



Student Employment Opportunity: Youth Intern Program (YIP)

National Parks of New York Harbor (NPNH) seek NPNH Youth Conservation Corps student alumni with a willingness to learn new things and commit to a multi year, multi level education and leadership program. Students will work for ten weeks during the summer, while learning about the history of the National Park Service, the environment and building leadership skills. Interns will attend workshops and have training opportunities throughout the school year.

Job Title: Intern

Salary Range: \$12 / hour (10 weeks)

Possible Locations: Gateway National Recreation Area, Statue of Liberty, Ellis Island, African Burial Ground NM, Governors Island, Federal Hall, General Grant, St Paul's Church, Hamilton Grange, Castle Clinton, Theodore Roosevelt birthplace, Lower Eastside Tenement Museum .

Job Description: Tasks may include conducting tours and presentations & assisting with camping, sailing, canoeing and kayaking programs. Interns will learn about the park's natural and/or cultural resources; while conducting informal interpretation, conveying park rules and regulations to park visitors; assisting with visitor center, special events, signage, maintenance of displays/exhibits, collection and documentation of visitor program attendance, assisting with canoe, kayak or sailing programs. Other tasks may include administrative functions, light trail work, gardening and working with volunteers. Interns will have an opportunity to mentor youth ages 15 – 18.

Qualifications: Interns must be able to follow directions and work well with others. Students must have an interest in working in the environment /outdoors, learning about history and building public speaking skills. Interns must participate in educational and environmental training; attend chaperoned overnight field trips and training.

Key Requirements:

- U.S. Citizenship
- Enrolled in high school or college
- Wearing National Park Service Uniform
- Travel for training and workshops
- Positive attitude

Work Schedule: Five days (40 hours) per week

How to Apply: Applications available online
Download application from www.nps.gov/npnh

For more information:

Call Youth Program Coordinator at 718 354-4530 x230 or email
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Send completed application with all supporting documents by March 30th via email or by mail to: Gateway National Recreation Area, Fort Wadsworth, Staten Island, NY 10305, attn: Janise LaBoard