## WATER QUALITY INTERNSHIPS
(Streams and Lakes)

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<th>Anticipated Start Date:</th>
<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>
<td>3 - 5 Months</td>
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Scope of Internship: **Two** internship positions are available full time or part time. Dates of internships 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 POSITIONS:

- Assist Surface Water Management (SWM) staff with:
  - Water quality sampling in lakes, streams, and outfalls to streams
  - Aquatic plant surveys and invasive plant removal in lakes
  - Benthic invertebrate sampling in streams
  - Database entry, management, analysis, and mapping of stream and lake data

### MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS:

- Completion of two years of college or university coursework in biology, ecology, chemistry, limnology, 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 with people of all ages
- 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. ArcView GIS 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: **Gene Williams**

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