

## **NEW MEXICO HIGHLANDS UNIVERSITY – LUNA COMMUNITY COLLEGE**

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## **INTERNSHIP JOB ANNOUNCEMENT**

**Posting Date:** August 1, 2010

**Position:** Fall 2010 Internship for 1 Senior

**Department:** Biophilia Foundation's Pritzlaff Ranch

**Reports To:** Robert Hunt, the Foundation's New Mexico Project Manager

**Job Type:** 1 Student Internship (Senior)

**Rate:** \$12/hr

**Fall 2010:** 15hrs/week

### SUMMARY:

The Biophilia Foundation is pleased to offer an internship opportunity to one senior undergraduate to work 15 hours a week during the Fall 2010 semester.

Location: Private ranch in Sapello, New Mexico Area.

Modest travel to nearby work locations.

Nature of work: Extensive field plot work as part of inventory of two private ranches, one of which is about 1600 acres, the other several hundred acres. Interpretation of aerial imagery and development of type map. Will need basic knowledge of forest trees, shrubs, understory plants, and acquaintance with wetlands, range plants and other special ecological features of the east side of the northern New Mexico mountains.

Completion of coursework in mensuration and silviculture preferred. Practical experience in plot work/forest inventory highly desirable. While the field work will be supervised, ability to work independently is desired. Part of the work will involve interviews and visits with other landowners in the Sapello watershed. Various tasks following up on existing initiatives in the watershed are likely.

### **HOW/WHERE TO APPLY:**

Go online to [www.armasineducation.com](http://www.armasineducation.com) or pick up application package at ARMAS (Engineering Bldg #106) with Monique Esquibel (T.426-2010) or with Mabel Suárez (T. 426-2104).

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