



Swim Guide Internship

The Catawba Riverkeeper Foundation seeks motivated Swim Guide interns to help us collect weekly bacterial data. Interns will learn how to collect samples, prepare them from analysis, and track sources of pollutants they identify.

The Swim Guide intern responsibilities will include: meeting volunteer boat captains, collecting and transporting water samples from lakes to our Charlotte lab each Thursday from Memorial Day to Labor Day (as their academic calendar allows); and conducting research and collecting additional samples when pollutants are detected.

We are currently seeking 2 interns to sample on each of the following lakes:

- Lake James
- Lake Hickory
- Lake Norman
- Lake Wylie
- Lake Wateree

Qualifications

- Comfort riding on boats in all weather
- Ability to follow detailed instructions
- Punctual
- Reliable vehicle and current license
- Ability to pass a Background Check
- Ability to work with limited supervision

Dates

Late May - Labor Day depending on academic schedule
<10 hours/week, primarily on Thursdays before 3 PM

Compensation

Interns will receive a \$500 stipend for the summer in addition to mileage reimbursement.

How to Apply

Applications will be accepted and interviews conducted, on a rolling basis.

Interested applicants should send a cover letter, resume, and contact information of 2 references to crf@catawbariverkeeper.org with "2020 Swim Guide Internship" in the subject line.