



## Spring/Summer 2010 Interpretive Position Available



Dinosaur National Monument is a spectacular 210,000-acre medium sized park with mega-park values. Dinosaur has the most complete geologic record of any national park area and an internationally renowned display of Jurassic-era dinosaur bones. Cultural resources span 11,000 years and are a pristine record of the evolution of the prehistoric cultural diversity and historic settlement of the region. The rapids and magnificent scenery found in the canyons carved by the Green and Yampa rivers provide premier Western white water boating.

### Major Duties

Park interpreters encourage the stewardship of these resources by facilitating meaningful, memorable visitor experiences. This position operates the visitor center for a portion of the daily shift, which includes staffing the information desk, issuing backcountry and

river permits, and conducting cooperating association bookstore sales. This position also initiates informal interpretive contacts throughout the monument and presents formal talks, hikes, and other interpretive programs.

### Schedule & Benefits

- \$13.41 per hour
- 40 hours per week, 8 hours per day
- 2 consecutive days off per week
- Earn sick and annual leave
- On-site housing available (appx. \$185 biweekly)
- Position can be set up as an internship for college credit
- Anticipated start: February 28, 2010
- Anticipated end: August or September, 2010



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## Physical Demands



Work is performed both indoors and outdoors. Guided tours require walking moderate distances (up to 2 miles) on uneven surfaces and may be exposed to extreme temperatures and high winds. Staffing the visitor center information desk may require standing for long periods of time.

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## Key Requirements

- U.S. citizen or a national (resident of American Samoa or Swains Island)
- Possess a valid drivers license
- Enrolled or have been accepted for enrollment at an accredited institution as a degree-seeking student
- Successfully complete a background investigation
- Taking at least six credit hours (or part-time equivalent)
- Cumulative GPA from the most recent semester/quarter is at least a 2.0 on a 4.0 scale
- Accepted for enrollment and intend to be in school fall semester/quarter of 2010
- 2 years of education above high school (60 semester hour or 90 quarter hours) *or* one year of experience in a related field *or* combination of both
- Must work weekends and holidays
- Must wear a uniform and comply with NPS uniform standards.

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## How to Apply

Submit the following:

- Current resume
- Most recent transcript (unofficial transcript is acceptable)
- Letter from institution stating you are a student in good standing or are accepted for enrollment in the fall of 2010
- Contact information for at least three references

Send resume and other documentation by January 25 to:

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## Join the Dinosaur National Monument Interpretive Team!



For more information, contact Brianna Candelaria at (435) 781-7701

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