



## Attention Recreation or Natural Resource Students

### Boise National Forest Internship Opportunity

Available through USAJOBS

October 20-24, 2014

Two internships will be available for recreation positions on the Boise National Forest. In addition, pending outcomes of previous recruitment, a few Forestry Technician positions may become available. Internships require work at ranger district field sites during the summer while students attend school the remainder of the year. Upon successful completion of a degree program and summer internship work, interns will be eligible for placement in a permanent job in the same position on the Boise National Forest.

#### Recreation Technicians



Recreation Technician - North Zone and South Zone (1 job each) Each position works predominately in developed & dispersed recreation management. Duties include the operation and maintenance of developed recreation areas, such as campgrounds, picnic areas, and trailheads. Additional duties include providing public information about recreation opportunities, explaining Forest Service regulations, inspecting recreation permits for concession operations, outfitter/guide permits and recreation events and serving as a Collection Officer.



One position will be at the Idaho City Ranger District, in Idaho City, Idaho - Announcement number:

**15-INTERN-067695-PW – Idaho City, Idaho**



The other at the Emmett Ranger District in Emmett, Idaho. Announcement number:

**15-INTERN-067711-PW – Emmett, Idaho**

Applicants should possess strong organizational skills that include the ability to: develop and maintain reports, be competent with social media, and communicate effectively with the public and co-workers.



The jobs will require Forest Protection Officer (FPO) certification, chainsaw certification and hazard tree identification, skilled use of pumps, general skills with hand and electric carpentry tools, mowers, and weed trimmers. Applicants must have a willingness to learn these skills and attain these certifications. Training will be provided by the Forest.



Applicants will need to be apply through the **USAJOBS** website by the closing date of October 24, 2014. Applicants should immediately set up a USA-JOBS profile, assemble required items (transcripts, resume, etc.), be clear on application requirements, and be prepared to apply locally, or elsewhere.



This opportunity is for “indefinite internships” that will require a multi-year commitment. It is open to college-level (2 or 4 year programs as well as graduate programs). Recreation and other natural resource students are eligible to apply and the positions will be filled based on education experience and qualifications for the duties required.

During the internship pay will be at the GS-3 or 4 level depending on qualifications. The permanent seasonal positions have a target grade of GS-6 with a 13 pay period full time/13 pay period optional within a year.



Further information is available by contacting: Danelle Highfill (Forest Recreation Officer) at: [dhighfill@fs.fed.us](mailto:dhighfill@fs.fed.us) or 208-373-4142.