

Carnivore Internship

Carnivore Intern will work as a full-time keeper in the bear/lion department. Wildlife Safari has 6 black bears, 6 brown bears, and 5 lions that we care for in the carnivore department. The intern will assist in all aspects of husbandry including diet preparation, enrichment preparation, and medical procedures. Intern must be able to perform difficult physical work such as lifting, hiking and long hours in any weather. Applicant must have completed at least 2 years of a college degree program in biology, animal behavior, zoology, or other related field. Intern needs to have good communication skills, be able to work in a team environment, and be responsible and organized.

Requirements:

- Must have at least two years toward a college degree in an animal related field
- Preferred to have some animal related experience
- Personal vehicle and valid driver's license
- Negative TB test
- Good people skills
- Able to speak to the public both individually and in a presentation setting

The internship is unpaid for a period of three months. Off-site housing is offered for a small fee (no pets allowed). Transportation is NOT provided.

There are four sections of the internship: Winter (December-February), Spring (March-May), Summer (June-August) and Fall (September-November). Deadline is 2 months prior to the start of the session. (Example: Fall deadline is July 1st. Interviews start the second week in July.) When sending your resume and cover-letter please specify which session(s) you are applying for.

Send resume, cover letter, and references to:

Wildlife Safari

Carnivore Keeper Internship

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