



## WORK WITH THE BRIGHTEST MINDS AT CMU

**As an INI Innovator, you become part of the INI community.**

A highlight of this program is working with a team of INI students to complete an open-source project over the course of a semester. This Practicum project is a great way to engage with the next generation of engineers and help your company, startup, nonprofit or government agency pilot a new idea or develop a proof of concept.

### INI Innovators Benefits:

- One Practicum project given fast-track priority
- Opportunity for a second Practicum project at a 20% reduced fee
- Opportunity to participate in the INI Innovators Speakers Series
- Unlimited resume books
- Inclusion in brand communications



**3-6 students**



**14 weeks**



**1400+  
work hours**



**unlimited  
potential**

### Investment:

- \$40K: Industry rate
- \$36K: CyLab Partner rate
- \$15K: Small business rate (as defined by SBA)
- \$10K: Large nonprofit rate
- \$5K: Small nonprofit or startup rate
- Free: Government rate

**[Submit an interest form](#)**

### HEAR FROM A PAST SPONSOR



"We were amazed at how quickly the students were able to pick up, solve problems, punch through and get going."

**PINDA NDAKI, SENIOR ENGINEERING MANAGER  
ADOBE EXPRESS**

### ABOUT THE INI

The Information Networking Institute (INI) was founded in 1989 as the first U.S. research and education center devoted to information networking.

Today, we educate and develop world-class engineering Master's students through interdisciplinary programs in information networking, information security, AI engineering, information technology and mobile and IoT engineering.

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