

Roosevelt Campobello International Park – Internship Opportunities

Position: Natural Area Steward

Department: Natural Area (3,000 acres)

Location: Roosevelt Campobello International Park, Campobello Island, New Brunswick, Canada. Close to Lubec Maine.

Open To: All US Citizens who are currently studying in a closely related field. E.g. Biology, Natural Sciences, Environmental Science.

Schedule: 40 hours/week; Monday-Friday

Pay: \$15-\$17/hour (USD), dependent on experience

Dates: Flexible; minimum of 10 weeks May – September

Housing: On-site housing may be available for the successful candidate(s)

Roosevelt Campobello International Park is pleased to offer Summer internship positions.

The Park was founded in 1964 by an international agreement and joint legislation in Canada and the United States as the first and only international park in the world. This international park, located on Campobello Island in southwestern New Brunswick, is connected by bridge to neighboring Lubec, Maine and is an international example of the friendship, mutual respect and co-operation of the two nations, creating a living memory in honor of President Franklin Roosevelt who, along with his family spent many summers on Campobello Island. The Roosevelt's historic summer cottage, along with several other historic residences from the late 1800's and early 1900's are preserved within the Park. The Park also includes nearly 3,000 acres of natural areas with hiking and cycling trails and miles/kilometers of some of the most scenic undeveloped coastline in North America to explore. The Park is rich in wildlife and is the tourism leader in Charlotte County, New Brunswick and Washington County, Maine. The Park attracted over 225,000 visitor experiences in 2023.

The successful candidates will be working in coordination with the Manager of Buildings and Lands and the Natural Area Supervisor. Responsibilities will include GIS survey work, creation of maps related to the data collected, erosion surveys and monitoring, monitoring of test wells within a sensitive wetland, botanical surveys and associated cataloging. Additional responsibilities will include trail maintenance work inventory work along the Park road and trail system.

Successful applicants have the opportunity to contribute directly to the implementation of new conservation policies and projects to ensure that the Park is at the forefront of sustainable recreation and educational activities for Park visitors while protecting this intricate and delicate landscape for future generations.

Additional Information:

Working Conditions: The internship requires some work in remote areas of the Park that are challenging to access and will require work in inclement weather. The suitable candidate must be able to lift up to 50lbs and hike several miles.

Work Permit: As an internationally owned and operated Park, the Park is able to arrange work permits for suitably qualified candidates at minimal notice. The candidate must have a valid passport and not be restricted from crossing the border. Accepted candidates without a passport can be reimbursed for passport application fees.

Forward a letter of interest or questions to:

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