

# ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCE AND STUDIES NEWSLETTER



**A DIBS FLASHBACK TO ENV DEI'S  
EARTH DAY EVENT LAST YEAR!  
MAKE SURE TO CHECK OUT THIS YEARS!**

## IMPORTANT DATES:

**TUESDAY, APRIL 23**  
ENV DEI EARTH WEEK FEST  
LPC QUAD 1-4

**THURSDAY, APRIL 25**  
HALE SUSTAINABILITY SUMMIT  
STU 120 AB 10:30 AM - 3:00 PM

**FRIDAY, APRIL 26**  
ANXIETY TOOL KIT EVENT  
ONLINE  
1:00 PM - 2:00 PM

[ENV STUDENT HANDBOOK](#)

## SAVE THE DATE: Monday, May 20th ENV Spring Symposium

The 26th Annual ENV Spring Symposium is approaching soon!

The ENV Spring Symposium is an annual event showcasing the research from our own BS senior students. All ENV students are invited to attend! There is no RSVP, stop by before or after classes. This year's symposium will be in McGowan South in the first-floor atrium.

# ENV ANNOUNCEMENTS, NEWS AND EVENTS!

THIS TUESDAY, APRIL 23RD!

**ENV DEI IS PUTTING ON AN EARHT WEEK FESTIVAL ON TUESDAY 1:00 - 4:00 PM ON THE QUAD!**

**IF YOU ARE INTERESTED IN TABLING SCAN THE CODE OR CHECK OUT THE FLYER ATTACHED!**



**EARTH WEEK FESTIVAL**

Join us for an Earth Week Celebration hosted by the ENV DEI Committee. Participate in fun activities and learn about the sustainability and DEI initiatives of students, organizations, and departments around campus.

Date: April 23, 2024  
Time: 1:00 PM - 4:00 PM  
Location: LPC Quad

Interested in hosting a table? Sign-up here:



# ENV ANNOUNCEMENTS, NEWS AND EVENTS!



## THE HALE SUSTAINABILITY SUMMIT

DEPAUL STUDENT CENTER  
2250 N Sheffield Ave, Room 120 AB

APRIL 25, 2024  
10:30AM - 3:00 PM CST

Sustainability recognizes the interdependence of environmental, human, and economic systems so that people around the globe may enjoy a healthy and fulfilling quality of life now and into the future.



INVOLVEMENT FAIR  
Careers, Organizations, Raffle & More

FASHION SHOW & CLOTHING SWAP  
Fair Trade Committee

KEYNOTE SPEAKER  
Sister Helen Prejean



“Join us and immerse yourself in the world of sustainability! Snacks and beverages will be provided.”

 **DEPAUL UNIVERSITY**  
DRIEHAUS COLLEGE OF BUSINESS  
*Coleman Entrepreneurship Center*

UPCOMING:  
THURSDAY,  
APRIL 24

THE HALE  
SUSTAINABILITY  
SUMMIT!

A GREAT EVENT  
FILLED WITH  
MANY  
DIFFERENT  
EVENTS,  
SPEAKERS,  
FASHION  
SHOWS, RAFFLE,  
AND MORE!

# ENV ANNOUNCEMENTS, NEWS AND EVNETS!

## THE 2024 ANNUAL WILLIAM J. DEGUTIS WOMEN IN SCIENCE AND HEALTH LECTURE SERIES IS ONE THE HORIZON!

2024 Keynote Speaker of the William J. Degutis  
Women in Science and Health Lecture Series:



## Antarctica's Marine Realm: From the Subtidal to the Deep-Sea



# Margaret Amsler

Lecturer and Researcher  
at the University of  
Alabama at Birmingham

Scan to RSVP  
or visit  
<https://bit.ly/Degutis2024>



May 2, 2024

4:00 - 5:15pm

Reception To Follow

1110 W. Belden Ave

McGowan S, Room 104

& Zoom

## ENV ANNOUNCEMENTS, NEWS AND EVNETS!

**TAKE PART IN DEPAUL'S  
FAIR TRADE COMMITTEE'S  
"SPRING BREAK CLOSET  
CLEANOUT"!**

**IF YOU HAVE ANYTHING  
YOU HAVE BEEN  
MEANING TO DONATE  
BRING IT DOWN TO THE  
ENV OFFICES AND PUT IT  
IN OUR DROP OFF BINS!**

SPRING BREAK CLOSET CLEANOUT

# CLOTHING DROP-OFF

Help support the DePaul Fair Trade  
Committee and the Coleman Center!

