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**Location:** YFO/AZ/BLM

**Dates:** June 5<sup>th</sup>-August 18<sup>th</sup>

**Job Title:** Biological Technician

**Related Degree:** Biology, Environmental Science, and Ecology

**Position Description:** Bio tech catchments: This project would be specific to wildlife water catchment inventory, monitoring, and maintenance. This project will work collaboratively with state and private personnel to identify current and future needs of YFO wildlife water catchments. The YFO manages multiple uses across the landscape. This project will identify where wildlife benefits and recreational hunting can be balanced across the Sonoran Desert landscape. This project will work with internal staff on the goals and vision of the area, obtain the other stakeholders goals and vision of the area, create a design using GIS, Learn and execute NEPA, address the National Historic Preservation Act, and the Endangered Species Act, Manage and assist with the project's direct implementation, present the overall process and timeline to management and partners, while also presenting ways that we can improve the timeline and reduce the cost to make the biggest change on the ground.

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**Location:** Tucson Field Office/AZ

**Dates:** June 5<sup>th</sup>-August 18<sup>th</sup>

**Job Title:** Biological Science Technician (Fisheries)

**Related Degree:** Natural Resources Sciences, Wildlife and Fisheries Biology, Aquatic Ecology and Rangeland Management Sciences

**Position Description:** The BLM Tucson Field Office (TFO) manages more than 600,000 acres of desert, mountains, and grasslands within five southeastern counties and is home to a myriad of wildlife species including threatened and endangered species. Due to the nature of the field office the renewable resources division has a large workload. Currently the office has a Biological Science Technician (Fisheries) vacancy. This position provided field and office support to the fisheries biologist. Utilizing the DHA internship program would provide the field office with assistance with meeting targets for endangered species habitat and recovery, while providing a meaningful and challenging internship to an individual. The proposed position would be categorized as a fisheries technician with an emphasis in fisheries and/or wildlife biology. The intern would have a wide variety of task assigned to them. These tasks would be challenging, developmental and mirror the workload of an entry level biologist. The intern would work alongside a fisheries biologist, who would assist them with their workload as necessary. The person would be required to research, compile, and fishery population and vegetation monitoring data, assist fisheries biologist with resource monitoring including threatened and endangered fish and plant surveys, and inspect and maintain endangered species habitat projects, including wetland and wildlife pond habitat for species recovery; this will require coordinating and working with partners and volunteers. They would organize and conduct mechanical vegetation management of invasive plants in a wetland setting using various partners from friends groups, Ft. Huachuca army base, and local volunteers. The incumbent would learn how to use power equipment and hand tools and supervise their use by volunteers. All of these tasks would meet the criteria for the following elements; Intense and rigorous projects, high degree of autonomy, defined deliverable, demanding schedule, experience with multiple stakeholders (internal and/or external).

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**Job Title:** Biological Technician

**Related Degree:** Biology, Environmental Science, and Ecology

**Position Description:** Bio Tech Mittry: The 2017 summer project would focus on restoration project management and expansion within the Mittry Lake Restoration Area to include NEPA compliance, building partners, and project implementation. BLM Yuma manages land around Mittry Lake and is part of the Mittry Lake Cooperative Management Area Team. Approximately thirty acres that is within threatened and endangered species habitat is the prime location for fishing access for the local and visiting public. Yuma is a prime location for winter visitors and they love to enjoy the outdoors near the lake. This project will work with internal staff on the goals and vision of the area, obtain the other stakeholders goals and vision of the area, create a design using GIS, Learn and execute NEPA, address the National Historic Preservation Act, and the Endangered Species Act, Manage and assist with the project's direct implementation, present the overall process and timeline to management and partners, while also presenting ways that we can improve the timeline and reduce the cost to make the biggest change on the ground.

**Location:** Safford Field Office/AZ

**Dates:** June 5<sup>th</sup>-August 18th

**Job Title:** Natural Resource Specialist

**Related Degree:** Natural Resources Sciences, Wildlife Biology, Rangeland Sciences

**Position Description:** The Safford Field Office (SFO) is comprised of 1.4 million acres, 257 grazing allotments and is home to approximately 23 threaten and endangered (T & E) species. Due to the nature of the field office the renewable resources division has a large workload. Currently the office has a Natural Resource Specialist (NRS) vacancy. This position acted as a second wildlife biologist and a restoration specialist. Utilizing the DHA internship program would provide the field office with assistance with meeting targets, while providing a meaningful and challenging internship to an individual. The proposed project would be categorized as a natural resource technician with an emphasis in wildlife biology. The intern would have a wide variety of task assigned to them. These tasks would be challenging, developmental and mirror the workload of an entry level NRS. The intern would work alongside a wildlife biologist, who would assist them with their workload as necessary. They would be independently working on planning documents as well as coordinating and scheduling T & E surveys, inspecting and maintaining wildlife projects, evaluating weed treatments and planning a follow up weed treatment. All of these tasks would meet the criteria for the following elements; Intense and rigorous projects, high degree of autonomy, defined deliverable, demanding schedule, experience with multiple stakeholders (internal and/or external).

**Location:** YFO/AZ/BLM

**Dates:** June 5<sup>th</sup>-August 18th

**Job Title:** Natural Resource Specialist

**Related Degree:** Recreation and Resource Management

**Position Description:** The internship is to conduct GIS data collection and database management within the YFO in order to contribute to draft planning documents within the recreation program, specifically the business plan, recreation management planning, and future district RMP.

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