



# 2011 Summer Internship Program







Student Career Employment Program  
(SCEP)

Student Temporary Employment Program  
(STEP)

Career Intern Program  
(CIP)

# Summer 2011

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# CALIFORNIA CONSORTIUM 2011 SUMMER INTERNSHIP PROGRAM

- WELCOME -

The California Consortium (CC) is pleased to present the 2011 Summer Internship Booklet, which highlights students who successfully completed Forest Service internships. The CC is dedicated to delivering a program that is both efficient and effective for the Forest Service, underserved communities, and participating students. The students highlighted here have been recruited and placed by the CC, which is comprised of the Northern California Consortium (NCC), the Central California Consortium (CCC), and the Southern California Consortium (SCC). As a team, this year the CC successfully placed over 200 students in Region 5 and Region 6.

One of the CC's goals is to ensure that students receive a valuable work experience, as they consider Forest Service careers. We accomplish this by taking the time to learn about our student's interests, capabilities and goals through a detailed in-depth screening process, which includes personal statements, resumes, and interviews. We match the skills, experience, and career goals of our intern candidates to supervisors, who provide mentoring and a positive work environment. Students work in fields such as, firefighting, archaeology, civil engineering, recreation, geology, and wildlife biology. Many of these students attend our professional development workshops on topics such as: resume writing and public speaking. As a result of their internship, students become advocates of the environment, continue their education, and go on to higher education. Many choose to go into natural resource careers and gain permanent careers within the agency. All students gain confidence and leadership skills that will help them succeed academically and personally.

We congratulate the students who participated in the CC employment program this year and encourage them to continue their educational goals. We thank our grant funding providers, which include the Fresno Resource Advisory Committee (RAC), Pacific Forest and Watershed Lands Stewardship Council, Lake Tahoe Basin Management Unit, The Wilderness Recreation Enhancement Act Grant and Youth Conservation Corps. We also thank the Forest Service, the intern supervisors, the communities we serve, and our community partners for their continued support.

Sincerely,

*Jim Ofstedal*  
Central CA Consortium Director

*Natasha Mauer*  
Acting Northern CA Consortium Director

*Fabian Garcia*  
Southern CA Consortium Director



## CALIFORNIA CONSORTIUM MISSION STATEMENT

The California Consortium is a diverse/minority environmental education, outreach, and recruitment program for students. The Consortium is divided into three geographic areas -- Central, Southern and Northern California – and each geographic area has a full-time program manager assigned to it. The Consortium program managers work under the supervision of the applicable Forest Supervisors. The program targets students ranging from kindergarten through the twelfth grade and works with college students as well. Through its education and outreach activities, the program encourages members of under-participating groups to participate in the agency's Student Career Experience Program (SCEP). The long range goal of the program is to convert student employees into permanent members of the Region's workforce. The Consortium enables the region to build relationships with local communities and cultivate a diverse applicant pool for the future.

### California Consortium Mission Areas:

- Establish relationships with Hispanic, Asian American, African American, and other diverse communities.
- Increase the awareness of opportunities provided by public lands through environmental education.
- Provide programs to develop employment opportunities in natural resource management for members of Hispanic and other diverse communities.
- Contribute to the Regional Recruitment Plan goals by providing job placement opportunities for program participants with the Forest Service and other land management agencies and organizations.



# 2011

## CENTRAL CALIFORNIA CONSORTIUM STAFF



**James Oftedal**  
Program Director

James Oftedal has over 27 years of dedicated service to USDA Forest Service. For over 16 years, he has served as the director of the Central California Consortium (CCC). Oftedal has dedicated his career to sharing the Forest Service mission and stewardship message with underserved communities and to help diversify the Forest Service workforce by recruiting diverse students. He is a mentor to many, as he encourages higher education and natural resource careers. In 2006, his program received the highest compliment possible when it was replicated to include two new sites; the NCC and SCC, creating the statewide California Consortium.

The CCC has received local, regional, and national recognition including awards such as the Regional Forester's Honor Award, the National Business Operations Award in Multicultural Organization, the USDA Unsung Hero Award, and the Central Valley Local Hero of the Year. He is proud of the success that he and his staff have achieved. However, he is most proud of his daughters, Gabriella, 17, and Jaime, 14.



**Lily M. Nieves**

Position: Assistant Director  
Experience: Nine years of dedicated service to the Forest Service  
Degree: MA Public Administration  
Degree: BA Liberal Studies  
Minor: Spanish  
School: CSU, Fresno



**Julissa Gonzalez**

Position: Job Placement Coordinator  
Major: MA Communication  
Degree: BS Business Administration  
School: CSU, Fresno



**Juana Rosas**

Position: Rural Coordinator  
Major: MA Span. Lit./  
MA Inter. Relations  
School: CSU, Fresno  
Degree: BA Latin American Studies  
School: UC, Berkeley



**Mai Chou Thao**

Position: STEP- Asian Liaison/Budget Analyst  
Major: Business Administration  
Option: Human Resource Management  
School: CSU, Fresno



**Veronica Garcia**

Position: STEP- Media Intern  
Major: Mass Communication & Journalism  
Option: Electronic Media Production  
Minor: Spanish  
School: CSU, Fresno



## Jose Zavala

Position: STEP- Environmental Educator  
Major: Physical Education  
Degree: BS Kinesiology  
School: CSU, Fresno



## Marco A. Chavez

Position: STEP- Human Resource Intern  
Major: MA Business Administration  
School: National University  
Degree: BS Business Administration  
School: CSU, Fresno



## Denaya Shorter

Position: STEP- African American Liaison  
Major: Biology  
Option: Ecology  
School: CSU, Fresno



## Melissa Souaykoumane

Position: STEP- Human Resource Intern  
Degree: BS Business Administration  
Option: Human Resource Management  
School: CSU, Fresno



## Joy Barney

Position: Interpretive Specialist/ Natural Resources Education  
Coordinator/ Generation Green Program Coordinator  
Location: Lake Tahoe Basin Mgmt. Unit



### ENVIRONMENTAL EDUCATION



### LEADERSHIP



### GENERATION GREEN

*"This job is a great opportunity to gain experience, network and expand your potential. It really polishes you and prepares you for the future." - Student*



### OUTREACH

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## NORTHERN CALIFORNIA CONSORTIUM STAFF



**Natosha Mauer**

Position: Program Specialist  
Experience: Seventeen years of dedicated service. Currently serving as Program Director for the Northern California Consortium



**Joyce Carreia**

Position: Administrative Support  
Experience: Twenty-seven years of dedicated service  
Career Goal: Retire in 2011!



