SANTA MONICA MOUNTAINS NATIONAL RECREATION AREA

# SAMO YOUTH

### INTERESTED IN NATURE & THE ENVIRONMENT? JOIN THE SAMO YOUTH CREW THIS SUMMER!

#### PROGRAM DESCRIPTION:

Get hands on experience in various park career fields. Ecological Restoration, Trail Work, Community Engagement and so much more!

### REQUIRED SKILLS, EXPERIENCE & QUALIFICATIONS:

- Must be between ages 18-25.
- Currently enrolled in college or recently graduated.
- Must have reliable transportation.
- Able to hike 5 miles.
- Able to lift 40 to 50 lbs.
- Maintain records and write reports.
- Safety mindset is a must!
- Must be a U.S. citizen or permanent resident.

## Application Due: April 7, 2023



#### **WORK SCHEDULE:**

- 8-week program
- Full-Time
- Starts: June 12th
- Ends: August 4th
- Monday-Friday
- 7:00am-3:30pm

#### **SALARY:**

\$16.04/per hour

#### **LOCATION:**

Multiple locations within the Santa Monica Mountains including Los Angeles and Ventura County.

Work is outdoors, can be physically strenuous in hot conditions.
Temperatures from 80°-105° F.
Potential exposure to poison oak, ticks, and rattlesnakes.

#### PROGRAM BACKGROUND:

The **SAMO Youth** Program provides paid work experience and mentoring for diverse college students. The goals of the program are to create a developmental work experience for underrepresented students that:

- 1) Promotes an ethic for conservation and stewardship.
- 2) Introduces students to careers in public service.

#### **PARTNERSHIP:**

The Santa Monica Mountains Fund works to protect and encourage appreciation and understanding of the Santa Monica Mountains

National Recreation Area. The Fund supports the National Park Service efforts in education, science, research, improving facilities, community engagement, stewardship and philanthropy.

#### **HOW TO APPLY:**

Email your cover letter, resume, 3 references, and transcripts to samoyouth.nps@gmail.com with "SY App 2022" in the subject line. Please name your files including your LAST and FIRST name with the following naming conventions:

LAST\_FIRST\_SY23\_CoverLetter
LAST\_FIRST\_SY23\_Resume
LAST\_FIRST\_SY23\_ThreeReferences
LAST\_FIRST\_SY23\_Transcripts



