



Nisqually Land Trust Habitat Restoration and Land Management Internship Opportunity

Application Deadline: At Least 6 Weeks Before Target Start Date For Internship

Introduction:

The Nisqually Land Trust was established in 1989. Our mission is to protect and steward lands to permanently benefit the water, fish, wildlife, and people of the Nisqually River Watershed. The Land Trust has contributed to the protection of over 10,000 acres and owns and manages over 6,400 acres. Stewardship activities on these properties include property monitoring, maintenance, and habitat restoration. The Nisqually Land Trust is seeking unpaid interns to assist with these activities.

Description:

Interns will work with Land Trust staff on a wide range of land management tasks and may also choose to identify or select an independent project related to the Land Trust's habitat restoration and stewardship activities. Interns also have the option to assist with administrative tasks in an office setting.

Habitat Restoration and Land Management Duties:

- Habitat restoration activities throughout the Nisqually watershed
- Site monitoring and reporting
- Installation of signs, fence, and gates
- Habitat maintenance activities, including invasive species control

Optional Office Duties:

- Maintaining the Land Trust's grant records, stewardship files, and land ownership documents
- Projects related to GIS, wildland fire preparedness, public access development
- Preparing baseline reports for policy development
- Assisting with grant writing and reporting

Schedule:

Time commitment: a minimum of 8 hours a week; maximum of 40 hours a week with 1-3 full weekdays in the field and/or 1-4 full weekdays in the office. *Note: Tuesday, Wednesday, and Friday are our primary field days.*

Required Skills, Knowledge, and Abilities:

This position is open to university students enrolled in a natural sciences program or related field. Other requirements include the following:

- Intern should be available at least one full weekday each week.
- Valid driver's license, insurance and a reliable personal vehicle.
- Ability to maintain accurate records.
- Ability to work outside in inclement and/or hot weather.
- Ability to work safely near fast moving water.



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To Apply for this Position:

Send a resume, a list of three references and a cover letter (not to exceed one page, single spaced) describing the experience and skills you would bring to this position and how this internship help you achieve your goals and further your career development. Send your resume, cover letter, and list of references to the email or mailing address listed below.

To apply via email:

Ian Stoner at ian@nisquallylandtrust.org

Please include Stewardship Internship in the subject line.

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