



Wolverine Tracking Project: Carnivore Research Support Intern Summer 2020

June 14 – October 29, 2021* • 20-25 hours/week

Application Deadline: May 31, 2021 • Email: info@cascadiawild.org

*Preference will be given to applicants who can commit to the full duration.

However, the end date and/or the weekly hours are flexible if you are a student attending Fall classes.

Cascadia Wild, a Portland-based 501(c)(3) nonprofit, seeks an intern to support the operations of the [Wolverine Tracking Project](#), a community science project that uses wildlife camera, snow tracking, and scat surveys to monitor rare carnivores and other wildlife in the Mt. Hood National Forest. The intern will gain experience in all aspects of supporting a field-based community science research project, including data processing and analysis, volunteer management, and community outreach. Work will be remote. This internship is unpaid but provides excellent experience in supporting an ongoing wildlife research project, with opportunities to participate in additional field work and to take most Cascadia Wild classes (in subjects such as wildlife tracking, botany, wilderness navigation, and more) at no cost during the internship, as availability allows.

Duties include:

- Reviewing photos captured by motion-activated cameras to identify wildlife species
- Entering survey and volunteer data into spreadsheets and maps
- Writing weekly newsletters and monthly blog posts, creating social media posts
- Compiling and analyzing data for a seasonal review
- Tentative: Assisting in planning of the fall volunteer and member appreciation party
- Additional projects as availability allows

Requirements:

- Interest in or experience with Pacific Northwest wildlife
- Proficiency with spreadsheets, email, electronic file management, and social media
- Ability to carefully follow written documentation, including checklists and procedures
- Ability to review digital photographs for species identification with efficiency and accuracy; training and support in species ID is provided
- Access to a secure computer with internet connection
- Excellent writing ability
- Good communication skills
- Positive attitude and willingness to learn
- Extremely high degree of dependability

To apply, please email the following to info@cascadiawild.org by May 31, 2021:

- your résumé
- a cover letter explaining 1) your interest in this internship and what you hope to gain from it, 2) why you are a good fit to perform the described duties, and 3) your availability to take on a weekly commitment in NE Portland from June 14 – Oct 29, 2021.

Cascadia Wild does not discriminate on the basis of race, religion, gender, sexual orientation, or gender identity. We encourage applications from candidates with diverse backgrounds, particularly those from historically underrepresented groups.

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