**Perla Garcia**

Position: Environmental Education  
Major: Mechanical Engineer  
School: CSU, Chico  
Location: Mendocino National Forest  
Career Goal: Attend graduate school

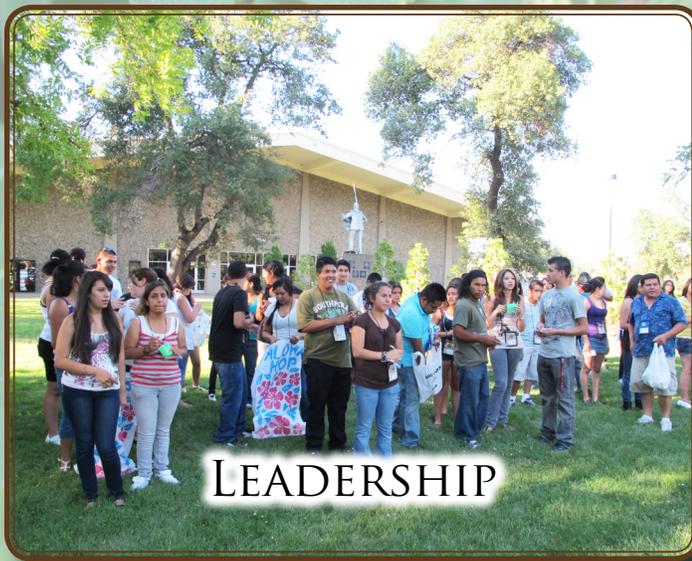
*"Thank you for this internship. I was able to participate in different activities and see beautiful places in California."  
- Student*



**OUTREACH**



**LEAP ACADEMY**



**LEADERSHIP**



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## SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA CONSORTIUM STAFF



**Fabian Garcia**

Position: SCC Director  
Degree: MA Educational Foundations  
School: CSU, Los Angeles  
Degree: BA Chicano Studies  
School: CSU, Los Angeles



**Angelina Rios**

Position: Job Placement Coordinator  
Location: Southern Province  
Nine years of service with the Federal Government in administration and public relations



**Alan Hernandez**

Position: Marketing Intern  
Major: MA Business Management & Leadership  
School: University of La Verne  
Degree: BA Design/Music  
School: University of La Verne  
Location: Angeles National Forest



**Jason Anderson**

Position: Outdoor Education Coordinator  
Major: Public Administration  
School: University of Phoenix  
Location: Angeles National Forest



**Jonar Rodrigo**

Position: Urban Outreach Coordinator  
Major: Wildland Resources Certificate  
School: Citrus College  
Degree: BA Telecommunications Management  
School: Devry University Pomona  
Location: Angeles National Forest



**GIRL SCOUTS (OUTREACH)**



**CAL STATE BERNARDINO**



**SALUTE TO YOUTH**

*"This summer I met people, learned new skills, and most importantly I gained irreplaceable experiences." - Student*

# CALIFORNIA CONSORTIUM STEP STUDENTS



**Adrian Alcantar**

School: Reedley College  
 Major: Undeclared  
 Position: Firefighter  
 Location: Lake Tahoe Basin Mgmt. Unit  
 Career Goal: Entrepreneur



**Alberto Vargas**

School: CSU, Chico  
 Major: Criminal Justice  
 Position: YCC Crew Leader  
 Location: Mendocino National Forest  
 Career Goal: Police Officer



**Aida Vance**

School: CSU, Chico  
 Major: Civil Engineering  
 Position: Civil Engineering  
 Location: Plumas National Forest



**Amanda Cutler**

School: HSU, Arcata  
 Major: Wildlife Biology  
 Position: Fisheries Technician  
 Location: Shasta-Trinity National Forest  
 Career Goal: Wildlife Biologist



**Alan Maciel**

Position: On-call Firefighter  
 Location: Fresno Blue Cards  
 Career Goal: Firefighter



**Ang Diku Sherpa**

School: CSU, Sonoma  
 Position: Noxious Weed Crew Member  
 Location: Lake Tahoe Basin Mgmt. Unit  
 Career Goal: Nurse

## INTERN ORIENTATION



*Interns get to hear presentations from FS professionals*



## Barbara Guia

School: Loloya Marymount University  
Major: Civil Engineering  
Position: Civil Engineering Intern  
Location: Angeles National Forest  
Career Goal: Civil/Environmental Engineer



## Carlos A. Ramirez

School: Reedley College  
Position: Landscape Architect Intern  
Location: Sierra National Forest  
Career Goal: Landscape Architect



## Brittany M. Musolf

School: Shasta College Redding  
Major: General Education  
Position: Business  
Location: Mendocino National Forest  
Career Goal: Fire Weather Specialist



## Cesar Villa

School: CSU, Chico  
Major: Civil Engineering  
Position: Civil Engineering Intern  
Location: Mendocino National Forest  
Career Goal: BS in Civil Engineering



## Chathurika Goonawardena

School: CSU, Fresno  
Major: MA Public Health  
Position: Tribal Relations Program Intern  
Location: Sierra National Forest  
Career Goal: Doctor



## Chor Yang

School: CSU, Fresno  
Degree: BS Business Administration  
Option: Finance  
Position: Partnership Intern  
Location: Sierra National Forest  
Career Goal: Human Rights Director

