Undergraduate Student Employment Opportunities

Are you interested in spending your summer doing research in the Northwoods?

**Bioeconomics of Aquatic Invasive Species**

Our NSF-funded research project investigates the role of boating activity in the Northern Highland Lake District in spreading invasive species throughout the lake system. Student researchers will be interviewing boaters to learn about their movement patterns in our study area and inspecting boats to assess the probability of spreading invasive species to new lakes.

No experience is necessary, and all student researchers will learn techniques for identifying invasive species, as well as survey research and personal interviewing skills. There are several other project-related activities going on at the Trout Lake Station this summer, and our team is a collaborative one where we help each other out and learn together.

Free lodging is provided at Trout Lake Research Station in Boulder Junction, WI. The station houses a mix of undergraduate and graduate students, faculty and staff, creating a unique and stimulating social environment. Trout Lake Station offers many opportunities for networking and professional development, and student researchers are expected to take advantage of these opportunities to enhance their resumes and develop skills necessary for pursuing a scientific career.

Qualifications: Good interpersonal skills and ability to approach strangers. Ability to tactfully address concerns expressed by an interviewee. Ability to work well in both a team environment and independently. A good driving record with no DUls. Familiarity with boats, knowledge of lake ecology, and/or prior experience in survey research is desirable.

Application Deadline: March 2, 2012 (or until positions are filled).

Number of positions available: 4

Salary: $9.00 to $9.50 per hour (40 hrs/wk)

Start and end dates: May 20 – Aug 31

More information at [www.aae.wisc.edu/ais](http://www.aae.wisc.edu/ais)

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