# Wilderness Curriculum Internship

#### **POSITION INFORMATION**

**Employer** Friends of the Boundary Waters Wilderness

Division N/A

Title Wilderness Curriculum Internship

Description

Internships with the Friends of the Boundary Waters Wilderness allow for diverse, immersive experiences in the environmental non-profit field. The Wilderness Curriculum Intern is responsible for updating the Friends' BWCA Wilderness Kits.

The BWCA Wilderness Kit is curriculum that is designed to teach about the uniqueness and complexities of wilderness, specifically the BWCAW. Lessons and activities are designed for elementary age students, yet are flexible enough to tailor to younger or older audiences.

## Primary Projects/Duties:

- Research current examples of nature-based/wilderness curriculum and define priorities for Wilderness Kit updates
- Outline current Minnesota learning standards and establish goals for aligning Wilderness Kits with them
- Design and update activities to engage youth from diverse backgrounds and experience levels with the outdoors
- Assist staff with outreach initiatives to publicize
   Wilderness Kits and reach new audiences for updated curriculum

Location

# LOCATION

Nationwide

no

City

Minneapolis

State/Province Minnesota

Country United States

Position Type Paid, Internship

Desired Major(s) Educational Studies, Environmental Studies

Desired Class Level(s) Sophomore, Junior, Senior, Alumnus

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Salary Level \$1,000 stipend

#### HOW TO APPLY

Requested Documents:

Resume Cover Letter

#### ATTACHMENT(S)

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## V IMPORTANT DATES

Posted On: Mar 09, 2017

**Applications Accepted Until:** 

Apr 03, 2017

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Minneapolis, MN 55401 United States Job Function Education, Teaching, Training, Foreign Language, Translator,

Environmental, Sustainability, Earth Science, Non-Profit,

International Development, Social Services

Desired Start Date May 1, 2017

Duration May-July 2017

Approximate Hours Per Week 10

### Qualifications

The Friends of the Boundary Waters Wilderness is looking for an undergraduate or graduate student with experience in curriculum development and an interest in wilderness education. Strong candidates are creative, self-motivated, detail-oriented, and interested in gaining professional experience. Familiarity with the BWCAW and Minnesota educational standards is preferred but not required.

- Must be 18 years of age or older
- Experience with youth education and curriculum development
- Completed first year of college or post-secondary education
- Proficient with Microsoft Office applications
- Ability to conduct self-guided research and synthesize data
- Ability to produce and edit written content

#### Attachment(s)

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