

Ned Smith Center for Nature and Art 2021 Environmental/Art Education Internship

About the Center:

The Ned Smith Center is located Millersburg, Pennsylvania, just half-hour drive north from Harrisburg. The Center's lands feature over 500 acres of forest and field, 9 miles of hiking trails, and a stunning view of the Susquehanna River from the mountaintop, all serving as part of our outdoor laboratory for discovery and exploration. The Sourbeer & Lick Education Building houses our classroom, offices, meeting room, and three art galleries, including the Ned Smith Gallery which features a rotating collection of art from world-renowned wildlife artist Ned Smith.

Summer Internship Overview:

The Ned Smith Center for Nature and Art is seeking a college-level student who has successfully completed at least one year of college and is pursuing a degree in environmental education, art(s) education, or a conservation-related field to apply for a summer internship position with the Center. This three-month position will begin on Tuesday June 1, 2021 and conclude on Friday, August 20, 2021; dates may be flexible.

Position Responsibilities:

- Facilitate a variety of environmental education programs and/or summer camps for the public
- Assist in the management of our Annual Youth Art Contest
- Completion of a summer intern project
- Photographing events and summer camps
- Documenting attendance at each event
- Assist in managing invasive species and maintaining grounds surrounding the Center as needed

Position Qualifications:

- Successful completion of at least one year of college coursework at an accredited college or university
- Pursuing a degree in environmental education, art(s) education, conservation, or a related field
- Must have a sincere interest in teaching or working with others
- Understanding of basic natural history, environmental education, and art concepts
- Ability to relate to individuals and groups in a warm, positive manner
- Strong communication skills
- Valid driver's license
- Willing to undergo required state and federal background checks related to working with children
- First Aid/CPR certification preferred

Compensation:

\$10/hour for a maximum of 40 hours a week

How to Apply:

Interested individuals must submit a resume, one-page letter of interest, and three professional references to the Director of Educational Programming, Emily Rosmus, at erosmus@nedsmithcenter.org. The deadline to apply is March 19, 2021.

For more information about the Ned Smith Center, visit our website at www.nedsmithcenter.org