

**Cordova Ranger District
Chugach National Forest
Alaska Region 10**



**Summer 2014
Internship Opportunities
Outreach Notice**

Are you interested in interning in beautiful South Central Alaska? The Cordova Ranger District of the Chugach National Forest is currently outreaching for the following summer internships. Bunkhouse quarters are available. Travel funds and stipends may be available.

Communities: Cordova <http://www.cityofcordova.net> Valdez <http://www.ci.valdez.ak.us>

• **Recreation Interns**

- **Description:** *4 openings. Full time.* Interns would work alongside professional resources and recreation on seasonal recreation Forest Service employees on projects such as:
 - Attaching nonskid material (recycled fish netting) to the walking surface of a variety of trail structures to improve traction and reduce safety hazards.
 - Ibeck Stream Bank Restoration and the Sand ATV Trail Reconstruction Project: installing stream bank erosion control structures along the Ibeck Creek, spread rock and gravel on boggy areas of the Sand ATV Trail and reroute new trail locations.
 - Annual and deferred trail maintenance: Safety brushing, clearing and water diversion structure maintenance.
 - Sheridan Glacier Lake Trail Boardwalk Extension Project and Childs Glacier North Trail Boardwalk Construction Project: constructing extensions to boardwalks over flooded section of trails.
- **Experience:** 18 or older. Good team player, ability to spend time in a remote field camp in cool, very wet conditions, and maintain a positive attitude. Physical ability to work in strenuous conditions; hiking and carrying gear for 8-10 hours per day.
- **Dates:** Late May-August (flexible). Ability to attend volunteer orientation in late May is ideal. Training will consist of one-week orientation and additional training in tools and safety.
- **Apply:** Email resume with references and cover letter Bob Behrends <rbehrends@fs.fed.us> **and** Dave Zastrow <dzastrow@fs.fed.us>.

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