UC Santa Barbara is seeking a student intern to support communication and social media outreach for a collaborative research project to improve ocean ecosystem monitoring.

Applications Due Friday, February 18

About the Project

The US National Science Foundation has funded a new Research Coordination Network (RCN) focused on the planning and development of a Regional Ecosystem Services Observation Network (RESON) in southern and central California. RESON will design a framework for a comprehensive network of ocean technology to monitor ecosystem stress on biodiversity, ecosystem health, and animal migration. RESON will bring together marine scientists, modelers, engineers, spatial statisticians, and computer scientists from academia and industry in collaboration with stakeholders and managers.

Duties + Qualifications

The intern will work closely with the Project Coordinator and steering committee to support communication needs.

Specific responsibilities include:
- 40% - Creating social media posts
- 25% - Creating news stories + reports
- 20% - Supporting website development
- 15% - Updating and sending out monthly newsletters

Preferred Qualifications:
- Experience with creating social media posts
- Basic environmental science knowledge, especially in marine ecosystems
- Experience with website creation including use of HTML, CSS, or Javascript
- Verbal and written communication skills including writing for diverse audiences and creating visually compelling material

To Apply

Please submit a CV and 1 page letter of interest by Friday, February 18, 2022 to a_burgos@ucsb.edu

This work will average 4-8 hrs/week
$16-$18/hour

Job Location: Remote

For questions or more information, please contact Ali Burgos at a_burgos@ucsb.edu