The Student Conservation Association (SCA) is excited to offer two career preparatory programs for students from racially and ethnically diverse backgrounds. Working closely with the National Park Service (NPS) and the US Fish and Wildlife Service, SCA has developed expense-paid internships aimed at providing students with the mentorship and hands-on experience needed to build a career in the conservation field.

Internships are offered in a wide variety of fields--education, historical preservation, resource management, visitor service, and many others--but they all have one thing in common: they promote social, personal, and academic development, and pave the way for professional success.

Candidates must be:

- US citizens or permanent residents
- Undergraduate or graduate students during the 2014-2015 academic year
- Available for a 12-week summer internship
- Open-minded, with an adventurous spirit
- Not necessarily experienced in conservation, but eager to learn more -- all majors welcome

Interested students can learn more at:

- **NPS Academy** (in partnership with the National Park Service)
- <u>Career Discovery Internship Program</u> (in partnership with the US Fish and Wildlife Service)

Students applying to either of these programs will have their SCA application fee waived by emailing **recruiting@thesca.org**. SCA is also available every Friday from 9am-5pm EST to chat via the online community, **www.conservation-nation.org**.

For more information about SCA or to search other internship and program opportunities, please visit the website at www.thesca.org.