The PaleoEcology and Fire Ecology Lab at the University of Montana is seeking enthusiastic undergraduate students or recent post-grads to assist with ecological research. The technician will provide laboratory support for ongoing research focused on long-term interactions among climate, ecosystems, and wildfires in the Rocky Mountains. Work duties will focus on processing lake-sediment cores to develop records of fire and ecological change over the past several thousand years in the “Great Burn” area along the Montana-Idaho border. More information about the lab can be found here: [www.cfc.umt.edu/research/paleoecologylab/](http://www.cfc.umt.edu/research/paleoecologylab/)

Opportunities:
- Learn about fire and forest ecology of the Northern Rockies
- Develop laboratory and data analysis skills
- Participate in and contribute to an active research group
- Full-time employment over the summer & flexible hours during the academic year

Preferred Qualifications:
- Undergraduate GPA > 3.0
- Demonstrated work ethic & attention to detail
- Laboratory experience
- Interest in pursuing independent research or graduate study

To Apply: Contact Kyra Wolf, Ph.D. candidate, with the following application materials:
1. A cover letter describing your research interests, previous lab & field experiences, and relevant coursework
2. A resume no longer than two pages (including GPA)
3. Contact information (name, e-mail, phone) for two references with knowledge of your work experience

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