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Hopewell Culture Internship Opportunity! Biological Science Technician



Internship Opportunities

Hopewell Culture National Historical Park is hiring a **Student Trainee (Biological Science Technician) GS-0499-05** through the Pathways Internship Program with anticipated employment for up to 12 weeks beginning in April 2020. The Pathways Internship Program is open to current students.

Selected applicants will assist the lead Biological Science Technician to complete a variety of invasive plant management projects, as well as inventory and monitoring of vegetation and wildlife at park units throughout Ross County, Ohio.

Experience your America and build a fulfilling career by joining the National Park Service. Become a part of our mission to unite our past, our cultures and our special places, to establish important connections to the present and build a rich and lasting legacy for future generations.

Hopewell Culture National Historical Park

preserves, protects and interprets the legacy of the Native American Hopewell culture. Nearly 2,000 years ago in present-day southern Ohio, American Indian people built dozens of monumental earthen mounds and enclosures to serve as sacred centers of community life and ceremony. Six of these remarkable sites are preserved in the park.

Natural resource projects are designed to help preserve, protect and interpret this rich heritage; connecting cultures—past, present and future.

Major Duties include, but are not limited to:

- Invasive plant removal using chemical, manual, mechanical, and biological techniques
- Inventory and monitoring of vegetation and wildlife
- Data management, including data entry and maintenance of databases, maps, and files
- Developing and presenting public programs and exhibits

Oualifications

 You must be a current student enrolled or accepted for enrollment in a degree or certificate program on at least a half-time basis with a minimum overall 2.0 GPA

Salary \$17.32/hr. The anticipated work schedule is full-time, 40 hours/week for 12 weeks beginning in April. Positions may be terminated sooner depending on funding and workload. No government housing is available. Field work will be outdoors with exposure to heat, insects, allergens, and more.

You must apply at www.usajobs.gov during the open period Jan 7-Jan 17, 2020.

This job will close when we have received 100 applications which may be sooner than the closing date.

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