



Education, Environment & Community Outreach Initiative at
Montclair State University's
New Jersey School of Conservation



Are you passionate about environmental issues? Would you like to make a difference?

The New Jersey School of Conservation (NJSOC) is seeking four individuals to participate in our Environment, Education, and Community Outreach (EECO) initiative during the 2020-2021 academic year. We seek enthusiastic, creative and highly committed individuals with excellent interpersonal skills and a strong interest in environmental education and conservation. EECO members will be engaged in the following activities:

Teach (after training) environmental learning experiences in the natural sciences, outdoor pursuits, humanities and social sciences (e.g. Water Ecology, Team Building, Conservation Photography, Pioneer Life, etc.) to K-12 students, community members and college students.

Develop, maintain and restore NJSOC infrastructure and habitat necessary and related to the educational and environmental mission of the school.

Plan, organize and coordinate environmental conservation service projects. Projects may include invasive species abatement, lake clean up, trail building, etc.

NJSOC Training Includes:

- Multi-day orientation and ongoing training opportunities
- Personal and professional development, including strengthening of presentation skills in on-site and school-based education sessions
- In-depth learning associated with environmental education and service
- Exposure to social issues related to conservation and the environment

Position requirements:

- Ability to serve in the outdoors, independently, and year-round
- Valid driver's license
- Undergraduate degree
- Must pass a background check
- Ability to serve from September 1 to August 31 (1700-hour term, 35-40 hours per week across a twelve-month period)

Position Benefits:

- Room and board onsite at NJSOC
- Ability to attend school on off-hours
- Annual living allowance of approximately \$17,432 for full-time service
- Educational award of approximately \$ 6,095 upon completion of one year of service and 1700 hours (to be used toward student loans or continuing education)
- Serve with NJSOC faculty and biologists from NJDEP Division of Fish and Wildlife, Endangered and Nongame Species Program.



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