

Position: **2019 Graduate Programme**
Location: **London**

Founded in 1997, Marshall Wace is one of Europe's leading Hedge Fund Managers with over \$39 billion assets under management. It enjoys a strong reputation in the industry for its success, influence and innovation, built by a dedicated team of people working in a dynamic, entrepreneurial culture. Our firm is made up of 264 professionals operating from established offices in London, New York, and Hong Kong.

The MW Graduate Programme

We offer graduate programmes designed to give maximum exposure to our business whilst delivering a long term investment in the best people.

Joining into your area of specialism, you will be part of a small cohort of other driven Graduates, developing your knowledge as a cohort over the 16 month structured programme. As our scheme is non-rotational you will gain an invaluable depth of knowledge and will immediately have accountability for crucial work. Complimenting this, Graduates will have the opportunity for secondments during the programme with the possibility to work overseas. Put simply - we offer breadth, variety and the support that will enable you to build yourself a strong technical platform from which to launch your career within the firm.

2019 Roles Available

Technology Programme

We are seeking people at the start of their careers who have a passion for technology. To be successful you must be an innovative problem solver who can demonstrate creative use of technology, even beyond your studies.

Based within our development teams, you will hone your software and programming skills whilst getting an understanding of our business and financial markets. You will have the opportunity to work with the latest technologies and learn from some of the best technicians in our sector, allowing you to become an outstanding IT professional.

Quantitative Researcher Programme

We are looking for Quantitative Researchers to join our Systematic Investment teams in London. You are likely to have a research scientist mind-set and be among the top 1% of students at your university. You will become one of the team from day 1 and work in a research position designed for high calibre, highly numerate individuals who are able to contribute to the development of our quantitative strategies.

Over time you will become involved in creating and optimising systematic trading models. You will also be tasked with delivering on the research agenda and back testing/researching forecasts of asset returns on horizons of hours to years.

Why join us?

As a dynamic, fast paced and entrepreneurial firm, we think there are three main reasons you would want to join us:

- Our firm is built on innovation and we will actively encourage your ideas.
- We will give you real business critical projects and problems to solve. It also means you will be given responsibility from the start.
- Your training programme will be tailored around your own development needs and career path.

What are we looking for?

Firstly, it's important to understand just how we see ourselves in the market. As one of Europe's foremost Hedge Fund Managers, it follows that we only hire the best people. We seek self-starters; lateral thinkers; entrepreneurs; independent minds; challengers of the status-quo; and above all, driven and ambitious Graduates.

We are flexible on your degree discipline but we do expect our Graduates to be highly numerate. We welcome applications from bachelor, masters and PhD students, and require a minimum of a master's degree for the Quantitative Researcher role.

How to apply

Applications should be sent to mwam@cornellpartnership.com, and must contain a detailed covering letter of motivation to join us and CV. Please indicate in the subject line of your application which programme you are applying for.

The deadline for applications is 20th November 2018. Do not wait until the deadline to apply – screening will start promptly so it is worth submitting your details early.

If your application is shortlisted you will be invited to participate in a telephone interview before further steps of the process, which will include an assessment centre.

Applicants must be able to start during or before September 2019.