

# Conservation Park Intern

## **Safari Lake Geneva**

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Safari Lake Geneva is dedicated to the protection and propagation of vanishing wildlife and heritage breeds. It is committed to supporting and securing a future for wildlife in the wild as well as to promoting awareness of conservation issues and animals in general through engaging, educational, and entertaining experiences. Interns are valuable members of our team.

Interns will assist the Safari Lake Geneva staff in fulfilling the mission and objectives of the park. Primary duties include assisting guests entering the park, oversight and upkeep of animal habitats, disseminating information to guests, and handling admission transactions. Interns will also be responsible for assisting with animal husbandry and light maintenance and construction. Interns have the potential to work with a variety of animals (small and large mammals, reptiles, amphibians, birds, and arthropods) and to participate in educational programs and outreach. Interns are required to complete a project that benefits Safari Lake Geneva that is completed during the internship period. Interns are supervised by Safari Lake Geneva staff.

**Qualifications:** Candidates must have completed one year of a college degree program in biology, animal behavior, zoology, education, or related field. Candidates must also have excellent communication skills, enjoy working with people of all ages, and be able to work in a team environment. Interns must be self-motivated, reliable, prompt, able to lift

50 pounds, and able to work in all weather conditions. Internships are experience-based and are therefore unpaid (housing is also not provided). Interns are required to dedicate, at minimum, 24 hours per week over the course of three months, or 288 total hours (schedules may be flexible based on the candidate's availability). It is advisable to apply as early as possible.

To apply, send cover letter, resume, and a list of three references to:

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