*Crew Leader, Jose Zavala, informing students about their first year of College*



## HIGHER EDUCATION DAY

*SNF Natural Resources Crew at CSU, Fresno*



*CSU, Fresno (CAMP) informing students about University requirements*



*Students tour the CSU, Fresno campus*





## TEAM BUILDING WORKSHOP



### Daniel Hernandez

School: Reedley College  
Major: Forestry  
Position: Forestry Aid  
Location: Sierra National Forest  
Career Goal: Fire management



### Frank Bojorquez

School: HSU, Arcata  
Major: Forestry  
Position: Firefighter  
Location: Six Rivers National Forest  
Career Goal: Firefighter- Battalion Chief



### Doroteo Resendiz

School: Reedley College  
Major: Undeclared  
Position: Firefighter  
Location: Stanislaus National Forest  
Career Goal: Veterinarian



### Guadalupe Amezcua

School: CSU, Fresno  
Major: Natural Science - Inner Science  
Position: Air Quality Technician  
Location: Sierra National Forest  
Career Goal: High School Science Teacher



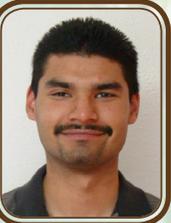
### Ebrahim Khan

School: CSU, Fresno  
Major: Geography  
Position: GIS Intern  
Location: Sierra National Forest  
Career Goal: Geographic Information Systems



### Gerardo Rico

School: Mendocino College  
Major: Fire Science  
Position: Firefighter  
Location: Mendocino National Forest  
Career Goal: Fire management



### Erasmo Martinez

School: CSU, Sacramento  
Degree: Fire Service Management  
Position: Firefighter  
Location: Stanislaus National Forest  
Career Goal: Fire Protection Management



### Holly L. Cordero

School: CSU, Chico  
Major: Agricultural Education  
Position: Firefighter  
Location: Shasta-Trinity National Forest  
Career Goal: Agricultural Education



### Erin Taylor

School: HSU, Arcata  
Major: Wildlife  
Position: Biology (Hydrology)  
Location: Plumas National Forest  
Career Goal: Wildlife Management and Conservation



### Hesther Tsz Yan Fan

School: UC, Santa Cruz  
Major: Environmental Studies  
Position: Visitor Information Intern  
Location: Stanislaus National Forest  
Career Goal: Forest Service Ranger



## Hillary Santana

School: Swarthmore College  
 Degree: BA Biology  
 Minor: Environmental Studies  
 Position: Special Uses  
 Location: Lake Tahoe Basin Mgmt. Unit  
 Career Goal: Environmental law



## Jesus Saldana

Position: On-call Firefighter  
 Location: Fresno Blue Cards  
 Career Goal: Firefighter



## Jonathan A. Correa

School: CSU, Chico  
 Major: Biological Sciences  
 Position: Biology (Botany/Plant Science)  
 Location: Mendocino National Forest  
 Career Goal: Biologist



## Jose Martin Soto

School: Reedley College  
 Major: Fire Fighting  
 Position: Recreation Technician  
 Location: Sequoia National Forest  
 Career Goal: Work for the Forest Service

*“This program is well coordinated and allows us to learn many things in a positive work environment.”-Student*



# VALLEY REGIONAL OCCUPATIONAL PROGRAM



# WILDLAND FIRE SCIENCE



## 2010 INTERN AWARD CEREMONY



### Jose Moreno

School: Reedley College  
 Major: Forestry  
 Position: Crew Member  
 Location: Sierra National Forest  
 Career Goal: Firefighter



### Juan Anguiano

School: CSU, Sacramento  
 Major: Criminal Justice  
 Position: Visitor Information  
 Location: EIDorado National Forest  
 Career Goal: California Highway Patrol



### Jose Rodriguez

School: CSU, Fresno  
 Major: Evolutionary Ecological Biology  
 Position: Special Use Permit Inspector  
 Location: Sierra National Forest  
 Career Goal: Conservation Biologist



### Juan Rodriguez

School: Fresno City College  
 Major: Electrical Engineering  
 Position: Air Quality Technician  
 Location: Sierra National Forest  
 Career Goal: Electrical Engineer



### Juan Pablo Cervantes

School: Sierra College  
 Major: Psychology  
 Position: Office Automation Clerk  
 Location: Tahoe National Forest  
 Career Goal: Lawyer



### Jose Urrutia

Position: On-call Firefighter  
 Location: Fresno Blue Cards  
 Career Goal: Firefighter

*“I think highly of the program because it is professional and the staff helps youth in the community.” –Student*



## FIREFIIGHTERS



**Jovanni Espinoza**

Position: On-call Firefighter  
 Location: Fresno Blue Cards  
 Career Goal: Obtain a good job with FS



**Kyle Wilkinson**

School: UC, Santa Barbara  
 Position: Trail Crew Member  
 Location: Lake Tahoe Basin Mgmt. Unit  
 Career Goal: Sociology



**Juan Alanis**

School: Reedley College  
 Position: On-call Firefighter  
 Location: Fresno Blue Cards



**Lisbeth D. Jimenez**

School: CSU Chico  
 Major: Civil Engineer  
 Position: Civil Engineering  
 Location: Plumas National Forest  
 Career Goal: Civil Engineer



**Judith Salazar**

School: CSU, Fresno  
 Major: Biology  
 Position: Archaeology Intern  
 Location: Sierra National Forest  
 Career Goal: Biologist



**Lisa Bonilla**

School: CSU, Fresno  
 Major: Earth & Environmental Science  
 Position: Engineer Intern  
 Location: Sierra National Forest  
 Career Goal: Environmental Educator



## Luis Damian

School: CSU, Fresno  
Major: Liberal Studies/Spanish  
Position: Forestry Technician  
Location: Stanislaus National Forest  
Career Goal: Elementary School Teacher



