



PAID WILDLIFE INTERNSHIP OPPORTUNITIES - 2025 (Multiple Locations)

Make a Difference in Oregon's Natural Resources!

Help the OREGON DEPARTMENT OF FISH AND WILDLIFE fulfill its mission: *To protect and enhance Oregon's fish and wildlife and their habitats for use and enjoyment by present and future generations.*

Support ODFW's mission by participating in a College Internship Program! Put your knowledge and interest in wildlife to use and apply for these internship opportunities!

Student interns will be provided practical on-the-job training experience related to wildlife management, data collection, habitat restoration, and wildlife monitoring. The benefit of these opportunities is to recruit and train potential employees seeking careers in wildlife management, research and conservation and develop a great knowledge base of wildlife in Oregon and are expected to gain the ability to develop and refine academic and professional goals as well as understand the structure and operation of a natural resource agency.

Primary responsibilities:

- Assist staff with general wildlife management activities.
- Assist staff with habitat maintenance and improvements to benefit wildlife.
- Assist staff in conducting wildlife monitoring and data collection.

NOTE: The above statements are intended to describe the general nature and level of work being performed.

Working Conditions:

Frequent work outdoors during inclement weather and may be required to work before and after daylight. Occasionally required to work on weekends. Position may be physically demanding.

Requires a flexible work schedule that varies in the number of hours worked on a daily basis, but not necessarily each day, or a work schedule in which the starting and stopping times vary on a daily basis, but not necessarily each day. This includes working at all hours and workdays in excess of eight hours. All internships will be in-person and will not involve telework.

Initial video submission interviews are anticipated to be held the week of January 27th; followed by position specific via phone or virtual interviews the week of February 24th.

Pay Range: \$17.77 – 22.23/hour

Location and Anticipated Duration (not to exceed 400 hours/10 weeks):

Housing is provided at some locations. Be sure to consider whether housing will be able to be secured for your locations of interest where housing is not provided. Please evaluate your options/rental rates in the area prior to applying.

All internship descriptions and information on application steps are found on the ODFW Wildlife Student Internship website: <https://dfw.state.or.us/wildlife/interns/2025.asp>

APPLY NOW! All Positions Close Thursday January 23rd at 5PM (PST) OR Until Sufficient Applications Have Been Received.