

INTERSHIP OPPORTUNITY: AI RESEARCH & DEVELOPMENT ANALYST

Company: TulipAI

Location: Remote or Amsterdam

Duration: 3-6 months

Teams: Strategy & Business Intelligence / Engineering & Product Development

Reports to: Project Director and Tech Lead

About the role

Tulip AI is seeking two exceptional interns to join our dynamic team in exploring innovative AI-driven solutions across both market intelligence and technical experimentation domains. This unique dual-focus position offers an unparalleled opportunity to work at the intersection of business strategy and cutting-edge technology, making it ideal for ambitious students or recent graduates who possess both analytical acumen and technical curiosity.

As our AI Research & Development Analyst, you will collaborate directly with our leadership team to shape TulipAI's strategic direction while simultaneously exploring the technical frontiers of applied AI. This role combines the analytical rigor of competitive intelligence with the creative experimentation of AI tool development, providing comprehensive exposure to both the business and technical aspects of AI innovation.

The positions are designed for scholars who thrive in an exploratory, self-driven environment and are passionate about understanding not just what AI tools exist, but how they can be strategically positioned and practically implemented to create value. You will serve as a bridge between market insights and technical possibilities, helping us identify opportunities that are both commercially viable and technically feasible.

Core Responsibilities

Your work will span two interconnected domains that together provide a holistic view of the AI landscape. In the market intelligence sphere, you will conduct comprehensive research to map AI competitors across various verticals including productivity tools, personal assistants, developer platforms, and emerging AI applications. This involves analyzing pricing models, business strategies, and go-to-market tactics of both established players and emerging startups, identifying market gaps and opportunities that align with our strategic vision.

You will be responsible for tracking global and regional trends in AI policy, funding patterns, and innovation cycles, translating complex market dynamics into actionable intelligence reports and presentations. Your analysis will extend to evaluating customer segments, proposing positioning strategies, and assisting in the preparation of investor-facing materials and internal strategy documents that guide our business development efforts.

On the technical experimentation side, you will research, test, and benchmark a diverse array of AI tools spanning text generation, voice synthesis, image creation, autonomous agents, and productivity applications. Using platforms and frameworks such as LangChain, GPT-4, Claude, Runway, Replit, and ElevenLabs, you will develop mini demonstrations and prototypes that showcase potential applications and integrations.

Your technical work will involve systematic documentation of tool performance metrics, cost analysis, integration complexity, and user experience assessments. You will create structured findings reports that suggest viable use cases and work closely with our product team to identify smart automation workflows and innovative application concepts. Additionally, you will monitor trends in open-source AI tooling and software development kits, ensuring we stay ahead of emerging technical possibilities.



Qualifications and Requirements

We are looking for candidates currently pursuing or recently completed degrees in Economics, Business, Computer Science, Engineering, or related fields, though we value demonstrated capability and passion over formal credentials. The ideal candidate possesses strong research and analytical skills combined with technical comfort in scripting languages like Python or experience working with APIs and web-based development tools.

Essential skills include proficiency in Excel, Google Sheets, and presentation software, along with familiarity with startup funding models, product-market fit frameworks, and basic market sizing methodologies. We expect candidates to have a genuine passion for AI and technology, coupled with the independence and curiosity needed to explore uncharted territory in this rapidly evolving field.

Preferred qualifications include experience with industry intelligence tools such as Crunchbase, CB Insights, or Similarweb, as well as hands-on experience with prompt engineering, bot or agent development, or contributions to open-source projects. We particularly value candidates who demonstrate a hacker mindset, combining systematic analytical thinking with creative problem-solving approaches.

What we offer

This internship provides an exceptional opportunity to gain comprehensive experience in both the strategic and technical aspects of AI innovation within a fast-moving startup environment. You will work directly with senior leadership, gaining exposure to high-level strategic decision-making while simultaneously developing hands-on technical skills with cutting-edge AI tools and platforms.

The role offers significant autonomy and the chance to directly influence product development and business strategy decisions. You will build a portfolio of market research and technical prototypes while developing a deep understanding of the AI ecosystem from both commercial and technical perspectives. This unique combination of experiences positions you exceptionally well for future roles in AI product management, business development, or technical leadership.

Market-conform remuneration. We foster a collaborative, learning-oriented environment where your insights and discoveries will directly contribute to shaping our product roadmap and market positioning. The position offers flexibility in terms of remote work arrangements while providing opportunities for in-person collaboration in Amsterdam when desired.

Wanna change the world with us? Apply now!

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