

## Voluntary internships with our Conservation, Research and Education Department

Applications for our voluntary Conservation and Research Internship are now **open**.

We are currently advertising for a Conservation and Research Intern at the Hawk Conservancy Trust. This is a fantastic opportunity to gain valuable experience and skills in conservation and research.

The Intern will help with the work of the Conservation, Research and Education Department. This may include, but is not limited to, the following activities:

- On-site biodiversity surveys, including birds, reptiles, amphibians, invertebrates, vegetation and small mammals
- Bird of prey surveys
- Public engagement and education
- Interpretation development
- Event coordination including aiding in Explore Nature and Big Wild Weekend
- Creating and editing content for social media
- Social media communications
- On-park duties
- Reviewing literature and online media
- Data management and analysis
- Helping with our new 'Raptor Risk Map' project
- Aiding the Conservation and Research team in other daily activities where required

**Start date:** Start from June 2024 onwards.

**Terms:** Full-time. **Up to 6 months** during summer/autumn 2024 (some weekend working will be required). Daily expenses and free **accommodation** on-site is available if required.

**Location:** Hawk Conservancy Trust, Andover.

**The ideal intern would have:**

- A passion for the outdoors and nature
- Good field skills including bird and mammal observation and identification, and navigation skills
- A full driving licence and access to own transport is desirable
- Good people skills
- Experience with talking to groups is desirable
- Enthusiasm, commitment and reliability
- A reasonable level of fitness as some surveys can involve walking up to 10km/day.

**Application:** To apply, please email [conservation@hawkconservancy.org](mailto:conservation@hawkconservancy.org) with your CV (maximum three pages) and a **one page cover letter** detailing how you fit the personal specifications and what skills you hope to gain. Applications will remain open until we find the right intern!