

Urban Ecology Center Summer Internship for Credit

Field Data Technician – Research and Community Science

Milwaukee's Urban Ecology Center has captured the attention of leaders in cities across the country. Our model of creating neighborhood-based environmental education centers energize urban public natural areas. The result is reduction in crime, protection and enhancement of urban ecosystems, increased property values and improved academic achievement. Located in vibrant public green spaces, our fast-growing organization serves over 100,000 people of all ages annually. Our innovative team of cutting-edge non-profit professionals works in creative, high-energy open offices in state-of-the-art green facilities. The Urban Ecology Center is a leader in workplace flexibility and have been recognized as one of Milwaukee's Top Work Places by the Milwaukee Journal Sentinel. The Urban Ecology Center's facilities and programs have been recognized nationally and internationally for their innovative approach to sustainability, neighborhood-based urban environmental education and community science.

Position Summary: The Field Data Technician is a seasonal credit internship (June – August) that supports the GIS and Field Data Coordinator position, particularly in managing field data collected by the Center's Research and Community Science team. This position will also support projects in the field as needed and assist in generating reports to stakeholders for the Research and Community Science Program. This person will work collaboratively with the Research and Community Science Coordinator and the Manager of Research and Community Science as needed on additional projects.

Primary Responsibilities

- Work closely with the Center's GIS and Field Data Coordinator in managing databases (entering, managing, and visualizing data) and assisting in the generation of reports to external stakeholders and for internal use
- Gain an understanding of the goals of the Community Science department, especially as it relates to adaptive management of the Center's green spaces
- Enter and analyze data from various monitoring projects, including but not limited to bird, bat, invertebrate, mammal, and park use surveys
- Assist with logistics, geospatial technologies, and other data management projects as needed
- An independent research project is encouraged

Training: On-site training for all of the above is ongoing throughout the internship

Reports to: GIS and Field Data Coordinator

To Apply:

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