



Florida Oceanographic Coastal Center Education Internships

Summer Camp Education Interns Two temporary, full-time positions available

Introduction:

Florida Oceanographic Society is a non-profit organization based in Stuart, Florida. The Florida Oceanographic Coastal Center is on Hutchinson Island, a barrier island located between the Atlantic Ocean and the Indian River Lagoon. The Coastal Center supports Florida Oceanographic's mission to inspire environmental stewardship of Florida's coastal ecosystems through education and research.

Position:

Summer Camp Education Interns for summer 2010. These temporary, full-time, paid positions will be based at Florida Oceanographic Coastal Center.

Dates:

Each position is for a 9 week term, from June 14, 2010 to August 13, 2010, Monday thru Friday. Plus 3 additional days of training, dates to be determined.

Primary Job Responsibility:

The primary responsibility of this position will be to assist in the implementation of Coastal Discovery Summer Camp. The education intern will assist the summer camp director with camp activities, lessons, science experiments, animal encounters, crafts, and field trips. The education intern will aid in making summer camp a safe environment for children, where they can learn about local animals and ecosystems, and where they can develop their creativity and scientific curiosity. Working closely with Education Department staff, the intern will gain valuable hands-on teaching experience including practical applications of curriculum design, group facilitation, and scientific field explorations.

Requirements:

- Applicants must be at least 18 years of age.
- Educators or degree seeking students (undergraduate or graduate) with a major in education, environmental education, marine sciences, biology, environmental sciences, or a similar field.
- The ideal candidate would have previous teaching experience (classroom or field) with children
- Applicants must possess a valid Florida driver's license and a good driving record.
- Applicants must be a competent swimmer.
- Certification in First Aid, CPR, and water safety preferred
- Candidates must pass a criminal background check.
- Knowledge of computer software including Microsoft Office preferred.

Compensation:

\$10.00 per hour paid bi-weekly.

To Apply:

Please submit the completed employment application and resume by fax, mail, or email.

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