



STUDENT OPPORTUNITY

INTERNSHIP TITLE: Learning Path Phenology Trail Implementation

MENTOR: Sustainability Coordinator

LOCATION: Sustainable Development Institute, College of Menominee Nation - Keshena Campus

INTERNSHIP SUMMARY:

A student work opportunity is being offered by the Sustainable Development Institute (SDI) of the College of Menominee Nation (CMN) funded through the USDA – NIFA Plant Phenology grant project. The position incorporates the development of a citizen-based phenology trail along the Learning Path on the east side of the CMN Keshena, WI campus. The student will work with a variety of faculty, local contractors, and research scientists to advance the phenology trail concept.

INTERNSHIP DESCRIPTION:

- Review, update, and apply phenology manual.
- Become familiar with plant species and plant communities on CMN Learning Path and those selected for observation.
- Gather input from resource professionals and others familiar with plant identification and phenology in the settings identified.
- Develop trail signs for plant identification.
- Document the learning experience throughout the job through means that can be shared with others.
- Work independently to carry out assigned tasks.
- Attend appropriate and approved meetings.
- Develop and present overview of work experience to CMN community and if available, at a national or regional conference. (Travel costs will be covered through the grant.)
- Perform other job-related duties as assigned.

Program Requirements/Qualifications:

- Must be at least a three-quarter time (9-11 credits) degree seeking student enrolled at the College of Menominee Nation.
- Student must be 18 years of age or older.
- Must have completed one semester of his/her studies.
- Must have a minimum cumulative GPA of 2.75 on a 4.0 scale.
- Ability to communicate effectively in person, on the phone, and in writing for a variety of audiences.
- Ability to keep accurate, complete and timely work records.
- Commitment to working with diverse audiences.
- Ability to use Microsoft Office software and the internet.
- Computer proficiency and learning aptitude will be considered.
- Knowledge in GPS is preferred.



Application Procedures:

Submit all of the following information to College of Menominee Nation Sustainable Development Institute before September 1, 2017, attention Cynthia Norton, or email application material to sdi@menominee.edu. **No late or incomplete applications will be accepted.**

- Copy of (unofficial or official) Transcripts
- Copy of proof of acceptance or enrollment for current semester
- A completed application form
- Resume (to include any current and past internship experience)
- Letter of Interest
- Signed Letter of Recommendation (preferably a professor at his/her educational institution)

If you have questions about the position, please contact Rebecca Edler at 715-799-6226 ext. 3043 or at redler@menominee.edu.

Timeframe and Salary:

This opportunity is scheduled to begin September 11, 2017 and continue for approximately 14 weeks. The students an rate of \$10.00 per hour up to a twenty hours per week.