

Maryland Coastal Bays Program

2018 Summer Internship Opportunities



The Maryland Coastal Bays Program (MCBP) is accepting applications for two paid internships for the summer of 2018. Part of the National Estuary Program, the Maryland Coastal Bays Program is a non-profit dedicated to preserving and restoring the waters and watershed near Assateague Island and Ocean City, Maryland. Through conservation efforts in the Coastal Bays, MCBP enhances the bays' ecological values and sustainable use for both present and future generations.

For additional information about the Maryland Coastal Bays Program, visit www.mdcoastalbays.org.

Environmental Internship Program

The Maryland Coastal Bays Program is seeking qualified applicants for two summer internships with a focus in environmental science and education. We are looking for highly motivated upper level undergraduates or recent graduates majoring in environmental science, environmental studies, biology, education, or other related fields. The internships will be split between working with the science and technical team and working on educational projects and programs.

Scientific responsibilities include water quality monitoring, marsh and sea grass surveys, fish monitoring, data entry and analysis, and colonial nesting bird monitoring. Educational responsibilities include assisting in the implementation of environmental education programs such as watershed-focused summer camps and visitor programs, communicating with a variety of ages and backgrounds, and facilitating environmental stewardship for the benefit of the Coastal Bays.

Requirements:

- Current upper level undergraduates or recent graduates in environmental science, environmental studies, biology, education, or other related fields.
- Basic computer skills including PowerPoint, Word, and Excel.
- Ability to communicate with a variety of groups.
- Ability to work independently as well as part of a small, dynamic team.
- Reliable transportation.
- Ability to work outside in a variety of conditions.
- Ability to lift 25 pounds.

Work hours are generally 9:00 AM to 5:00 PM, Monday through Friday. Some occasional weekends and/or evenings may be required. The paid internships will be for 10 weeks, from the beginning of June through mid-August.

Interested applicants should submit a cover letter, resume, and three references in a **single PDF** to Katherine Phillips at mcbp@mdcoastalbays.org or 8219 Stephen Decatur Hwy. Berlin, Maryland 21811. Applications will be accepted until close of business on February 9, 2018.

All qualified applicants will receive consideration without regard to race, color, national origin, sex, religion, age, disability, political belief, sexual orientation, gender identity, veteran or military status, genetic information, and marital or familial status.