



An excellent opportunity to learn more about Devon Wildlife

ORGANISATION

DEVON WILDLIFE TRUST - WILDLIFE SKILLS TRAINEESHIP

ABOUT THIS OPPORTUNITY

Devon Wildlife Trust has four training placements available from 1st July 2015 to highly motivated individuals with a keen interest in conservation and environmental education.

This is not a salaried position, but a bursary of £9,000 is available.

There are vacancies for:

- Two Practical Conservation Trainees
 - o based at Meeth Quarry nature reserve but also working at other reserves mainly in the north of the county.
- Two Education and Community Engagement Trainees
 - o based in Exeter, but also working at schools, centres and events across the county.

Supported by the National Lottery through the Heritage Lottery Fund, this programme seeks to meet skills gaps in the conservation sector and to diversity the conservation workforce by providing opportunities for individuals with an aspiration to pursue a future career in either an environmental education role or in a practical conservation role such as a Warden/Ranger position.

These roles are particularly suited to young people and those in transitional phases of their lives and careers.

Note that these are 12 month training opportunities only and there is no salaried position offered on completion of the programme.

Accommodation is not offered for any of these training posts. Trainees will be expected to make their own arrangements for accommodation for the duration of the training programme.

A bursary of £750 per month will be paid to trainees, with a further completion payment also payable.

No formal educational qualification or training is required but applicants must be able to demonstrate their potential and desire to learn new skills, work as part of a team and the personal commitment to complete a comprehensive 12 month training programme.

AVAILABILITY

Monday - Friday. Varied hours.

HOW TO APPLY

If this or any other volunteering opportunity is of interest to you please contact:

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