

## CONNECTICUT'S BEARDSLEY ZOO INTERN APPLICATION

The goal of Connecticut Beardsley Zoo's intern program is for undergraduate students, graduate students and recent college graduates to engage in experiences at Connecticut Beardsley Zoo that will enhance their educational and professional experiences towards a Zoo-related career. Interns will assist in forwarding the mission of the Zoo in the community. While Connecticut Beardsley Zoo's staff does appreciate all that the interns contribute to the Zoo, the purpose of the program is for the interns' personal enhancement.



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Please print name legibly

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Permanent Address

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Home Telephone Number

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Cellular Telephone Number

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Email Address

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Date of Birth

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Emergency Contact Name Address

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Emergency Contact Telephone Number(s)

Do you have any medical conditions or allergies that may cause a potential risk to you while volunteering at the zoo, i.e., bee allergy, asthma, etc? Please list:

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Are you able to stand for extended periods of time, sit, kneel, bend, walk, twist, reach above head, stoop, crawl, pull, climb stairs/ladders, run, lift 50 pounds and work outdoors in adverse weather conditions? (circle) YES NO

Applying to (circle) SUMMER FALL SPRING Date available \_\_\_\_\_

Insurance Coverage (circle) SCHOOL POLICY FAMILY POLICY OTHER\_\_\_\_\_

Please note that the Zoo requires Interns to be fully vaccinated or to agree to take a weekly COVID test. You will be asked for proof of vaccination or for an agreement to take a weekly test upon acceptance.

Student Status (circle) FULL-TIME COLLEGE STUDENT  
PART-TIME COLLEGE STUDENT  
  
CERTIFICATE PROGRAM  
GRADUATE PROGRAM  
VETERINARY SCHOOL STUDENT

Program applying to (circle one): 1) ANIMAL-CARE; 2) EDUCATION-PROGRAMMING;  
3) CONSERVATION-RESEARCH; 4) ZOO-HORTICULTURE

*You may only apply to one program.*

## **Include**

- Resume
- One page essay on why applying
- Two letters of reference
- Unofficial transcript

**\*\*\*\*Note a scheduled shadow day is part of the interview and acceptance process\*\*\*\***

Major/Minor: \_\_\_\_\_

Institution: \_\_\_\_\_

Name Of School Advisor: \_\_\_\_\_

Receiving Credit for Internship? (Circle) YES NO

GPA: \_\_\_\_\_ Academic Honors: \_\_\_\_\_

Anticipated Year of Graduation: \_\_\_\_\_

Career Aspiration: \_\_\_\_\_

Briefly List Top Three Relevant Volunteer Experiences

Briefly List Top Three Relevant Paid Work Experiences

Briefly List Top Three Domestic Animal Experiences

Briefly List Top Three Exotic Animal Experiences

Briefly List Top Three Related Course Work

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_