## Russian River Coho Salmon Monitoring Program Winter/Spring 2017 Internship



UC Cooperative Extension & California Sea Grant in Santa Rosa is seeking reliable and enthusiastic interns to assist with winter and spring field work for the Russian River Salmon and Steelhead Monitoring Program. This position supports a multi-agency effort to monitor and evaluate the status of salmonid populations in the Russian River watershed, as well as to conduct specialized research related to coho salmon.

Interns will be trained to assist with fish and environmental monitoring techniques, including some or all of the following: spawner surveys, downstream migrant smolt trap operations, stream flow data collection, use of handheld computers and GPS devices, and maintenance and operation of PIT tag detection equipment.

Work will begin in January and run through May. Schedule is flexible, with two <u>full</u> days/week preferred. College credit is available and must be worked out with department advisors. This is a non-compensated position.

Qualifications include an interest in fisheries or natural resource management, and the ability to hike long distances and carry heavy loads while working full days in the field. If you are a quick learner with a positive attitude who is interested in gaining experience in the field of fisheries biology and environmental preservation, we would love to hear from you. Please send cover letter and resume to Sarah Nossaman at <a href="mailto:snossamanpierce@ucsd.edu">snossamanpierce@ucsd.edu</a> by October 28, 2016. For more information, please see our website at: <a href="https://caseagrant.ucsd.edu/project/coho-salmon-monitoring">https://caseagrant.ucsd.edu/project/coho-salmon-monitoring</a>.





