



2024 Intern Application

Please answer the following questions, and attach your CV or resume and E-mail back to admin@vicfallswildlifetrust.org

Full Name:

Gender (required for boarding):

Affiliated University (if applicable):

Country of Origin:

Country of your Passport:

Passport Expiration Date:

DOB:

What is your University degree or discipline (vet, vet student, ecology, zoology, etc)?

Are you trying to travel with someone, if so who and are they also an applicant?

E-mail address:

1. Have you ever traveled abroad before? If so, to where and when, and what was your experience?
2. What is your main interest in participating in this internship program?
3. What internship intake dates (available on the website) are you interested in and why?
4. Do you have any experience working with animals of any kind? If so, what animals and how were you involved?
5. If you are involved in a veterinary university program what year are you in? What clinical skills if any do you have, if any (not a requirement, we just want to gauge your ability for placement) ? If you are an Ecology/Zoology or Environmental Science

Student or equivalent, what year in your program are you in? What research or field experience skills do you have (GIS, GPS, ESRI, Earthranger, Telemetry, etc)?

6. Do you understand that in this program you will likely be working with other people, including students from around that world, and you will be asked to work together as a team on some projects?
7. Sometimes living and working in a third world country can be very intimidating to people, why do you feel you will be able to overcome the challenges working in a third world country will pose to you?
8. What personal interests outside of what is on your CV do you have?
9. What, if any anxieties do you have about traveling to Africa and/or participating in this intern program?
10. In Africa things move at a much slower pace than in the US, Europe or Australia. In spite of this, you will have approximately 5 weeks on the ground. Thus, we are looking for people who are innovative, and willing to get into the thick of it immediately. Please give us an example of a past experience in which you took the lead to get something accomplished, despite the lack of help from your partners.
11. This internship is aimed to give you experience to facilitate your career path, how do you intend to use this experience to further your chosen career? (Please note that if you are a pre-veterinary intern and looking to do this internship to gain experience for vet school, you need to review the VMCAS application to see what you will be evaluated on should you choose to use this as a reference for your application and before you decide to participate in this internship program).
12. Which VFWT areas of operation are of interest to you? Please denote all areas.
13. Are you willing to assist with project administration in relation to the projects you are interested in being involved with?
14. Do you have any laboratory experience? If so in what capacity and are you interested in VFWT's laboratory work? If so what areas?
15. Is there anything else you would like us to know about you or that you feel is relevant? Please state below.
16. Do you have any dietary, health, religious or living requirements?