



Corps Member Application

Job Description

Individuals, ages 18-25, who participate in WisCorps will have an opportunity to complete conservation projects, work as a team, engage in educational opportunities and develop as an individual. Crews travel together to projects across Wisconsin and the Upper Midwest. Each 4-5 person crew will be led by an experienced adult Crew Leader who will supervise and teach the tools and techniques needed to safely complete their conservation projects.

Participants will be paid \$300/week for participation on a WisCorps crew and will work for a term of 4 weeks. An orientation session will give members a chance to meet, receive safety equipment, fill out payroll paperwork, and participate in teambuilding games. From there, the crews will head to their respective project sites to begin their work. For more information about the Corps Member position or about the program, see our website www.wiscorps.org.

Please complete the following information. Questions, please email us at chad.duchateau@wiscorps.org.

Name: _____

Address: _____

City, State, Zip: _____

Phone: (____) _____

E-mail: _____

Name of Parent/Guardian: _____

Date of Birth: _____

Shirt Size: S M L XL XXL

Are you in school now? Yes No
Name of school: _____
Grade level completed by June 15th _____
Are you attending college this coming fall?
 Yes No

Parent/Guardian Phone:

(Home) (____) _____

(Work) (____) _____

Session Applying for: (Check all that apply):

- Spring (early April – late May)
- 1st Summer Session (6/16 – 7/15)
- 2nd Summer Session (7/21- 8/19)
- Fall (September – November)

Have you worked with WisCorps before? Yes No If "yes," when? _____

How did you hear about this position?

- School Friend Radio Craigslist Coolworks.com Conservation Job Board Google
- Facebook WisCorps Flyer Other: _____

Criminal Background:

Have you ever been convicted of a felony or misdemeanor or do you have charges pending? Yes No

***If you answered "yes," please explain the situation on a separate sheet of paper.*

Note: Answering "Yes" will not necessarily preclude you from employment, however misrepresenting your record will.

**** Please use additional sheets of paper to answer each of the questions listed below in as much detail as possible. ****

Essay Questions

1. Our mission is *“To develop leadership, self-confidence, and a strong work ethic in youth and young adults through the active stewardship of Wisconsin’s natural resources.”* **How will you help us to accomplish our mission?**
2. This job is tough. You will most likely be tent camping for the duration, and will be at the mercy of the weather and insects. You may not be able to bathe daily, etc. **How will you motivate yourself and your crewmates to stay positive?**
3. This can be one of the best experiences you’ve ever had. **How will you make sure that your crew is working as a team to get the job done?**
4. **What will be your greatest challenges and how will you meet them?**
5. WisCorps’ goal on each and every project is to provide the highest quality work for our Project Sponsors. **What skills or experiences would you be able to contribute to your crew?**
6. As a Corp Member, your “office” will be in the great outdoors. **How will you keep yourself organized in this environment?**
7. **What would you like to learn from your experience?**
8. **Tell us a story that will make us want to hire you!**

Professional References

Please include 2 professional references with your application: **NAME, RELATIONSHIP, PHONE AND EMAIL ADDRESS.**

Certification and Release

I hereby state that the information provided in this application is true and accurate to the best of my knowledge. By signing below, I authorize the verification of any of this information including, but not limited to, driving record, criminal record and employment history.

WisCorps policy prohibits weapons of any kind, as well as the possession or use of alcohol, drugs and/or tobacco products while on a WisCorps crew or worksite. If I am brought on as a WisCorps Corps Member, I certify that I will uphold this policy for the duration of my employment.

Signature: _____

Date: _____

Please mail your completed and signed application packet to:

*WisCorps
Attn: Chad DuChateau
789 Myrick Park Dr.
La Crosse, WI 54601*

Thank you for your interest in this position. Qualified applicants will be considered for WisCorps crew without regard to race, color, sexual orientation, national origin, age, ethnic identity, disability, handicap, marital status or veteran status.