## Melissa Gonzalez

School: CSU, Fresno  
Major: Women Studies  
Position: Fleet Management Assistant  
Location: Sierra National Forest  
Career Goal: Study Law



## Maria de Jesus Ayala

School: CSU, Fresno  
Degree: Communication  
Position: Air Tanker Base Intern  
Location: Sierra National Forest  
Career Goal: Nutritionist



## Miguel Cisneros

School: CSU, Fresno  
Major: Geology  
Position: GIS Intern  
Location: Sierra National Forest



## PUBLIC SPEAKING WORKSHOP



## Miesha Cash

School: University of Phoenix  
Major: Information Systems  
Position: Public Information Assistant  
Location: Angeles National Forest  
Career Goal: NBA Marketer



## Nancy Sysomboune

School: CSU, Fresno  
Degree: BS Business Administration  
Position: Fire Protection Officer  
Location: WA-Gifford Pinchot National Forest  
Career Goal: Be an unlimited resource



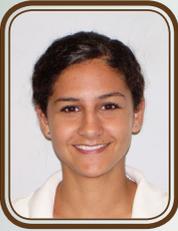
## Natalie Banuelos

School: Merced Community College  
Major: Environmental Studies  
Position: Interpretation Intern  
Location: Stanislaus National Forest  
Career Goal: Environmental Educator



## Noe Olvera

School: Reedley College  
Major: Undeclared  
Position: Firefighter  
Location: Sierra National Forest  
Career Goal: Fire Suppression Management



## Nijmah Ali

School: HSU, Arcata  
Major: Botany/Biology  
Position: Biology (Botany/Plant Science)  
Location: Mendocino National Forest  
Career Goal: PhD in Botanical Sciences at UC, Santa Barbara



## Pabel Pizano

School: Reedley College  
Major: Natural Resources  
Position: Recreation Technician  
Location: Sequoia National Forest  
Career Goal: Wildland Firefighter



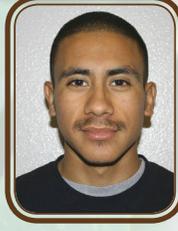
## Rafael Martinez

School: Adams State College  
Major: Undeclared  
Position: Air Quality Technician  
Location: Sequoia National Forest  
Career Goal: Undecided



## Randall Windh

School: College of Sequoias  
Position: Firefighter  
Location: Stanislaus National Forest  
Career Goal: Further education and become successful



## Rene Diaz

School: Reedley College  
Program: Undeclared  
Position: Firefighter  
Location: Stanislaus National Forest  
Career Goal: Air Tanker Mechanic



## Reyna Dominguez

School: CSU, Stanislaus  
Major: Criminal Justice  
Position: Fire Protection Officer  
Location: WA-Gifford Pinchot National Forest  
Career Goal: FBI Agent



*Forest Landscape Architect, Cesar Sanchez, with Intern Carlos Ramirez*



## Robert P. Montes

School: Gridley High School  
Major: Civil Engineering Laborer  
Position: Environmental Education  
Location: Tahoe National Forest  
Career Goal: Firefighter



## Rudy Gaytan

School: Valley College  
Position: Firefighter Apprentice  
Location: Los Padres National Forest



## Rodolfo Mendoza

School: Lake Tahoe Community College  
Major: Exercise Science  
Position: Fuels Reduction Crew Member  
Location: Lake Tahoe Basin Mgmt. Unit  
Career Goal: Athletic Trainer



## Scott A. de Alba

School: CSU, Chico  
Major: Public Administration  
Position: Firefighter  
Location: Plumas National Forest  
Career Goal: MA in Public Administration

*“My student exceeded my expectations  
and truly grew as a young professional.”  
- Supervisor*



## Travis J. Moore

School: CSU, Chico  
Major: Environmental/Hydrologic Science  
Position: Biology (Hydrology)  
Location: Mendocino National Forest  
Career Goal: Hydrologist



## Shaun Rollman

School: Pasadena City College  
Major: Business Management  
Position: Administration Clerk  
Location: Angeles National Forest  
Career Goal: Own a business



## Tristan Kiehl

School: Reedley College  
Major: Undeclared  
Position: Firefighter  
Location: OR-Umpqua National Forest  
Career Goal: Fire Suppression Management



## Suzanne M. Romo

School: HSU, Arcata  
Major: Forestry/Resource Conservation  
Position: Civil Engineering  
Location: Tahoe National Forest  
Career Goal: Forester



## Tyler Mundy

School: Lake Tahoe Community College  
Position: Fuels Reduction Crew Member  
Location: Lake Tahoe Basin Mgmt. Unit  
Career Goal: Wildland Firefighter



## Tiffany Racz

Position: Engineer  
Location: Lake Tahoe Basin Mgmt. Unit



## Ulysses Tapia

Position: Aquatic Biology  
Location: Lake Tahoe Basin Mgmt. Unit



## Timothy LaChance

School: Reedley College  
Major: Forestry  
Position: Firefighter  
Location: OR-Umpqua National Forest



## Victor Valdivia

School: CSU, Fresno  
Major: Psychology  
Position: Archaeology Intern  
Location: Sierra National Forest  
Career Goal: Forestry Lawyer



## Vang Lo

Position: On-call Firefighter  
Location: Fresno Blue Cards  
Career Goal: Fish and Game Warden



## Viviana Rodriguez

School: Cal Poly Pomona  
Position: Landscape Architect  
Location: Angeles National Forest  
Career Goal: Licensed Landscape Architect

# CALIFORNIA CONSORTIUM CAREER EMPLOYEES



**Alisa Yorba**

School: Porterville College  
Major: Human Services  
Position: SCEP - Fire Training Assistant  
Location: Sequoia National Forest  
Career Goal: Forest Service Career



**Antonio Cabrera**

School: CSU, Fresno  
Major: MS Civil Engineering  
Position: SCEP - Civil Engineer  
Location: Sierra National Forest  
Career Goal: Professional Engineer



