



U.S. Fish & Wildlife Service

INTERNSHIP (PAID-STEP)

Outreach/Communications and Public Policy



The Basics

We seeking college students with great **communications** skills and an interest in the **outdoors** and **nature** to work at the Alaska Regional U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service Office in **Anchorage, Alaska**.

Depending on experience intern will receive approximately **\$12.05- \$14.65 per hour**.

The internship will be **12 weeks up to 40 hours week** beginning **mid May 2012**.

Housing will **NOT** be provided.

Duties

- ★ Work with a team (supervisor and two other interns) to create a communications plan for the Service in Alaska.
- ★ Compile, archive and edit Service video footage and digital libraries.
- ★ Create outreach products (videos, social media plans and presentations)
- ★ Assist with natural resource planning, fire ecology, interpretation, environmental education, data base maintenance, technical writing, and more. *All projects are meant to expose interns to the diversity of careers available.*

★ Most of the work is office based, but there will be periodic opportunities for field days.

To Apply

Send a cover letter and resume and two references addressing the following items:

- ★ An interest in the **outdoors** and **wildlife** conservation.
- ★ Experience working in **team** oriented environments.
- ★ Knowledge, skills and experiences in **written, oral, visual communication** (video photograph), and **new media tools** like: Flickr; Facebook Twitter; RSS feeds, and more.

*Send these items via email to: Kristen_gilbert@fws.gov by **March 12, 2012**.*

This is a STEP position and you must be: A U.S. citizen; at least 18 years of age; enrolled or accepted school at least half-time in technical school, a two or four-year college or university; and in good academic standing.

For more information

If you have questions or are interested in the position contact Kristen Gilbert at 907-786-3391.