

Tri-Basin NRD Summer Intern Job Description

Description: The Tri-Basin NRD Summer Internship program employs college students who have an interest in natural resources management. The purpose of the intern program is to provide students a wide range of natural resources-related work experiences. These are full-time temporary positions (mid-May to mid-August) that pay \$7.75 per hour. Working hours are 8 AM to 5PM (sometimes later in evenings) Monday through Friday. Work is mostly, but not exclusively, outdoors. Interns will work with staff from the NRD, Central NE Public Power and Irrigation District, the USDA Natural Resources Conservation Service and the Phelps County Weed Control Authority.

Job Duties:

- Collect groundwater quality samples
- Test water samples
- Operate ultrasonic water metering equipment
- Groundwater Level Data logger downloading and data entry
- GIS mapping
- GPS coordinate data collection and land survey
- Wildlife habitat monitoring
- Irrigation system efficiency testing
- Assist with educational activities
- Measure groundwater levels
- Develop and implement wildlife habitat restoration plans
- Assist NRD staff with clerical work, plan documentation

To apply, mail or email a cover letter and resume before April 30, 2012 to:

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