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2026 Summer Internship Openings Announcement

The Great Lakes Indian Fish and Wildlife Commission (GLIFWC) is pleased to announce available internships for its 2026 GLIFWC Internship Program. Through this internship program, college students will work with a GLIFWC mentor within various divisions and learn about necessary coursework, college degrees, and trainings which result in gainful employment in a multitude of careers including natural resources and stewardship careers with tribes. Also, interns will participate in a multitude of traditional Anishinaabe cultural events and learn about the importance of treaty reserved rights to the Anishinaabe people, and their history in preserving these rights.

Internship Information:

GLIFWC internships will consist of working 40-hours per week for 10 weeks (total of 400 hours), scheduled to begin around June 1, 2026 – August 7, 2026 (actual start and end dates will be determined by internship supervisors and intern schedules/availability). All internships will be hosted at the GLIFWC Main Office, located on the Bad River Reservation in Odanah, Wisconsin. Some internships will require travel within the Minnesota, Wisconsin, and Michigan areas, as well as some overnight travel. See the available internship position descriptions at http://www.glifwc.org under the "About Us" tab, then "Careers," and finally "Summer Internships." Note: candidates are able to apply for multiple internships by listing each on the application. Please review requested documents on each internship description to ensure that all required documents are submitted.

Selected interns will be paid \$15.00 per hour during their GLIFWC internship. If needed, housing will be available.

Eligible applicants must meet the following:

- Be an incoming or continuing student that is accepted and/or enrolled full-time at a college/university for the Fall 2026 semester.
- Possess proficient verbal and written communication skills.
- Have a strong interest in working with Native American tribes.
- Be willing to travel as part of the internship.

To apply, applicants must submit the following, dependent on classification:

- 2026 High School Graduate: provide verification of acceptance at a college/university for Fall 2026 (examples: enrollment verification/acceptance letter or Fall 2026 class schedule).
- Continuing College/University Students: provide unofficial transcript(s) verifying Spring
 2026 and Fall 2026 enrollment.

- Graduating College/University Students: provide unofficial transcript(s) verifying Spring 2026 enrollment.
- Complete a GLIFWC Summer Internship Program Application (found on GLIFWC's website).

American Indian preference will be applied consistent with GLIFWC policies and Federal Indian Self Determination and Education Assistance Act (PL 93-638)

Applicants that submit all required above documentation and the completed application will receive a confirmation email once all items have been submitted.

To mail transcripts and required documents send to:

Pauline Lemieux, Internship Program Coordinator Great Lakes Indian Fish and Wildlife Commission P.O. Box 9 Odanah, WI 54861

OR email to: plemieux@glifwc.org

Subject: 2026 GLIFWC Internship Program Application

Questions regarding the internship announcement or requirements can be directed to Pauline Lemieux via email or phone: (715) 682-6619 ext. 2138.

Closing date for receipt of application: January 31, 2026, by 4:30 PM CST