



Employer Capstone Project Information Sheet

Overview

Atlas School programs culminate in a Capstone course where students create a minimum viable product to showcase their skills and share what they've learned during their studies.

Students can choose to pitch their own projects or connect with employers to work on real-world projects that enhance their learning and provide value to your organization. This guide outlines the requirements for employers' project proposals to ensure a successful collaboration with our students.

Employer Project Requirements

To ensure projects are manageable and meet educational goals, employers are asked to adhere to the following:

- **Project Scope**

- Projects should be designed with a scope that is reasonable for a development period of 3 weeks.

- **Submit Project Proposal Form**

- Employers must submit a detailed project proposal form that includes:

- **Description of the Project:** A brief overview of the project, its objectives, and desired outcomes.

- **Minimum Viable Product (MVP) Key Components:** Outline the critical elements and functionalities that must be included in the project, ensuring it meets employer needs.

- **Tools and Languages:** Specify the tools, programming languages, and frameworks to be used. Indicate which are mandatory and which are "nice to have."

- **Code Ownership:** Clarify who will own the code after project completion. Options include:

- **Students:** Retain full ownership of the code and can use it in their portfolios.
- **Company:** The company retains ownership of the code, and students cannot use it outside the project.

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Other Requirements

To ensure a productive partnership, employers are expected to:

1. Weekly Meeting
 - Meet with student teams at least once a week to provide guidance, feedback, and support. Meetings can be held virtually or in person.
2. Availability
 - Be available via email, phone or other communication outlets to answer questions and provide additional support as needed throughout the project duration.
3. Demo Day Attendance
 - A company representative(s) must attend Atlas School Demo Day, where students will showcase their completed projects.

If you have any questions or need additional information about Atlas School Capstone Projects, please don't hesitate to reach out to Atlas School Career Services at careerservices@atlasschool.com.