**Asma'a A. Ali**

School: CSU, Chico  
Major: Business Administration  
Position: SCEP - Business  
Location: Vallejo, CA. (RO)  
Career Goal: MBA degree



**Elisabeth Anguiano**

School: CSU, Fresno  
Degree: Business Administration  
Position: SCEP - Acquisition Business  
Location: Sierra National Forest  
Career Goal: Contracting Officer



**Erielle Lamb**

School: CSU, Fresno  
Major: Geomatics Engineering  
Position: SCEP - Land Surveyor  
Location: WA - Gifford Pinchot National Forest  
Career Goal: Professional Land Surveyor



**Laura Flores**

School: CSU, Fresno  
Major: Civil Engineering  
Position: SCEP - Civil Engineer  
Location: Sierra National Forest  
Career Goal: Civil Engineer



**Leak Pen**

School: CSU, Fresno  
Major: Recreation and Leisure Studies  
Position: SCEP- Assistant Recreation Officer  
Location: Sequoia National Forest  
Career Goal: Recreation



**Joel Gonzalez**

School: Cal Poly Pomona  
Major: MA Engineering Management  
Position: SCEP- Civil Engineer  
Career Goal: Civil Engineer



**Marcos Rios**

School: UC, Irvine  
Major: Civil Engineering  
Position: Converted CIP - Civil Engineer  
Location: Sequoia National Forest  
Career Goal: Forest Service Engineer



*You never know what to expect in the Forest Service! Interns Nancy and Reyna shoveling snow in JULY!*



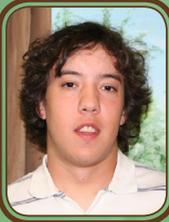
## Martha Tatterfield

School: Fresno City College  
Major: Liberal Arts  
Position: SCEP - Fire Training Assistant  
Location: Sequoia National Forest



## Monica Gallegos

School: CSU, Fresno  
Degree: Liberal Studies  
Position: Converted CIP - Dispatcher  
Location: Sequoia National Forest  
Career Goal: Work for the Forest Service



## Ryan Palacios

School: CSU, Fresno  
Major: Civil Engineering  
Position: SCEP - Civil Engineer  
Location: Stanislaus National Forest  
Career Goal: Work for a federal or state agency



## Thalia Ryder

School: CSU, Northridge  
Major: Archaeology  
Position: SCEP- Archaeologist  
Location: Angeles National Forest  
Career Goal: Archaeologist



## William Crocker

School: CSU, Fresno  
Major: MS Business Administration  
Position: Converted CIP - Dispatcher  
Location: Sequoia National Forest  
Career Goal: Work in a fire management agency



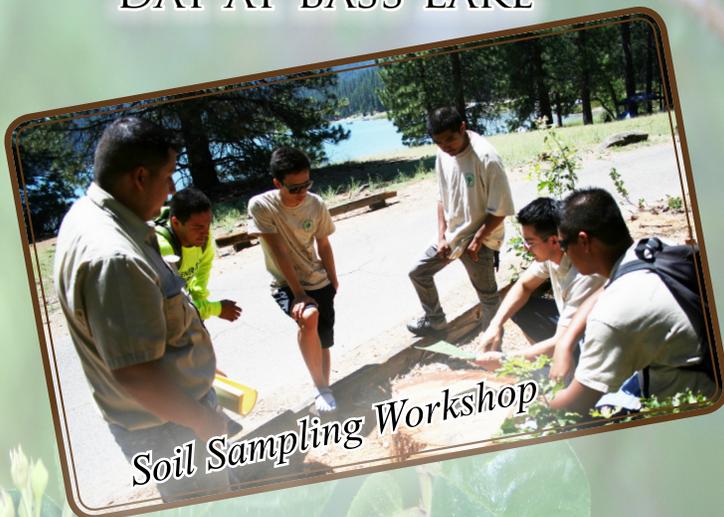
## ENVIRONMENTAL EDUCATION DAY AT BASS LAKE



*Birdwatching Workshop*



*Orienteering Workshop*



*Soil Sampling Workshop*



## *Sierra National Forest - Recreation Crew*



**Olivia Gutierrez**

School: CSU, Fresno  
 Degree: BS Criminology  
 Position: Crew Leader  
 Location: Sierra National Forest  
 Career Goal: Homeland Security Agent



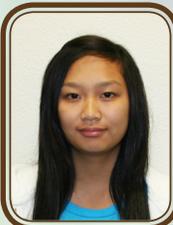
**Jacques Guidry**

School: Edison High School  
 Position: Crew Member  
 Location: Sierra National Forest  
 Career Goal: Photographer



**Maria Ceballos**

School: CSU, Fresno  
 Major: MS Counseling  
 Position: Crew Assistant  
 Location: Sierra National Forest  
 Career Goal: University/High School Guidance Counselor



**Muey Saechao**

School: Fresno City College  
 Major: Undecided  
 Position: Crew Member  
 Location: Sierra National Forest  
 Career Goal: Biologist



**Stephanie Agavo**

School: Fresno City College  
 Major: Kinesiology  
 Position: Crew Member  
 Location: Sierra National Forest  
 Career Goal: Teacher



**David Aguilar**

School: Edison High School  
 Position: Crew Member  
 Location: Sierra National Forest  
 Career Goal: Police Officer

# Sierra National Forest -YCC Crew



**Saul Fernandez**

School: CSU, Fresno  
Major: MS Rehab Counseling  
Position: Crew Leader  
Location: Sierra National Forest  
Career Goal: Counselor



**Brittney Brown**

School: Edison High School  
Position: Crew Member  
Location: Sierra National Forest  
Career Goal: Registered Nurse



**Callie Vang**

School: UC, Davis  
Major: Psychology  
Position: Crew Member  
Location: Sierra National Forest  
Career Goal: Undecided



**Carlos Robledo**

School: Reedley College  
Major: Undecided  
Position: Crew Member  
Location: Sierra National Forest  
Career Goal: Undecided



