

Job Name: Internship at North Idaho College Outdoor Pursuits

Description: As a summer intern at NIC Outdoor Pursuits your job will be to assist with every aspect of the program. This includes adventure trips (mountain biking, whitewater rafting/kayaking, backpacking), skills instruction (sailing, climbing, stand up paddleboarding, lake kayaking), equipment rentals (extensive inventory of rental equipment), special events (films, trail maintenance), and program administration (behind the scenes at the outdoor program).

An addition to the Outdoor Pursuits program is the NIC Challenge Course. Interns will play a significant role in making this a successful asset for the college through planning, marketing, and implementation efforts.

Our growing bike program is an exciting opportunity to develop and hone bike mechanic skills and the NIC Bike Share is an ever evolving program administrated largely by the interns. We have excellent mountain biking in Coeur d'Alene, and interns are often found cruising the single track after work.

The most exciting addition to North Idaho College in 2017 is our brand spanking new (and first ever) Student Wellness and Recreation Center. Rarely do folks have an opportunity to move in, set up, and open a rec center. This is the most fun part of putting a new building online, and we are excited to put the interns in the thick of the experience. The climbing wall is the facet of the SWRC that interns will be most actively involved with; new route setting, developing training, policies, and procedures manuals, and training a new staff of student workers will be integral to the program summer.

Intern Requirements: Interns must be pursuing a college degree that includes an internship within its curriculum. In order to insure a high level of academic and professional growth, the internship must be evaluated by the NIC Outdoor Pursuits staff and the intern's home institution. The experience is designed, but not limited to those seeking degrees in outdoor recreation-related fields of study.

Qualifying interns must: possess excellent interpersonal skills, be at least 20 years of age, be able to work flexible, and often long hours, be able to lift and carry objects weighing up to 75lbs, be a strong swimmer and possess a knowledge of water safety, hold a current CPR/First Aid certification, and have a valid driver's license. Interns will be expected to arrive in Coeur d' Alene by mid-May and stay through mid-September (exact end date will depend on your institution's academic calendar).

Compensation: Interns will be paid a \$1500 stipend over the four month internship. Shorter internships will reflect a pro-rated stipend . Students will need to bring enough money to live until their first paycheck arrives in the middle of June.

Housing is provided. The interns will share an apartment near the NIC campus

Coeur d Alene, Idaho is a premier location for outdoor recreation and community. It is common for interns to paddle, mountain bike, sail, and climb all in one day. With a multitude of hiking, biking, paddling, and climbing opportunities within 15 minutes of town, your days off are guaranteed to be as adventurous as you are.

Job Type: Internship

Skills Required

Education Level Required: Some College

Location City: Coeur d Alene, ID 83814, United states

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How to Apply

All interested students are encouraged to send a letter of intent and resume to Jacob Rothrock, Program Coordinator, at jacob.rothrock@nic.edu or by mail to North Idaho College Outdoor Pursuits, 1000 W. Garden Ave. Coeur d' Alene, ID 83814 ASAP. The position will close on February 10th, 2017.

Start date for the summer internship is May 15th.