



Paid Summer Internship (40 hours per week)

Job Title: Research Assistant (Lake Ecology)

Compensation: \$8.50 per hour plus room and board (valued at \$2500)

Dates: June 24- August 16, 2019

Internship Description:

This intern will be working with FLBS personnel to:

- primarily assist with the long-term monitoring project on Flathead Lake. This major task will be data acquisition for the research questions involving Mysis shrimp.
- Conduct field sampling on Flathead and Whitefish Lakes.
- Acquire algal community data using a flowcam.
- Assist with other projects in the Flathead Lake ecosystem, including sampling Glacier National Park backcountry lakes, as needed.

The internship will provide opportunities to:

- Learn a variety of field and lab methods in lake ecology.
- Gain an understanding of the variety of current lake ecology research projects being conducted at FLBS.

Qualifications:

- 4 semesters in aquatic ecology or related major.
- Ability to work alone and with others
- Does not get sea sick
- Must be a continuing undergraduate student

How to Apply (application deadline: March 1, 2019):

UM students: use Handshake; search for Flathead Lake Biological Station

Non-UM students send a cover letter, resume including contact information for two references to Monica Elser at monica.elser@flbs.umt.edu