

SEEKING A LATINO COMMUNITY OUTREACH INTERN FOR SOUTHERN UTAH WILDERNESS ALLIANCE (SUWA)

Summer/Fall 2024

Internship dates: mid June to September (flexible)

Location: Salt Lake City, with travel across the Wasatch Front and Southern Utah

About Southern Utah Wilderness Alliance (SUWA)

SUWA is made up of people like you — concerned people from Utah and throughout the nation who share the common goal of preserving Utah's remaining desert wild lands, known collectively as America's redrock wilderness.

This is a great opportunity to gain valuable experience into the day-to-day functions of non-profit grassroots organizing with one of the country's leading conservation campaigns. The experience offers insight into environmental campaign planning, education, organizing and activism.

The Southern Utah Wilderness Alliance (SUWA) seeks a summer/fall intern to support grassroots organizing among Latinx communities in Utah. The organizing intern will work with the SUWA Latinx Community Organizer.

DUTIES:

- Represent SUWA at community events and festivals.
- Organize, promote, and execute a Latino Conservation Week event that advances the protection of redrock wilderness.
- Inform community members about redrock wilderness issues.

QUALIFICATIONS:

- You enjoy talking to people, and are comfortable with emailing, phone calls, and starting conversations. You are confident in your ability to communicate concisely and clearly.
- It is important to you to be prepared, be on time, and meet deadlines.
- You have a high ability to think creatively and manage projects over long-term periods.
- You are passionate about nature, cultural heritage in nature, and/or addressing climate change.
- You have cultural competency with Hispanic and Latino traditions, values, and ways of relating with nature.
- You are proficient in speaking and writing in Spanish (not required but highly desired).

TIMELINE & COMPENSATION

This is a four-month, 100-hour internship from June to September. Weekly work hours will average 8 hours a week but rise to a maximum of 30 hours on *Latino Conservation Week*, which occurs from Sep 14th to 22nd.

The intern will be paid \$2000 for the entirety of the internship in monthly installments. This equates to \$20.00 an hour.

LOCATION

The internship will be based in Salt Lake City at SUWA's headquarter office at 425 E 100 S. with travel throughout the valley, across the Wasatch Front, and Southern Utah, if needed. Access to reliable transportation and ability to transport materials is required.

APPLY

Interested applicants should send a **one-page resume** and a **one-page cover** letter summarizing the reasons why you're the best candidate, where this opportunity fits into your career goals, and describing what you intend to do with the experience. Send both items to Diana Haro by email to diana@suwa.org. **Application deadline is May 17, 2024.**