

INTERN PROGRAM ANNOUNCEMENT

EMPLOYER: Montana Fish, Wildlife & Parks

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DATE OF ANNOUNCEMENT: Monday, January 4, 2021

APPLICATION DEADLINE: Monday, March 1, 2021 at 5:00 PM (postmarked)

****STUDENTS MUST BE CURRENTLY ENROLLED IN A UNIVERSITY/COLLEGE****

POSITION TITLE: Fish Culturist / Fish Technician

OF POSITIONS: 1

LOCATION(S): Yellowstone River trout Hatchery

WORK START/END DATES: May 17th – August 6th2021

HOURS/WEEK: 40

TRAINING/ORIENTATION DATES: First day of Internship

COMPENSATION (PAY, PER DIEM, HOUSING, VEHICLE, ETC): Position pays \$13.00 /hr. Per Diem provided in accordance to state policy. No Housing is available on site. A camper trailer MAY be available to provide temporary housing.

POSITION DESCRIPTION: This position will expose the incumbent to various aspects of coldwater fish culture and facility maintenance. The Yellowstone River Trout Hatchery is a brood-stock facility that is responsible for producing Yellowstone cutthroat, arctic grayling and golden trout for the state of Montana. For 2021, we will be conducting some wild spawning operations for Yellowstone cutthroat and arctic grayling. Additionally we will be planting fish in Montana waters throughout the summer months. The incumbent will be responsible for some maintenance projects at the facility. ie; painting, mowing, trimming, tree removal and landscaping among other hatchery maintenance projects. Some weekend work may be involved. You may contact Chris Phillips with any questions at 406-932-4434 or email chrisphillips@mt.gov

SKILLS, ABILITIES, KNOWLEDGE NEEDED (EDUCATION; UNDERGRAD/GRAD LEVEL, SUGGESTED/REQUIRED MAJORS): Prefer students majoring in Fish & Wildlife Management. Must be majoring in a Natural Resource / Biological Sciences field.

APPLICATION MATERIALS/PROCEDURES (RESUME, COVER LETTER, REFERENCES, ETC.): Please send a letter of interest and current resume

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION: (; HOUSING OF ANY KIND PROVIDED OR POSSIBLY AVAILABLE I.E. TRAILER, FREE CAMP SPOT, BASEMENT APARTMENT, EXTRA SLEEPING ROOM, ETC.) This position will have a flexible schedule to be determined by Hatchery Manager and the Intern. It is designed to provide experience covering a broad range of coldwater fish culture activities for an actively enrolled student. The Yellowstone River Trout Hatchery is located in Big Timber, MT which is 60 ,miles east of Bozeman, MT and 81 miles west of Billings, MT