**Demariess Wright**

School: Edison High School  
Position: Crew Member  
Location: Sierra National Forest  
Career Goal: Sports Commentator



**Gabriella Oftedal**

School: CSU, Fresno  
Position: Crew Member  
Location: Sierra National Forest  
Career Goal: Undecided



**Sang Sue Thao**

School: UC, Merced  
Major: Science  
Position: Crew Member  
Location: Sierra National Forest  
Career Goal: Environmental Technician

# SQF Hume Lake - Recreation Crew



**Jose Zavala**

School: Reedley College  
 Major: Physical Education  
 Position: Crew Leader  
 Location: Sequoia National Forest  
 Career Goal: P.E. Teacher



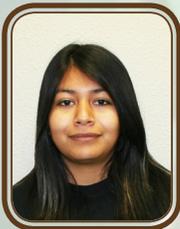
**Fabian Gonzalez**

School: Reedley College  
 Major: Firefighting  
 Position: Crew Member  
 Location: Sequoia National Forest  
 Career Goal: Firefighter



**Brenda Perez**

School: UC, Davis  
 Major: Undecided  
 Position: Crew Member  
 Location: Sequoia National Forest  
 Career Goal: Undecided



**Isabel Salazar**

School: Reedley College  
 Major: Nursing/ Science  
 Position: Crew Member  
 Location: Sequoia National Forest  
 Career Goal: Doctor or Archaeologist



**Paulino Zacarias**

School: Reedley College  
 Major: Firefighting  
 Position: Crew Member  
 Location: Sequoia National Forest  
 Career Goal: Firefighter



**Salvador Figueroa**

School: Reedley College  
 Major: Undecided  
 Position: Crew Member  
 Location: Sequoia National Forest  
 Career Goal: Veterinarian



# Sierra National Forest - Natural Resources Crew



**Rafael Velasquez**

School: CSU, Fresno  
 Major: Business Management  
 Position: Crew Leader  
 Location: Sierra National Forest  
 Career Goal: Manager



**Monica Segura**

School: CSU, Fresno  
 Major: Forestry/Counseling  
 Position: Crew Assistant  
 Location: Sierra National Forest  
 Career Goal: Counselor



**Ana Chavez**

School: Willow International  
 Major: Nursing  
 Position: Crew Member  
 Location: Sierra National Forest  
 Career Goal: Nurse



**David Morales**

School: Reedley College  
 Major: Undecided  
 Position: Crew Member  
 Location: Sierra National Forest  
 Career Goal: Civil Engineer



**Kayla Rodriguez**

School: Reedley College  
 Major: Forestry  
 Position: Crew Member  
 Location: Sierra National Forest  
 Career Goal: Forester



**Nou Vu**

School: Fresno High School  
 Major: Art  
 Position: Crew Member  
 Location: Sierra National Forest  
 Career Goal: Architect



# Lake Tahoe Basin Mgmt. Unit - South Shore Crew



**Alex Ortega**

School: South Tahoe High School  
Position: Crew Member  
Location: Lake Tahoe Basin Mgmt. Unit  
Career Goal: Chef



**Ashni Patel**

School: South Tahoe High School  
Major: Biochemistry  
Position: Crew Member  
Location: Lake Tahoe Basin Mgmt. Unit  
Career Goal: Neurologist or Pharmacist



**Daniel Gonzalez**

School: Mt. Tallac High School  
Position: Crew Member  
Location: Lake Tahoe Basin Mgmt. Unit  
Career Goal: Undecided



**Elsa Garcia**

School: Lake Tahoe Community College  
Major: Undecided  
Position: Crew Member  
Location: Lake Tahoe Basin Mgmt. Unit  
Career Goal: Undecided



**Hanna Wheelan**

School: South Tahoe High School  
Major: Biology  
Position: Crew Member  
Location: Lake Tahoe Basin Mgmt. Unit  
Career Goal: Animal Biologist



**Leighton Cook**

School: South Tahoe High School  
Position: Crew Member  
Location: Lake Tahoe Basin Mgmt. Unit  
Career Goal: Musician



**Taylor Garrett**

School: South Tahoe High School  
Position: Crew Member  
Location: Lake Tahoe Basin Mgmt. Unit  
Career Goal: Graphic Designer



**Tina Mendoca**

School: Mt. Tallac High School  
Position: Crew Member  
Location: Lake Tahoe Basin Mgmt. Unit

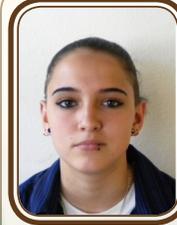


# Lake Tahoe Basin Mgmt. Unit - South Shore Crew



**Angelica Aquino**

School: Santa Barbara City College  
Major: Undecided  
Position: Crew Member  
Location: Lake Tahoe Basin Mgmt. Unit  
Career Goal: Undecided



**Brianna McGlothin**

School: Mt. Tallac High School  
Position: Crew Member  
Location: Lake Tahoe Basin Mgmt. Unit  
Career Goal: Firefighter



**Daniel Reyes**

School: CSU, Sacramento  
Major: Government  
Position: Crew Member  
Location: Lake Tahoe Basin Mgmt. Unit  
Career Goal: Undecided



**Dylan Puleri**

School: Undecided  
Position: Crew Member  
Location: Lake Tahoe Basin Mgmt. Unit  
Career Goal: Chef



**Emily Barnett**

School: South Tahoe High School  
Position: Crew Member  
Location: Lake Tahoe Basin Mgmt. Unit  
Career Goal: Sports



**Fatima Garcia**

School: South Tahoe High School  
Major: Undecided  
Position: Crew Member  
Location: Lake Tahoe Basin Mgmt. Unit  
Career Goal: Dentist



**Reanna Suela**

School: UC, Santa Barbara  
Major: Undecided  
Position: Crew Member  
Location: Lake Tahoe Basin Mgmt. Unit  
Career Goal: Undecided



