



PALOS VERDES PENINSULA LAND CONSERVANCY

STEWARDSHIP INTERN WILDLIFE RESEARCH

DESCRIPTION

The Palos Verdes Peninsula Land Conservancy manages over 1500 acres of open space on the Palos Verdes Peninsula. PVPLC maintains a work crew to manage and restore the native habitat in the open space. Student interns will have the opportunity to obtain hands-on experience with conducting native habitat surveys and investigating habitat restoration effectiveness.

A Stewardship Research Technician will work under the direction of a Stewardship Associate to assist with tracking wildlife in the preserves managed by PVPLC. Once training is completed, independent wildlife tracking will be conducted from November through April. Additional tasks will be available, including working closely with the GPS & GIS intern. The work will take place on PVPLC-managed preserves and in the office. Many of the preserves are located on steep slopes accessed solely by foot.

REQUIREMENTS

- Currently enrolled in a college or university as a junior, senior, or graduate student
- Familiarity with coastal sage scrub native plants and animals
- Statistical, ecology, and GIS course work is desired
- Able to hike distances up to five miles in difficult terrain
- Ability to work independently

PROJECT LEAD

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TO APPLY, SEND APPLICATION, COVER LETTER, AND RESUME TO:

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