POSITION X2418
Tennessee Extension Internship Program: ANR/CED School of Natural Resources 10-week Summer Internship

LOCATION
The student will work in collaboration with the School of Natural Resources and departments of Biosystem Engineering and Soil and Sciences and Agriculture Leadership Education and Communication at the University of Tennessee. Prior to starting the internship, interns will participate in a day-long orientation to familiarize them with Tennessee Extension Programs in ANR.

EFFECTIVE DATE
Tentative--May 22 – July 31, 2024

SALARY AND BENEFITS
A stipend in the amount of $6,840 for the 10-week internship is provided for each intern. As with any position, it is expected that an intern is able to get to and from work each day. Generally, interns ride with Extension agents and specialists during significant work-related travel and therefore do not receive a travel budget allotment.

JOB DESCRIPTION
The summer intern will assist graduate students in the following roles:
- Coordinate and implement safe, interactive, and educational community workshops relating to riparian planting, invasive removal, and stream ecosystem health for students and adults of various ages and backgrounds.
- Record and track participant attendance and experience metrics to improve future programming.
- Develop and distribute program marketing materials via social media platforms, newsletters, and community contacts to expand future programs.
- Coordinate and train volunteer monitoring efforts for established buffers and no-mow zones.
- Aid in data collection, organization, and analysis, including riparian vegetation surveys and periodic stream indicator collection.

REQUIREMENTS
- Must be a currently enrolled student at the University of Tennessee in BESS, ALEC, or SNR, preferably an upcoming junior or senior with a GPA of at least 3.0.
- Must be local to the Knoxville area during the internship period. Housing not provided.
- Must be willing to work in hot, humid conditions, while wearing long sleeves and pants. Some stream sites may be extremely woody.
- Must be willing to travel up to 2 hours away in the East Tennessee area (vehicle provided).
- Must have excellent interpersonal skills, be comfortable speaking with people of diverse backgrounds, and be willing to present educational materials to public audiences.
- Excellent organizational and communication skills.
- Must present a written and oral report of the project accomplishments and training experience at the end of the internship.

For best consideration, applications for the internship should be submitted by February 29, 2024. Applications received after this date will be reviewed if all slots have not been filled.

Applicants may be interviewed. Successful applicants will be notified by March 22, 2024.

Apply on-line at: https://ut.taleo.net/careersection/ut_knoxville/jobsearch.ftl?lang=en

APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS:
- Complete Online Application
- Attach Resume to Online Application
- Attach Transcript to Online Application

Inquiries may be made to:
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