**Tyler Meyers**

School: South Tahoe High School  
Position: Crew Member  
Location: Lake Tahoe Basin Mgmt. Unit  
Career Goal: Chemist/Doctor



# Lake Tahoe Basin Mgmt. Unit - North Shore Crew



**Aubriel Hall**

School: North Tahoe High School  
Position: Crew Member  
Location: Lake Tahoe Basin Mgmt. Unit  
Career Goal: Reiki Therapist



**Cierra Bonavita**

School: CSA  
Major: Undecided  
Position: Crew Member  
Location: Lake Tahoe Basin Mgmt. Unit  
Career Goal: Undecided



**Danielle Vikse**

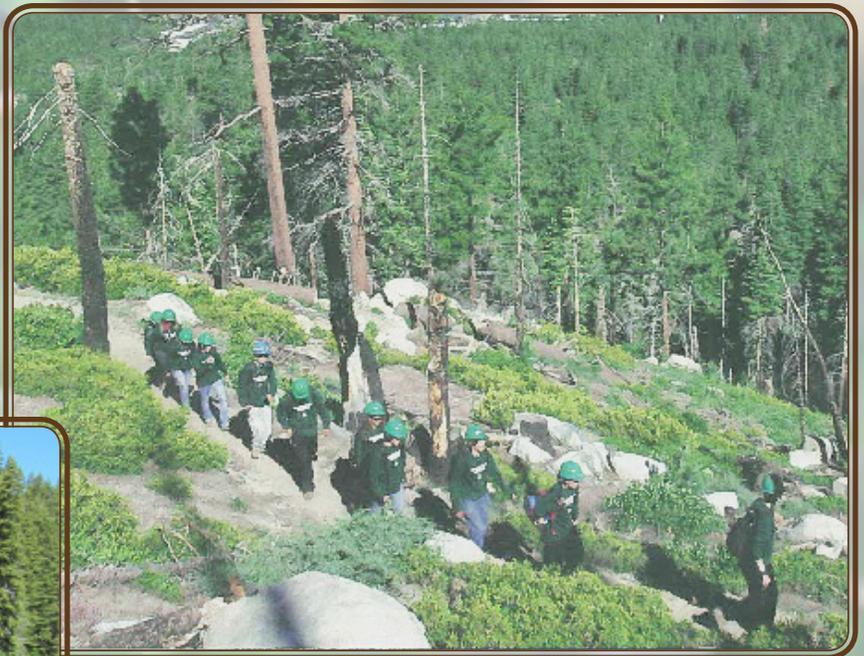
School: North Tahoe High School  
Position: Crew Member  
Location: Lake Tahoe Basin Mgmt. Unit  
Career Goal: Biologist



**Katelynn Cochran**

School: Sierra High School  
Position: Crew Member  
Location: Lake Tahoe Basin Mgmt. Unit  
Career Goal: Midwife

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-Supervisor*



*"The internship took me out of my comfort zone, which helped me grow as a student and a professional." - Student*

# SCC Stewardship Academy Crew



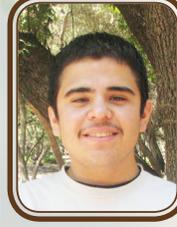
**Edith Bernardino**

School: Eco Academy  
Position: SA Crew Member  
Location: Angeles National Forest



**Angel Hinojosa**

School: Santee High School  
Position: SA Crew Member  
Location: Angeles National Forest



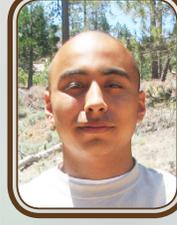
**Eduardo Olmos**

School: Santee High School  
Position: SA Crew Member  
Location: Angeles National Forest



**Christian Duarte**

School: Santee High School  
Position: SA Crew Member  
Location: Angeles National Forest



**Elvin Zambriano**

School: Eco Academy  
Position: SA Crew Member  
Location: Angeles National Forest



**Christian Ramos**

School: Santee High School  
Position: SA Crew Member  
Location: Angeles National Forest



**Giovanni Montenegro**

School: Santee High School  
Position: SA Crew Member  
Location: Angeles National Forest



**Christopher Becerril**

School: Eco Academy  
Position: SA Crew Member  
Location: Angeles National Forest



**Ignacio Castellanos**

School: Santee High School  
Position: SA Crew Member  
Location: Angeles National Forest



**Christopher Castaneda**

School: Santee High School  
Position: SA Crew Member  
Location: Angeles National Forest



**Joselin Medina**

School: Santee High School  
Position: SA Crew Member  
Location: Angeles National Forest



## Shirlyn Swim

School: Santee High School  
Position: YCC Crew Member  
Location: Angeles National Forest



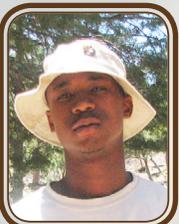
## Shocquenique Thomas

School: Santee High School  
Position: YCC Crew Member  
Location: Angeles National Forest



## Jovany Cruz

School: Santee High School  
Position: SA Crew Member  
Location: Angeles National Forest



## Tyre Jackson

School: Santee High School  
Position: YCC Crew Member  
Location: Angeles National Forest



## Juana Sanchez

School: Santee High School  
Position: YCC Crew Member  
Location: Angeles National Forest



## Wendy Ramirez

School: Santee High School  
Position: YCC Crew Member  
Location: Angeles National Forest



## Nathalie Padilla

School: Santee High School  
Position: YCC Crew Member  
Location: Angeles National Forest



## Yessica Hernandez

School: Santee High School  
Position: YCC Crew Member  
Location: Angeles National Forest



## Quinsha Wheeler

School: Santee High School  
Position: YCC Crew Member  
Location: Angeles National Forest



## Rosemary Palacios

School: Santee High School  
Position: YCC Crew Member  
Location: Angeles National Forest



# SCC Youth Conservation Corps Crew



**D'Airess Fuller**

School: John Muir High School  
Position: YCC Crew Member  
Location: Angeles National Forest



