OUTDOOR LEADERSHIP INTERNSHIP

For more information on any of the iNternships on this page, see Gene Durkee, Director, Pathways – Career and Life Planning, edurkee@nec.edu, 603 428 2358.

APPALACHIAN MOUNTAIN CLUB, INTERPRETIVE NATURALIST INTERNSHIP

Gorham, NH
Nicky Pizzo
Senior Interpretive Naturalist
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The Interpretive Naturalist Intern assists in the development, coordination, and delivery of a variety of interpretative programs at the Pinkham Notch Visitor Center. (S)he works closely with other staff and volunteers to connect our guests to the natural and cultural history of the area, as well as teach conservation principles. AMC depends on this self-motivated, skilled individual to professionally represent our organization and ensure an enjoyable and educational mountain experience for each overnight guest and day visitor. Deliver "active" educational programs in and around the Visitor Center throughout the day on topics ranging from natural and cultural history, to backcountry safety, to conservation of resources. Possible programs include guided hikes and walks. Assist in the development and maintenance of "passive" educational materials including program manuals, on-site libraries and games, self-guided activities, posters, displays. Serve as an interpretive resource for guests, visitors, volunteers, and staff when at the Visitor Center including greeting guests as they arrive and announcing program options during meal times. Assist with the on-site promotion of programs and activities. Assist supervisor with administrative duties including, but not limited to, coordinating groups, data entry, and preparing program materials. Plan and develop an interpretive project that will benefit the Visitor Center and/or Lodge.

CAMP RAMAPO SPECIALITY COUNSELING INTERNSHIP Rhinebeck, New York

Donna Miller PO Box 266, Rhinebeck, NY 12572 845-876-8405

dmiller@ramapoforchildren.org

This Intern will work with children and teens with emotional, social, or learning challenges, Students will be exposed to and work with Outdoor/Woods Specialists, Ropes Course Facilitators, Athletics, Waterfront, Craft Areas, Performance Arts, Reading Center, Science Discovery Center and Garden & Animal Care.

CAMP SPAULDING, COMMUNITY OUTREACH SUPPORT STAFF

Concord, NH

Ed Orlowski Camp Spaulding/Child & Family Services 103 No. State St., Concord, NH 03301 603-224-7479

orlowskie@cfsnh.org

Essential functions of the position include but are not limited to recruiting camp personnel rests with the Program Director, the Community Outreach staff is expected to participate in a cooperative effort to find qualified summer seasonal staff. Work closely with the Development department of Child and

Family Services to outreach to local child serving organizations. Recruit campers from underserved areas of NH. Develop a network of camp alumni and former staff to support Camp Spaulding. Promote and develop the Conference Center and Adventure Based Learning Program for off-season use. Act as the primary contact for groups and organizations to use the facility. Organize and support volunteer groups to participate in on-site maintenance and enhancement projects such as trail maintenance, building painting and repair, organization of camp equipment and supplies. Participate in community efforts to support Camp Spaulding. Community Outreach support staff will operate from the Concord Office of CFS and should have their own transportation.

CAMPS KENWOOD & EVERGREEN, ROPES COURSE FACILITATOR INTERNSHIP

Wilmot, NH

Camps Kenwood & Evergreen 114 Eagle Pond Road, Wilmot, NH 03287

Tel: 603-735-5189 Fax: 603-735-5780

Winter:

239 Moose Hill Street Sharon, MA 02067 Tel: 781-793-0091 Fax: 781-793-0606

Working as an Adventure Program Assistant, you will work with boys and girls, aged from 7 to 15 (from Monday to Friday), in the following: Low ropes (teambuilding) games, High ropes facilitation, Trip planning and preparation. on evenings and weekends you will assist with Camp's evening activities and special events.

DEPARTMENT OF CITYWIDE ADMINISTRATIVE SERVICES BUREAU OF ACTIVE AGENCY/INTERGENERATIONAL PROGRAMS SUMMER COLLEGE INTERN

New York, NY

Leslie Nusblatt

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Summer on the Hudson in Riverside Park is responsible for programming a full 6 month season of free public programming including children's sports, concerts, full day festivals, wellness programs and more in Riverside Park, Manhattan. The Riverside Park Youth Programming Intern would assist in the set-up, break down, and running of the Summer on the Hudson children's programming including Soccer Tots and Pee Wee Basketball (July-August 830-11am Wednesdays), and Children's Performance Series shows (July-Aug 10:00-11:30am Thursdays). The Youth Programming intern with also assist in Arts & Crafts programs in West Harlem Piers Park and would work with the Director of Public Programming to develop and implement new youth programming in the Riverside Park.

