Internship opportunity with

National Weather Service

Pacific Regional Headquarters

Fall 2008 deadline: August 8, 2008

The Pacific Region of the National Weather Service administers the programs and facilities of the NWS throughout a large expanse of the Pacific. This area includes the Islands of Hawaii, Guam and the Northern Mariana Islands, the Federated States of Micronesia, the Republic of the Marshall Islands, the Republic of Palau, and south to American Samoa.

The Pacific Tsunami Warning Center and the International Tsunami Information Center are also administered by the NWS Pacific Region, providing Pacific-basin tsunami watches, warnings, and information and educational services to the disaster preparedness community and the general public.

The Pacific Regional Headquarters of the National Weather Service, located in downtown Honolulu, is seeking one intern. Current undergraduate meteorology majors in the School of Ocean and Earth Science and Technology at the University of Hawaii are encouraged to apply. Selection will be based on the selectee’s strengths and interests.

TO APPLY:

♦ Send an email to Mr. Bill Ward, Environmental Scientific and Services Division (ESSD) Chief, PRH (Bill.Ward@noaa.gov) regarding your interest with a copy to leonaa@hawaii.edu.

♦ Attach a resume including a contact number.

♦ Two references with contact information for interview purposes.

♦ Answer and elaborate on the following:
  
  • What are you most interested in?
  
  • Where do you see yourself in 5 years from now?
  
  • What have you accomplished to date inside and out of the University setting? (i.e. AMS or NWA membership)
  
  • Are you interested in pursuing higher education?
  
  • What computer language/expertise have you acquired?
  
  • Have you volunteered or worked in a meteorological setting? (i.e. for a professor, the school or meteorological office/business).
  
  • What motivated you to become a meteorologist?

For additional information, contact Mr. Bill Ward directly at Bill.Ward@noaa.gov