School of Environment and Natural Resources
Career Development Newsletter

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Internship Shopping....starting right NOW

'Tis the season friends, it's time to start getting ready to shop for an internship for next summer. Most employers will begin to post their Summer 2017 internship offerings late November and continue through Spring. The vast majority of internships will be hired and done by February! That's soon folks, very soon!

Shop the Internship Forum TOMORROW OCTOBER 26TH, 3:30 - 5:30

Close to 70 students will be presenting about their internships from the Ohio EPA to the American Bald Eagle Foundation in Alaska and all the way to Ghana across the globe. These students will be set up with a poster presentation and all the details about their experiences. Come and shop the forum, hear from your peers what they enjoyed about their experiences and how you can get involved. Browse this career fair style session from 3:30 - 5:30 in the Agricultural Administration Auditorium.

Where else should you be looking for internships?

HireaBuckeye, of course. And use our Career Related Links page to help jump start your search. One of my favorites is the Student Conservation Association. Many of their positions are linked to AmeriCorps where your service can qualify for an educational award (hello tuition money!) They provide you with a travel stipend, a weekly stipend, and most often, a place to live. You will find year long sustainability related business internships in Philadelphia to wildlife technician positions in Washington state. Many of these positions are great for your first internship.

Be sure to have your resume reviewed before you start sending it out. Trish and Mary are available for quick resume reviews every Friday from 10a - 4pm. You can also schedule an appointment - see below for more details.
**HOT JOBS**

**ISB Detailer Internship Program with the National Park Service**

Are you interested in being a Special Agent working in conservation protection? This unique program is a volunteer internship that will give students a chance to experience what the career field of a special agent is all about. [Find out more.](#)

**Ohio Environmental Council Internships**

Several policy and communications related internships are now posted at the Ohio Environmental Council’s website. This is a good page to bookmark and add to your list of resources for job search information.

**Urban Farms of Central Ohio**

Urban Farms of Central Ohio is part of the Mid-Ohio Foodbank initiative to transform vacant sites in underserved neighborhoods into productive, sustainable urban farms that provide food insecure residents access to fresh, local produce, jobs and job training, and opportunities for civic engagement. They offer internships and you can get an idea about what is coming for 2017 by viewing their 2016 internship listings viewable on their site.

**Walk-In Hours**

Every Friday, from 10a – 4pm, the ENR and CFAES Career Development team offers walk-ins for quick questions and resume reviews. Trish and Mary McLaughlin will be available. Check in at 210 Kottman Hall.

**Scheduling Appointments**

Students can schedule an appointment with Trish by calling 614-292-2265.

EEDS students have the added bonus of having Mary McLaughlin, Career Development Coordinator in CFAES as lead career advisor for the EEDS major. Mary is located in 100 Ag Admin. You can schedule appointments with her by calling 614-292-2265 or reaching her by email at mclaughlin.154@osu.edu

**Grow Your Network and Knowledge**
Water Management Association of Ohio - Careers in Water Resources

The Water Management Association of Ohio (WMAO) invite you to participate as a guest at Careers in Water Resources. This event, in conjunction with the WMAO 45th Annual Conference, will be held on November 9, 2016 at the Crown Plaza Hotel, 6500 Doubletree Ave., Worthington / Columbus, at 3:00 p.m., followed by a hors d’oeuvre reception and academic poster session from 5:00 – 6:00 p.m.

Diverse careers in water resource management will continue to be in high demand. At Careers in Water Resources, we will explore the water profession through dialog with sector representatives: private companies (environmental consulting and engineering firms), academia, Non-Governmental Organizations (NGOs) such as nonprofit environmental groups, as well as local, state and federal governments. Professionals from each of these segments of the water industry will be available to provide insight and answer questions related to their field of operation and how best to position yourself to join their ranks as a water professional.

The theme of this year’s conference is “Voices for Water.” We welcome you to just attend the networking from 3:00 until 6:00, or register for the full day as a student conference attendee for only $35. Additional information about the conference and registration can be viewed at: [www.wmao.org](http://www.wmao.org).

If you wish to attend this valuable networking event, please contact Dana Oleskiewicz, WMAO Administrative Director, at oleskiewicz@windstream.net or 330-466-5631 with your name and contact information. She will send you additional details on how to participate. See on November 9th!

**ENR Career Calendar**

Do you have your calendar marked with all of our great career development events for the year? If not, add our calendar events to your reminders today!

This past Saturday, we hosted our first ever Environmental Career Conference. It was a huge success. Thank you to all of our student volunteers and to all of the students who attended. We hope you found it valuable and made great connections.
Don’t hesitate to contact us if you have questions.