### DEPAUL'S INAUGURAL 2024 INTEGRATION BEE!

The CSH in collaboration with the Math Club are thrilled to announce the launch of the inaugural DePaul 2024 Integration Bee competition.

The Integration Bee is an electrifying math tournament where every answer unlocks the door to victory! Plus, it's not just about the competition. There'll be plenty of chances to mingle, munch on tasty treats, and dive into fun activities.

Date: TODAY! April 19th, 2024

Location: McGowan South Room 107

Time: 12:00pm - 3:00pm

**BEE OR  
NOT  
TO BE?**

College of Science and Health



DEPAUL UNIVERSITY

# JOBS, INTERNSHIPS, AND MORE!

## PEGGY NOTEBAERT NATURE MUSEUM - TEENS PROGRAM EDUCATION INTERN

**Duration:** June 12 - August 2, M-F 9 - 3:30

### **Description:**

- The Nature Museum is seeking two college-aged Interns, for a 7.5-week position, assisting with the “Teenagers Exploring and Explaining Nature and Science” (TEENS) summer program. TEENS is a six-week program engaging Chicago public high school students in teen-driven investigations of urban ecosystems and the relationships between humans and nature.
- Stipend of \$3,500

### **Application:**

- Email resume and cover letter to: [teens@naturemuseum.org](mailto:teens@naturemuseum.org). Please include “Education Intern, Teen Programs” in the subject line. No phone calls please. Qualified candidates will be contacted.



## SEEDS FIELD TRIP TO THE CANADIAN ROCKIES!

The SEEDS program is proud to announce a new International Field Trip to the Barrier Lake Field Station, a part of the Biogeoscience Institute of the University of Calgary in Alberta, Canada from **October 2-6, 2024!** Participants will be learning about a wide range of ecology concepts from urban flatlands of Calgary to the foothills, lakes and peaks of the Canadian Rockies!

The ESA-SEEDS Program will cover all the selected participants expenses for this field trip including travel, lodging, ground transportation and meals.

The application portal will remain open until **May 27, 2024** at midnight.

Learn more and apply [\*\*HERE\*\*](#)



## PAID SUMMER INTERNSHIPS WITH THE FISH & WILDLIFE SERVICE, NATIONAL PARK SERVICE, AND FOREST SERVICE FOR LATINX YOUTH!

Hispanic Access Foundation's MANO Project is offering enriching internships nationwide for Latinx college students and upcoming professionals who are passionate about the outdoors, geography, community engagement, public lands, cultural resources, and natural resources.

Most of our upcoming position application deadlines are **Sunday, April 28th by 11:59 pm!**



Learn more and apply [HERE!](#)

### PEGGY NOTEBAERT NATURE MUSEUM - MULTIPLE POSITIONS!

The Peggy Notebaert Nature Museum is hiring for a range of positions that might interest you.

They ranged from Building Operations Assistants, an Education Programs Specialist and Camp Director, a Summer Camp Head Counselor (Seasonal) and more! All range in pay, qualifications, and responsibilities within the museum.

Find all the positions and more info [HERE!](#)



### YMCA EARTH SERVICE CORPS IS HIRING - PROGRAM INSTRUCTORS

Looking for out of state opportunities? The YMCA Earth Service Corps (YESC), a youth-led environmental education program in **Seattle, WA**, is hiring! We are seeking passionate Program Instructors who can inspire and support the next generation of environmental leaders starting in September 2024.

Position description [HERE](#)  
Apply [HERE](#)



## **CHICAGO PARK DISTRICT - PROGRAM AND EVENT COORDINATOR - RIVERLAB**

The Chicago Park District is hiring someone to plan and lead canoe trips out of River Park! This is a grant funded position that will last 6 months. The position pays \$31/hour.

This role will be in charge of designing and leading canoe outings for the public along the Chicago River. The programs will be based at River Park. Applicants should have knowledge of the history of the Chicago River, and related ecology. They should be an experienced paddler, with teaching and rescue experience.

The person who fills this role needs to be self-directed and self-motivated as they will operate with minimal oversight. They will be in charge of creating all programming, including planning, training, and outreach.

