

Cheetah/Carnivore Internship Posting

Wildlife Safari has an exciting collection of exotic and native carnivorous species including Sumatran tigers, African lions, American black bears, American brown bears, and cheetahs, as well as an ambassador cheetah program and the second most successful cheetah breeding program in the world. Cheetah and carnivore interns will work alongside full-time keepers to gain experience with daily husbandry including cleaning, diet preparation, enrichment, projects, and assisting in medical procedures, in addition to hosting animal encounters and educating the public. This field is very physical, so the applicant must be able to perform difficult tasks such as lifting heavy objects and remaining active for long hours in all weather.

Requirements:

- Preferred at least two years toward a college degree in an animal related field
- Preferred to have some animal related experience
- Personal vehicle and valid driver's license
- Negative TB test
- Good people skills
- Able to speak to the public both individually and in a presentation setting

The internship is unpaid for a period of three months. Off-site housing is offered for a fee (no pets allowed). Transportation is NOT provided.

There are four sessions of the internship: Winter (December-February), Spring (March-May), Summer (June-August) and Fall (September-November). Deadline is 2 months prior to the start of the session. (Example: Fall deadline is July 1st. Interviews start the second week in July.) When sending your resume and cover-letter please specify which session(s) you are applying for. Applications may be accepted past the deadline date due to special circumstances, please email the Carnivore department for more information.

Send resume, cover letter, and references to:

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