The Industrial Practice Programs (IP Programs or IPP) of the Erik Jonsson School of Engineering and Computer Science include the school's cooperative education, internship, and curricular practical training programs (ecs.utdallas.edu/studentservices/ipp/index.html). These programs combine classroom learning with paid work experience. Qualified students are referred to participating employers seeking candidates for career-related, pre-professional, and work assignments. The programs enhance a student's education and career preparation by integrating classroom theory with on-the-job performance; providing an understanding of work environments and professional requirements; testing career and professional goals; developing confidence, maturity, and skills in human relations; and establishing professional contacts and interests.

Students enroll in Engineering Computer Science Co-op (ECSC) courses during semesters when working on an IPP assignment. Students are expected to follow the rules of the IP Programs when working in a position titled by the employer as an internship or a cooperative education assignment.

For more information about the IP Programs, call 972-883-4363. The IP Programs are located in ECSS 2.502.

**Engineering and Computer Science Co-Op Courses**

- **ECSC 5177** CS IPP Assignment
- **ECSC 5179** ENG IPP Assignment

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