Applications open April 17th

Learn more [HERE](#)

## **ILLINOIS-INDIANA SEA GRANT - COMMUNITY ENGAGED INTERNSHIP FOR UNDERGRADUATE STUDENTS**

**SHEDD AND CWA APPLICATIONS DUE TODAY, APRIL 19th!**

Sea Grant's Community Engaged Internship (CEI) aims to broaden participation in coastal, ocean, Great Lakes, and marine sciences by offering training and mentorship, through paid internships, to undergraduate students from under-resourced, underrepresented and/or indigenous and tribal populations. This program aims to broaden participation in coastal and marine profession by engaging and recruiting diverse undergraduate students in place-based research, extension, education, and/or communication that respects and integrates local ways of knowing.

This program has positions at the Shedd Aquarium, Chicago Wilderness Alliance, and the National Park Service



Learn more and apply [HERE](#)



## THE MORTON ARBORETUM - MULTIPLE TEMPORARY OPPORTUNITIES

### 1.) Research Technician Fellowship - **Due Friday, April 26th**

No experience necessary. Fellows will be mentored and trained as they assist in laboratory and/or field operations as a part of the New Plant Development Program focusing on genomics and gene editing.

### 2.) Collections and Horticulture Intern

This internship includes rotating through different departments in the Collections and Horticulture program gaining experience in curation and plant records; practical horticulture care in collections, gardens, and natural areas; plant breeding and production.

### 3.) Ground Crew Aide (Living Collections)

This position assists the Collections and Facilities staff with the care of the Arboretum grounds. Including everything from planting/transplanting, invasive species surveillance + control, insect monitoring, etc.

## FOREST PRESERVES OF COOK COUNTY

The Forest Preserves of Cook County are seeking Crew Leaders + Members for a six-month program that mentors teens + young adults through our Gap Year Internship. We are also seeking field leaders to mentor teens for our five-week summer Chicago Conservation Leadership Corps program w/!

Applications are being accepted on a rolling basis, apply now for highest consideration! **[HERE!](#)** Flyers attached!

# We're **HIRING!**





## THE METROPOLITAN CHICAGO DATA-SCIENCE CORPS - INTERNSHIP

A summer internship program that matches undergraduate students with data-science skills to community partners with data-science needs. Working with a team of students from different area universities and a faculty mentor, you can gain practical skills in data science, including GIS, and help community partners advance their goals in environmental justice, health equity and other areas. If you have taken ENV 359 or GEO 242, there's a good chance you are eligible for this internship. Please see the flier, but you can also contact Dr. Mark Potosnak [mark.potosnak@depaul.edu](mailto:mark.potosnak@depaul.edu) for more information.

## URBAN RIVERS CHICAGO - INTERNSHIP

We are seeking a student who will help lead the community science portion of this project by training volunteers from Urban Rivers to sort through the samples, how to use a microscope to digitally capture the organisms, and identify the organisms taxonomically. This student opportunity would provide valuable hands-on experience in macroinvertebrate sampling, identification, and data analysis, as well as exposure to various field and laboratory techniques used in ecological research. Interested candidates can contact me directly at [steph@urbanriv.org](mailto:steph@urbanriv.org) to express their interest and provide a resume or CV. Please put BURP STEANS Candidate in the email subject line.



URBAN  
RIVERS



## DEPAUL CAREER CENTER - JOB SHADOWING PROGRAM

Don't miss out on the Career Center's relaunch of their Job Shadow Program happening from **June 17th-28th**. This program is a learning opportunity for undergraduate and graduate students in science and health majors interested in getting some real-world experience even before they get a job. Gaining insights from many potential career paths and work environments, this program will introduce members of your student organization, DePaul College of Science and Health Student Association, to different work cultures as well as career opportunities that relate to their interests and skills.

**Apply** now and seize the opportunity to experience professional life, firsthand!

Applications open until May 5th at 11:59 PM



## INTERESTED IN A FULLY FUNDED M.S. DEGREE POSITION?

Work with Hall Cushman (University of Nevada, Reno) and Stephanie Yelenik (Rocky Mountain Research Station, USFS) on a research project to assess the influence of forest-thinning practices on the health and growth of whitebark pine (WBP, *Pinus albicaulis*), a threatened conifer that inhabits high-elevation ecosystems in the western U.S. \$24,000/year compensation + tuition waiver and health insurance!

To apply for this position, **ASAP** send a letter of interest and CV to **Hall Cushman (jhcushman@unr.edu)** and **Stephanie Yelenik (stephanie.yelenik@usda.gov)**. The official deadline for Fall admission to the EECB program has passed, but an exception will be granted for this position.