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Research Grants and Undergraduate Internships at the Huyck Preserve and Biological Research Station

The Huyck Preserve and Biological Research Station in Rensselaerville, NY (approximately 30 miles southwest of Albany, NY) is pleased to announce several research opportunities for summer 2016.

Open to researchers at all stages of their careers, are our Huyck Research Grants. Huyck Research Grants support work in basic and applied ecology, conservation biology, taxonomy, animal behavior, evolution, geology, land use history, and other areas of natural science. Typical grant awards are for \$2000, but can be as much as \$3500 for projects that involve extended residencies. Applications for the 2016 Huyck Research Grant program are due Friday, March 11. For more information on Huyck Research Grants and how to apply, please visit our website: http://www.huyckpreserve.org/huyck-research-grants.html

<u>Undergraduate students</u> interested in the natural sciences are encouraged to apply to our Odum Internship in Field Ecology. This 8-week internship pairs students with the Preserve's Summer Research Fellow, Dr. Jerad Mellard, for original field-based research. Students typically engage in a small independent projects and are expected to collect and analyze data and to present their results at the Preserve's Annual Science Symposium. This is an unpaid internship though housing is provided. Applications for the 2016 Odum Internship are due Friday, March 11. More information about the internship and application instructions can be found on the Huyck Preserve website: http://www.huyckpreserve.org/odum-internship.html

Information on our Summer Research Fellow, Dr. Mellard, on his website: http://jpmellard.bitbucket.org/file/Welcome.html

Please address inquiries about research opportunities at the Huyck Preserve to the Executive Director, Dawn O'Neal (dawn@huyckpreserve.org).

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