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In the Summer (2013) before my final year I completed an internship within Estates Services at the University. I was working on the Green Impact project which is a competition for staff members at the University in which they complete actions to green their workplace. Studying for a degree in the Environment Department really helped me with my internship as I had studied modules on

climate change and I could apply what I had learnt to real-world scenarios.

I was able to use what I had learned in lectures to get people excited about the project by giving them examples of why taking action on climate change is important. My internship also gave me some knowledge that I can apply to my 3rd year modules on Sustainability and I now have some experience in Environmental Management which will look great on my CV. It was a really rewarding experience that fitted in perfectly with my course.