ECHO HILL OUTDOOR SCHOOL, OUTDOOR EDUCATION INTERNSHIP

Worton, MD
Betsy Z. McCown, Associate Director
Echo Hill Outdoor School
13655 Bloomingneck Road, Worton, MD 21678-1432

(410) 348-5880 jobs@ehos.org

Interns are encouraged to create their own goals and objectives for their experience. The internship should be integrated into the intern's course of study. It is extremely beneficial for the intern to maintain a journal throughout their tenure at Echo Hill. Responsibilities will include: Assist the teaching staff with all aspects of the school curriculum including planning, co-teaching and assessing classes; overnight tent or cabin responsibility for groups of seven to ten children during the length of their stay (two to five days); assist teaching staff in the supervision of students at all times (during meals, free time, etc); assist in the creation and implementation of new course and curriculum ideas; active involvement in the end of week staff assessment of visiting groups and general operation; minimal maintenance duties (upkeep of the campus and facilities), a responsibility of all our staff; completion of a special project of the intern's design.

HENNIKER FIRE DEPARTMENT, FIREFIGHTER INTERNSHIP

Henniker, NH
Mike Castello
Henniker Fire and Rescue
216 Maple St., Henniker, NH 03242
603-428-7552

Faculty Sponsor: Prof. Raelyn Viti

Daily chores and truck checks. Participate in fire calls (observe). Take notes, enter reports into computer system.

MAINE STATE GOVERNMENT SUMMER INTERNSHIP PROGRAM

Augusta, ME

Charles Morris, Program Administrator
Maine State Government Summer Internship Program
Margaret Chase Smith Policy Center
University of Maine
5715 Coburn Hall
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morris@maine.edu

www.umaine.edu/mcsc/MeSGIP.htm

There is no single description for an internship with the ME State Internship Program. Each summer, various departments will choose to sponsor an intern, so the departments and tasks will vary widely. The best way to explore the possibility of a ME State Government Internship will be to go directly to their website, which again is: www.umaine.edu/mcsc/MeSGIP.htm

MASSABESIC AUDUBON CENTER, VOLUNTEER EDUCATOR INTERNSHIP

Auburn, NH (near Manchester)
Logan Young
Volunteer Coordinator
Massabesic Audubon Center
26 Audubon Way, Auburn, NH 03032
(603) 668-2045
lyoung@nhaudubon.org

We are looking to take on volunteer educators who are interested in gaining or maintaining experience assisting and leading programs on a wide range of natural topics for school and youth groups. Programs are 1-2 hours long, sometimes more than one a day, and occur all year with an emphasis between September-November and April-July. Visiting groups normally consist of up to 25 elementary age children.

NEC ADVENTURE BOUND, OUTDOOR LEADERSHIP

Henniker, NH prof. Raelyn Viti (603) 428-2468 rviti@nec.edu

Assist Raelyn in the teaching of the High Ropes course. Assist the facilitation of the Peer Leadership Program. Train upcoming Adventure Bound members in the duties and responsibilities of the Program Director for the club so they may run it. Help gather and collect contact information and establishing contacts with schools in the Northeast that have outdoor programs. Teaching high ropes: teaching knots, explaining equipment, teaching belaying, set-up of high elements on the course. Ropes Course program duties: working one on one with students involved with the club to show the different duties associated with being the Program Director; create ropes course programs for school groups; working with other Adventure Bound members to successfully book transportation and organize outdoor equipment. Provide safe activities for events on campus such as Pilgrim Palooza. Research duties: contacting schools that offer orientation programs for freshmen; establish those schools as contacts in order to send out and collect data for research study; attend a confrence with Raelyn where multiple schools that are planned to be contacted will attend.

NORTH STAR CANOE RENTALS, OUTDOOR INDUSTRY MARKETING INTERNSHIP

Cornish, NH Jay Hammond North Star Canoe Rentals 1356A RT12A, Cornish, NH zebajholmes@gmail.com

assist with day-to-day operations, direct contact with customers, assist customers with planning the logistics of both day and multi-day canoe and kayak trips.