

# US Fish and Wildlife Service Internship Opportunity

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<b>Location:</b>	<b>Eastern Massachusetts National Wildlife Refuge Complex, Sudbury, MA</b>
<b>Position Title:</b>	<b>Biological Interns – Invasive Plant Control</b>
<b>Duties:</b>	Map and monitor invasive species in upland and wetland habitats, control invasive species through mechanical removal and herbicide application; coordinate volunteers in invasive plant removal and mapping; evaluate current control methods; enter and analyze data; maintain facilities; and conduct routine office work.
<b>Qualifications:</b>	Ability to work with the public in a professional manner; ability to work with minimal supervision and in a group; a valid driver's license; ability to hike long distances over rough terrain carrying 25 pounds; and enthusiasm. Past experience in plant identification; GPS and GIS; and an academic background in botany, wildlife, zoology, or related fields are preferred.
<b>Salary:</b>	Stipend is on a sliding scale with a maximum rate of \$275/week depending on experience and funding and includes free dormitory style housing in Sudbury.
<b>Employment Details:</b>	The internships are for 3-6 months with a start date between April and mid-May.
<b>How to Apply:</b>	Send a letter of interest, resume, and contact information for 3 references to: Eastern Massachusetts NWR Complex, Attn: Amber Carr, 73 Weir Hill Road, Sudbury, MA 01776 or electronically to <a href="mailto:Amber_Carr@fws.gov">Amber_Carr@fws.gov</a>
<b>Closing Date:</b>	February 15, 2012. Hiring WILL begin before the closing date so applying earlier is strongly recommended.
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