Position Description:

This posting will be used to hire 2 Stream Habitat Interns. The primary responsibility of these positions will be to assist in the collection of physical data on streams, dams and culverts (water surfaces, stream features and bank conditions) and to obtain land access permission from land-owners.

This is a statewide program, so overnight travel is required. When traveling, lodging and transportation are provided and the cost of meals will be reimbursed. Position is based in Fergus Falls, Minnesota. Salary is $12.00/hr.

Required Qualifications:

- Willingness to work odd hours and in adverse weather conditions.
- In order to hold this position, you must majoring in one of the following: Biology, Natural Resources, Fisheries and Wildlife, Ecology, Environmental Science, Geology, Aquatic Biology, Water Resource Management or Hydrology.
- Requires a Class D Driver's License
- This job requires walking or standing on rough terrain and wading streams

Preferred Qualifications:

- Major in Natural Resources, Aquatic Biology, Ecology or Hydrology.
- Working knowledge of ArcMap GIS software and GPS equipment.
- Have knowledge of how to use a laser level and leveling rod.
- Ability to analyze and interpret aerial photographs.
- Understanding of river ecology and river features.
- Ability to read a plat book.

Other learning opportunities exist beyond the primary job duties:

- Attending a “Fundamentals of Stream Restoration” and/or “Assessment and Monitoring” workshops
- Seeing a stream restoration project in progress/construction
- Electroshocking and fish identification in streams
- SCUBA diving and mussel surveying
- Monitoring stream restoration projects

For the full position description and to apply, go to State of Minnesota career website: [http://mn.gov/mmb/careers/](http://mn.gov/mmb/careers/)

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