The Career Development office in Kottman Hall 210 has been a busy place lately. I'm excited that so many students are already thinking about internships for next summer and working on their resumes. **Did you know that internships for summer 2015 will begin posting in late November? And did you know that the majority of employers have their interns for Summer hired in January through March?**

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**Career Tips and Advice**

**Leadership Skills**
Many employers will look for leadership skills on a students resume. They are looking for involvement in activities OUTSIDE of the classroom like participating in professional student organizations that are directly tied to your major and your career field.

Student organizations like TerrAqua, Students for a Sustainable Campus or the Fish and Wildlife Society are great places to network, meet professionals working in the field, and learn new skills. Often times these organizations are student chapters of professional societies. For instance, TerrAqua is a student chapter of the Soil and Water Conservation Society. **Find an organization** that fits your major interests and get involved today!

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**Grow Your Network and Knowledge**

**Upcoming opportunities to network and learn**

**Federal Employment discussion – Friday, September 19th**
If you have interest in seeking federal employment, you are invited to attend the Wildlife Ecology Methods class (ENR 5362) this Friday Sept 19 from 9:00-10:15 am, room 370, KH.

*Special guest, Carlita Payne* who is a recruiter for U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service Region 3 in Minneapolis will be spending 30-40 minutes talking about fellowships, part-time and seasonal internships, and other employment opportunities such as the USFWS Pathways program. Ms. Payne will also cover how to apply for federal jobs and how to do so effectively on the USA Jobs web-site which is about the only way you can apply for federal jobs. The site is difficult to navigate so this is a great opportunity to learn how you can pursue employment, whether temporary, term, or career permanent.

Feel free to invite anyone you know that might be interested in Federal employment.

**Resume Writing Workshop for Graduating Seniors**

**Wednesday, September 24th**
Open to any student interested in hearing about resume development beyond your current student resume. We will be discussing a variety of resume formats that can be used to best market yourself as you begin your job search. Hear from ENR Alumni board members, Mark Dilley with MAD Scientists and Associates, Neal Sergeant with Columbus and Franklin County
Metro Parks and Heather Bokman with the ODNR Division of Wildlife, who will be offering their best advice on applying with both public and private agencies.

**Food, Agricultural, and Environmental Sciences Career Expo**  
**Thursday, October 2, 2014 - 11:00 AM - 3:00 PM**  
Location: Nationwide & Ohio Farm Bureau 4-H Center  
This career event is open to all university students. Come explore what opportunities are available for both internships and full time employment. Find the full list of registered companies HERE.

**MORPC Summit on Sustainability and the Environment**  
**Friday, October 10, 2014**  
Location: Downtown Columbus  
Hosted by the Mid-Ohio Regional Planning Commission, this one day conference is held in downtown Columbus with the theme this year being, *Building a Sustainable Future*. SENR has a limited number of conference registrations available to students to attend as our guest. **To apply for one of these conference scholarships**, please submit a letter of interest that includes your major, career aspirations and why this conference would benefit your course of studies. Deadline to apply for the conference scholarship is October 2nd. Selected students will be notified via email on October 3rd. Please submit your letter of application via email to senr@osu.edu or in person to Kottman Hall 210. Applications should be addressed to SENR Director, Dr. Jeff Sharp.

**Earthkeeping Summit**  
**Sunday – Monday, October 12 –13, 2014**  
Location: Nationwide & Ohio Farm Bureau 4-H Center  
Hosted by Ohio Interfaith Power and Light, this on campus *two day conference* boasts some exceptional keynote speakers on Climate Change. Tours are available for the OSU Solar Decathlon House, Byrd Polar Research Center, and Three Creeks Metro Park. Students can receive a reduced fee. Contact Deb Steele for student volunteer opportunities at steele.deb@gmail.com.

**Environmental Professionals Network Breakfast**  
**Tuesday, October 14, 2014**  
Location: Nationwide & Ohio Farm Bureau 4-H Center  
An excellent venue for networking with environmental professionals from all over Central Ohio and beyond, this monthly breakfast seminar series is open to all students and the general public. Students can volunteer to help at the event to receive free registration by contacting student assistant James Schwieterman at schwieterman.58@buckeyemail.osu.edu.

A "**Student to Professional Success Networking Session**" will be hosted from 7:10 – 7:30 before the main EPN event. This session is by invitation only and limited to 12 students who will have the opportunity to speak one on one with some of the best industry leaders. To apply for one of these 12 student openings, please email Trish Raridan Preston at raridan-preston.1@osu.edu with a formal paragraph explaining your major and 3 things you hope to attain from attending this session. Deadline to apply is October 10th.

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HOT JOBS!

Student Technician – USDA ARS Soil Drainage Research UnitStream Ecology – Autumn Semester
An average of 12 hours per week, this position is open to students to work under the direction of Dr. Rocky Smiley here at Ohio State. For full job details and information on how to apply, please log in to your HireaBuckeye account (EVERY student in ENR has a HireaBuckeye account – go to the link to activate) and search for job #25273197

Student Assistant for OSU Facility Management and Logistics Operations – Office of Student Life
Record utility consumption into a common database, assist in conducting building energy efficiency audits, program management of various sustainability programs including Green Buckeye, Earth Day, and more. For full job details and information on how to apply, please log in to your HireaBuckeye account (EVERY student in ENR has a HireaBuckeye account – go to the link to activate) and search for job #25273031.

You can find more HOT JOBS on HireaBuckeye.

Check out all of the resources available on our Career Services page.

To schedule an appointment to see the ENR Career Counselor, call us at 614-292-2265.