neutral (2) Disagree (1) Strongly Disagree

I had a good orientation to my company at the start of the fellowship.

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I received thorough information on the job duties and expectations at the start of my fellowship

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A mentor/supervisor was assigned to me to oversee my work and was always available to answer questions

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The overall quality of supervision was sufficient

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The fellowship was challenging and practical

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The work climate was positive and productive

5 4 3 2 1

I made networking contacts with other interns or employees

5 4 3 2 1

I would recommend this fellowship to another student

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COMMENT SECTION

- 1. How did your TAEF fellowship experience help you grow personally and/or professionally?**

As a first real professional experience, this program was very challenging and demanding. Getting out of my comfort zone and experience the real world helped me grow personally as I discovered new weaknesses and assets that I had in me but also professionally because I had the chance to practice all the knowledge that I had acquired during my academic years.

- 2. What previous classes or classroom experiences were most useful in preparing you for your fellowship?**

Every class and subject that I studied was somehow useful in the program. However, some of them were really necessary like my Marketing courses, Statistics, professional communication and managing information systems courses.

- 3. What advice would you give future fellows?**

I would probably advise them to always look for opportunities, to not wait for tasks or work but to actually take the initiative and think outside the box. Also, I'll tell them to be committed to their position and to actually try to help the company as the majority of the companies are small and medium enterprises with a very friendly staff and a nice environment

- 4. Would you consider doing a fellowship at this company again? Why or why not?**

Even though I had one of the best experiences in my life, I would probably want to try something new as the other companies seem very interesting as well. But I would probably want to work in the company someday not only as an intern.

- 5. Please include any other comments or information you feel would be helpful.**

In the future, maybe a more consistent follow-up from TAEF would be nice. Also, having a higher number of interns will be more impactful for the companies especially if we work in team.

6. May we use this in promoting fellowships to other students? Yes / No
YEs of course.