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Naturalist Internship - Louisa County Conservation

Description: Spring/Summer position under the supervision of the county naturalists. Position based out of the office in Wapello, IA. This position can start as early as April and ends in August. Starting and ending dates are flexible. 40 hour work week with some weekend, evening, and overnight required.

Essential Duties and Responsibilities: *The following duties are normal for this position, but other duties may be required and/or assigned as needed.*

- Assist with planning, promoting and presenting conservation, recreation and environmental education programs to the general public, schools and other groups.
- Assist in designing interpretive and promotional displays and exhibits.
- Assist with the board's summer rec, nature camps, extreme adventures and other programs.
- Facilitate programs on the Langwood High Ropes Challenge Course.
- Assist with park maintenance as needed.
- Assist other board staff as needed.

Board Members
Sherry Humphreys
Scott Heater
Randy Griffin
Stan Staats
Elizabeth Kling

Salary: \$10 per hour. No benefits, no housing available.

Entry Level Requirements: Prefer degree or working toward a degree with major coursework in environmental education, education, interpretation, recreation or natural resources. One year of experience in natural resource management or education desirable. Additional experience in public speaking, human resources and planning helpful. Valid motor vehicle operators' license required. Ability and willingness to be trained as a facilitator on the high ropes challenge course required (this requires climbing 40' telephone poles and belaying participants from the ground).

To Apply: Email a resume, cover letter and three references to Katie Hammond, Executive Director at lccb@lccb.org.

Deadline: February 9, 2018 or until position is filled.