Industrial Distribution Program
Dwight Look College of Engineering

Admissions

Please visit id.tamu.edu for detailed process and up-to-date deadlines

I am a Texas A&M Student:

1. Entry to Major Applicants: (Check website for exact dates)
   Process:
   • Students can apply to a major in their 2nd, 3rd, or 4th semester
   • Apply in Howdy
   • Application includes:
     - Grades earned at TAMU
     - Essay describing your interest in the Industrial Distribution major
     • First and second choice majors

2. Change of Major Applicants: (All TAMU students currently in a major)
   Process:
   • Apply online at id.tamu.edu > undergraduate > Change of Major with these three items.
   • One page Resume
   • A Short Essay Question (350 word max, double line spacing): What are your career aspirations and how do you expect the ID Program to help you achieve this goal? Are there any unique factors or circumstances that should be considered with your application?
   • Unofficial Transcript (PDF version) via Howdy. Click on the MyRecord tab of Howdy, go to the Transcript box, click on View Unofficial Transcript PDF, generate PDF and save.
   Deadlines: Fall: June 15, Spring: October 15, Summer: April 15

I am not a Texas A&M Student:

1. Transfer Students: (Blinn College or other institutions)
   Process: Visit admissions.tamu.edu and click on TRANSFER.
   Deadlines: Fall semester: March 1, Spring Semester: October 15

2. High School Students
   Process: Visit admissions.tamu.edu and click on FRESHMAN.
   Deadlines: Fall semester: December 1, Spring Semester: October 15

Admission Informational Meetings:

Are you ready to take the next step? Join us for casual refreshments and an informational session — an opportunity to learn more about the Industrial Distribution program and the application / transfer process, as well as have all of your burning questions answered. Meet the faculty and current students and learn about the program, global study abroad courses, talent incubator, scholarships and job opportunities.

WHEN: 2:00 PM on the following dates
- Spring 2015: February 6, 2015, February 20, 2015, March 22, 2015, April 17, 2015

WHERE: Sbisa Hall - Conference Center
No registration required, just show up.
INDUSTRY INVOLVEMENT IN THE CLASSROOM
Representatives from a variety of industries share their experience in the classroom setting while developing student awareness of the employment opportunities within their channel.

INTERNSHIPS
Internship positions enable students to gain real-world experience. Firms that sponsor internships are able to market their industry and company while securing cost-effective temporary employees to tackle short-term projects.

EXPERIENTIAL LEARNING
Students are given the chance to better understand the industry through hands-on class projects that are focused on real-world challenges.

COMPANY SITE VISITS
Opportunity to expose Industrial Distribution students to real-world environments. Visits act as a bridge between classroom learning and industry practices.

GLOBAL STUDY ABROAD PROGRAM
★ One of the lowest cost study abroad programs at Texas A&M University - thanks to industry support
★ Five week 1st summer session program
★ Two weeks global travel
★ Gain six credit hours in a project-based class:
  ENGR 410 - Global Engineering/Distribution
  IDIS 445 - International Sales and Marketing
★ Stay competitive in the global economy
★ Obtain global perspective on people, business and culture
★ Competitive application process in Fall

TALENT INCUBATOR
The Talent Incubator is an undergraduate research organization led by research professionals. Top students in the Industrial Distribution (ID) program are hired to work on applied projects for sponsor firms.

What makes ID unique?

INDUSTRY SEGMENTS INCLUDE:
Automation solutions, general line, building materials, chemical and petrochemical, electrical, electronics, healthcare, ERP software, fluid power, metals, plastics, plumbing, safety equipment, specialty tools, pipe valve and fittings, oil and gas, and welding.

INDUSTRIAL DISTRIBUTION INTERDISCIPLINARY CURRICULUM
- 22% Engineering
- 18% Management/Leadership
- 18% Finance
- 13% English/Communications/Sales
- 13% Supply Chain/Logistics
- 12% Math/Physics/Chem/Statistics
- 10% University Core Curriculum/Electives

Student Organizations
★ P.A.I.D. - Professional Association for Industrial Distribution
★ Sigma Delta Honor Society
★ SWID - Society of Women in Industrial Distribution

Scholarships
20% of ID Students received scholarships in 2013-2014
Out-of-state students receiving scholarships pay in-state tuition.

ID offers over 40 different scholarships, many awarded to multiple students
Average amount of scholarship is approximately $1,500
On average, Industrial Distribution awards scholarships totaling $100,000/year
Freshman scholarships are available for ID students

INTERNATIONAL PROGRAMS
Global Study Abroad Program
http://id.tamu.edu for program details, scholarships, videos and admission process.

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