Next Generation Ranger Internship – Saguaro National Park

The Friends of Saguaro National Park is pleased to announce a 30-week, full-time internship position! This will be a combined experience working on the Trails crew and on the Resource Management crew, and there will also be cross-training opportunities in Interpretation. Most of this internship will involve working outdoors, and will include hard physical work in conditions of intense heat and other weather, long hikes, and long days. They are seeking an individual with strong outdoor skills who loves to work in the Sonoran Desert and is a proven team player with a positive attitude.

The intern will work in Trails for approximately 14 weeks repairing and building trails, trail brushing, and other trail related work. They will work in Resource Management for approximately 14 weeks, removing invasive plants, conducting plant and wildlife surveys and ecological restoration. For Resource Management, there will be some office work, and the intern will spend approximately 2 weeks cross-training with other divisions, particularly Interpretation. The position will provide a broad range of experience with the goal of becoming a well-rounded future NPS or other public lands employee.

To learn more, please contact Don Swann (Don_Swann@nps.gov) or Nick Huck (Nick_Huck@nps.gov). Applications (cover letter and resume) are due to them by 5 p.m. on Monday, September 27!