# Environmental Monitoring Internship

**Streams, Rivers and Wetlands**

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<th>Between May 1 – June 16</th>
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<td>Hours Per Week:</td>
<td>Full or Part Time</td>
<td>Anticipated Length of Internship:</td>
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Scope of Internship: **One** internship position is available full time or part time. Dates of internship are negotiable, but within a May 1, 2008 through September 30, 2008 window is preferred. **Applicants must receive college or university credit for internship.**

## Brief Description of Position:

- **Assist Surface Water Management (SWM) staff with:**
  - Water quality and physical habitat monitoring in streams
  - Shoreline survey in lakes and rivers
  - Benthic invertebrate sampling in streams
  - GIS analysis, mapping and ground truthing of riparian and wetland land cover.

## Minimum Requirements:

- Completion of two years of college or university coursework in biology, ecology, chemistry, geomorphology, environmental engineering, or related fields
- Ability to work in field and on the water (field gear will be supplied by SWM)
- Ability to effectively use computer for data entry and management
- Ability to communicate effectively
- Possession of current driver's license
- Ability to report to Snohomish County SWM in Everett, WA for work
- Approval of internship and credits by faculty advisor

**Special Abilities and Knowledge**

- Ability to use MS Access, Excel, and Word. GIS and/or GPS experience desirable

## Internship Benefits:

- $14.00 to $ 16.00 per hour depending on academic level
- School credit (amount to be determined by student and advisor)
- On-the-job training in environmental fieldwork and computer applications
- Job-related letters of reference

## Application Instructions:

Submit letter of interest and resume to: **Mike Rustay**

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