Summer 2023 Field and Laboratory Paid Internship Available

The Northwest Mosquito Abatement District (NWMAD) in Wheeling, IL (NW suburbs of Chicago) has 3 paid summer internships available.

Principal duties:

* Assist in picking up and maintaining mosquito traps placed throughout the district (district vehicle provided).
* Learn to identify adult and larval mosquitoes to species.
* Testing certain mosquito species for the presence of West Nile virus using simple bioassay.
* Assist with on-going research projects the district is collaborating on with other universities.
* Opportunity to earn a Certificate of Public Health Entomology through the Midwest Center of Excellence for Vector-Borne Diseases.
* Ability to use the internship towards experiential learning requirements or set up independent research project for university credit.

Work Environment:

* $15.00 an hour
* Work hours are Monday through Friday 7 am to 3:30 pm

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Or visit <https://www.nwmadil.com/seasonal-employment-opportunities> for more information and application form.

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