

Internship Terms & Conditions

The Terms and Conditions detailed on this document pertain only to jInternship sessions run in Israel.

See below for details regarding the program costs and what is included and excluded. Note that all prices are in US Dollars and are subject to change.

2-Month Summer/Winter Onward Israel jInternship Programs

Includes: Program Costs, Program Placement Fee, Housing, Health Insurance, Partial Board, Intra-city Public Ground Transport.

Cost (*excludes airfare*): North Americans: \$549, \$649, or \$999 / Europe: \$1049, \$1149 or \$1499 / South Africa: \$549, \$649, or \$999.

Cost (*includes \$500 flight stipend*): South America: \$100.

4 Month MASA jInternship Fall/Spring Programs

Includes: Program Costs, Program Placement Fee, Housing, Some Meals.

Excludes: Airfare, Health Insurance, Intra-city Ground Transportation.

Cost: \$5000 before Olami and MASA Grants (which range from \$1000 - \$5000).

Grants:

Above pricing assumes a participant is eligible for grants from the Olami organization, from Birthright Israel Onward, and from Masa Israel.

Participants not eligible for Olami, MASA, or Onward Israel grants will have to pay additional fees determined on a per-participant basis.

Eligibility:

Please note that previous participation in an Birthright Israel Onward or MASA program (or any 4-month consecutive stay in Israel) likely will render an applicant ineligible for Onward Israel and MASA funding.

Further details of MASA eligibility should be directly clarified with the MASA Israel organization - rules governing Masa Israel grant eligibility can be [found here](#).

The Olami organization determines Jewish participant's grant eligibility based upon multiple factors - but generally is not applicable to participants who graduated from Orthodox Jewish Day Schools, Yeshivot, or Bais Yaakov Schools. Note that participation in the program is dependent upon a connection to an Olami representative in the participant's area.

Additionally, each jInternship provider will interview each applicant once they have paid their deposit, and the provider retains the right to accept/reject candidates based upon their own criteria. In the event a participant is not accepted into their desired jInternship program prior to the start of the program based on rejection by provider, they will be offered a refund of their program deposit fee.

Grant Processing:

- Summer participants will automatically be processed for Olami, Birthright Israel Onward, and MASA Israel grants, and will be informed of their eligibility or lack thereof (and will be responsible for any and all program costs due to their ineligibility).
- This processing includes sharing of information necessary to determine scholarship eligibility
- Fall and Spring participants will automatically be processed for Olami, but will need to apply to MASA Israel for scholarships on their own.

Airfare:

Airfare to and from Israel is not included in the program costs and participants must arrange their own airfare. Participants who plan to attend an Olami-funded trip immediately preceding their jInternship program should inquire with their jInternship Program Director as to whether they retain eligibility for the full Olami grant for their jInternship program. Various ineligibility scenarios could result in additional fees of up to \$1000 when participants join a jInternship session immediately before/after another Olami-sponsored trip to Israel.

Note that participants are responsible for the procurement of their own visas (including associated costs) and must ensure that their passports are up-to-date (ie, do not expire within six months of the participants' program end date). If a participant is refused travel to or entry to the State of Israel, jInternship is not responsible for the return of the program fee.

Participation:

Participants of the 2-month jInternship programs must arrive in Israel and join their program by the start date and leave no earlier than the end date of the program. Participants who are approved to arrive later than the start date or leave earlier than the end date will need to pay a fee of \$50/day for each day missed to cover the (now reduced due to absence) funding granted by the MASA organization. Participants who miss more than 4 days are unlikely to be accepted to the program.

Cancellation Policy:

The \$549 or higher program fee is required in full before internship placement begins and can be remitted at www.jinternship.com/payment. This fee is only refundable in any of the following scenarios:

- (1) the Program Director did not accept the participant into the program;
- (2) the participant notifies (in writing) jInternship of their desire to withdraw from the program within 48 hours of the payment of their deposit. All other reasons for requesting return of the program deposit unfortunately cannot be met;
- (3) If the participant withdrew from the program more than 2 months before the start of the program, they will receive a refund of 50% of the total program fee..

Security Deposit:

Most jInternship programs require a \$400 security deposit to be paid in cash upon arrival to the program. This deposit is subject to the specific terms and conditions of each program. Participants who miss programming, arrive late, or leave early, or cause damage to their apartment will not receive their full deposit in return.

In the event that the owner of an apartment is not able to evaluate the damage done to an apartment, the end settlement of the damage is agreed upon to be determined by jInternship representatives and is accepted by all participants. When the refund amount is only determined after participants have left the program, funds will be sent via online money transfer, and any applicable transfer fees will be borne by participants.

Consents:

As a participant on the program, I consent to

1. Photos taken of me on the trip can be used for social and promotional purposes. If I wish to withdraw my consent I will email office@jinternship.com
2. jInternship has multiple donors including Mosaic United, Olami International, and Birthright Israel Onward. I consent that relevant application data will be shared to ensure my eligibility for various scholarships that are being offered.

Program Participation Requirements:

❑ *Arrive on time and leave at the end.* All jInternship programs require participants to arrive for the first day of the program and leave no earlier than the last day of the program. Participants who cannot arrive on the first day of the program, or cannot stay until the last day of the program may lose full or partial grant eligibility, and must get explicit permission from their jInternship Program Director before booking their flight.

❑ *Interview with and acceptance by Program Director.* Acceptance into a jInternship program is dependent upon the participant's selected jInternship provider accepting the applicant into their program. Each jInternship provider has a Program Director responsible for interviewing all participants. Program Directors have sole discretion to accept or reject candidates based upon their program's specific acceptance criterion. Please note - payment of the program deposit fee does not guarantee acceptance into a jInternship program.

❑ *Timely submission of medical forms, waivers, terms of agreement.* Participants are required to submit various forms and waivers in advance of the program. It is imperative that these forms be submitted in a timely fashion. The deadline for submission is 4 weeks before the first day of the program; participants who submit forms within the 4 weeks of the program start date will be subject to a \$50 fine for every week of late submission. Participants will not be permitted to join the program if any of their forms are outstanding on the first day of the program. Students who are accepted onto the program less than 6 weeks before their program's start date will be required to submit all forms within 2 weeks of their acceptance.

❑ *Accurate application information:* Any participant who has been untruthful on their application or misrepresented themselves in any way can be dismissed from the program without advance notice. Program fees or deposits will not be returned in such an event.

❑ *Breaking program rules:* Each jInternship Provider has their own set of Program Rules which will be communicated to all accepted participants and agreed upon before joining the program. Any participant who violates their program's Program Rules is subject to being dismissed from the program without their program fees or deposits being returned, and will be responsible for their housing or airfare fees should they leave the country early.

❑ *Additional rules:* Any applicant who pays the program deposit fee, and jInternship staff subsequently introduces the applicant to a potential internship host company in Israel, in the event that the applicant withdraws from their jInternship program - they are prohibited from using the internship that was established by jInternship on their resume, or similar. Said host company will be notified of this rule in such an instance.

❑ Any participant whom their staff leadership determine (upon their own criteria) is in need of a visit to a psychologist while in Israel will be required to pay on their own for a visit to a local Israeli psychologist. Participants who are determined to be in need of a psychologist visit and refuse to do so for whatever reason will be removed from the program at their own cost. jInternship staff will assist any participant in need of a psychologist or psychiatrist visit, but the costs are generally not covered by insurance policies and therefore the costs must be covered by the participants.

