The Cabinet Resource Group (CRG) and the Kootenai National Forest (KNF) in Montana are recruiting applicants for a wilderness ranger internship position for the summer of 2018.

WHO: Applicants for this position should have experience and/or interest in the duties described. This is a physically arduous job exposed to mountain weather. The ideal applicant is an experienced outdoor leader who is passionate about the stewardship of wild lands and interested in a career in natural resource management.

WHAT: The ranger intern’s primary duty is to patrol the Cabinet Mountains Wilderness (CMW) area to educate visitors and protect the area’s wild character. Interns will receive intensive training and education in natural resource management from an inter-disciplinary, field based perspective. This unique job is a shared position between the KNF and the CRG. The ranger intern will work on the Three Rivers, Libby, and Cabinet Ranger Districts of the KNF.

The KNF is on the cutting edge of backcountry stewardship and interns will benefit greatly from the opportunity to work in this challenging environment. The CRG is a non-profit wilderness advocacy group that strives to protect wild places in northwest Montana.

Intern compensation includes a daily food allowance (approx. $24 per day), numerous official training/certifications (wildland fire, chainsaw, crosscut, defensive driving, 1st Aid/CPR,…), free housing, and an exceptional career/life experience.

WHEN: 12-14 week* program (approx. June 1st to Sept. 5th.)
*timeframe is negotiable

WHERE: Trout Creek, MT. Government housing is available.

CONTACT and APPLY:
Submit a resume and cover letter to: Joel Sather at jsather@fs.fed.us. Please call or email with questions. (406) 827-0745. Application deadline: April 1, 2018.

The USFS and CRG are Equal Opportunity Employers.