**Katherine Ramirez**

School: John Muir High School  
Position: YCC Crew Member  
Location: Angeles National Forest



**Mya Reynolds**

School: John Muir High School  
Position: YCC Crew Member  
Location: Angeles National Forest



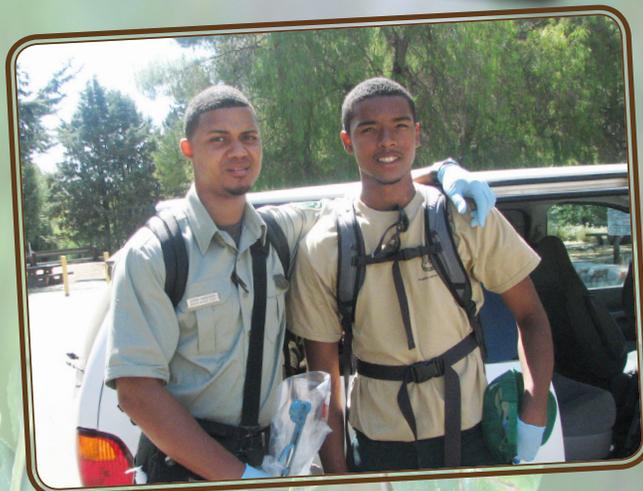
**Raymond Malone**

School: John Muir High School  
Position: YCC Crew Member  
Location: Angeles National Forest



**Rodrigo Legoretta**

School: John Muir High School  
Position: YCC Crew Member  
Location: Angeles National Forest



*"This internship helped me grow as a young professional. I value the respect I was given from everyone that I worked with." - Student*

# *Eco Warriors- Santee Education Complex High School*

*“Take care of the land because someday you will be part of it.”*



*Eco Warriors Motto: Conserve, Preserve, Enjoy*



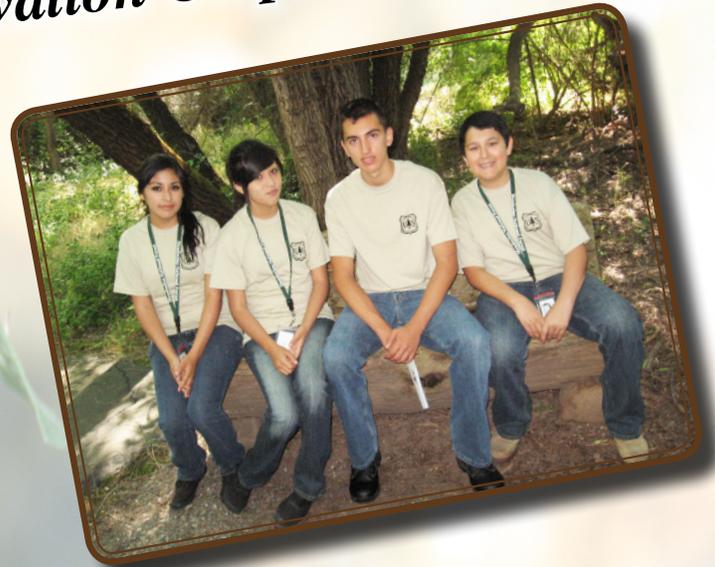
*“Thank you for providing me with an exemplary employee with such a great attitude. I look forward to continue working with the CC.” - Supervisor*

# NCC Youth Conservation Corps Crew



**Ruby Sigala**

School: Willows High School  
Position: YCC Crew Member  
Location: Northern CA Consortium  
Career Goal: Attend College



**Susana Castaneda**

School: Willows High School  
Position: YCC Crew Member  
Location: Northern CA Consortium  
Career Goal: Attend College



**Juan Gonzalez**

School: Willows High School  
Position: YCC Crew Member  
Location: Northern CA Consortium  
Career Goal: Law Enforcement



**Christian Garcia**

School: Willows High School  
Position: YCC Crew Member  
Location: Northern CA Consortium  
Career Goal: Join Cal Fire



# CALIFORNIA CONSORTIUM

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Name	Position	Location
Andrew Moore	Civil Engineer	Plumas National Forest
Andrew Wong	Firefighter	Stanislaus National Forest
Derick Ramirez	On-call Firefighter	Fresno-Blue Cards
Francisco Miranda	Visitor Information	Sequoia National Forest
Greg Reyes	Crew Member	Angeles National Forest
Jesse Jones-Pittman	Recreation	Six Rivers National Forest
Jonathan Corpus	On-call Firefighter	Fresno-Blue Cards
Jose Cerda	Firefighter	Stanislaus National Forest
Julio Leon Ramirez	Firefighter	Stanislaus National Forest
Luis Orozco	Firefighter	Tahoe National Forest
Lloyd Bettis	On-call Firefighter	Fresno-Blue Cards
Mariah Geis	Dispatch	Sierra National Forest
Maria Garcia-Gonzalez	Business	Mendocino National Forest
Michael Huynh	Biology (Botany/Plant Science)	Shasta-Trinity National Forest
Miguel Lara	Recreation	Stanislaus National Forest
Molly Hill	Trail Crew	OR-Siskiyou National Forest
Nathan Helms	Biology (Wildlife)	Tahoe National Forest
Neil Church	Civil Engineer	Shasta-Trinity National Forest
Nicholas Mendez	Firefighter	OR-Siskiyou National Forest
Roberto Montes	Civil Engineer	Tahoe National Forest
Ryan Wimmer	Nursery	Eldorado National Forest
Samantha Moose	Supply Technician	Siuslaw National Forest
Samuel Ramirez	Firefighter	Stanislaus National Forest
Steven Dobbs	Firefighter	Six Rivers National Forest
Tyler Horge	On-call Firefighter	Fresno-Blue Cards
Tyler Silva	Firefighter	Mendocino National Forest
Yony Rivera	Trail Crew	OR-Siskiyou National Forest



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