

Internship offer: Communication and Outreach Support

Sector

Ocean and Climate / International network / NGO

Description of the organization

The Ocean and Climate Platform (OCP) is a multi-stakeholder network with more than 90 international members: NGOs, scientific organizations, universities, research institutions, foundations, public institutions, business associations and local authorities. OCP's objective is to raise awareness among the public, scientists and political decision-makers of the importance of the interlinkages between Ocean, Climate and Biodiversity.

The intern's responsibilities will include:

Support for internal and external communication

- Participate in the animation of the network (writing newsletters, writing articles, animation of social networks, conducting interviews)
- Regularly update the website (WordPress) with previously produced digital content Support for the organization of events and follow-up of key international processes
 - Follow-up on key international processes, such as the UNFCCC, CBD, IPCC...
 - In collaboration with the Advocacy team, draft a wide range of communication materials (e.g. participation in the communication strategy, redaction of communication toolkit, articles, press releases) in preparation for CBD COP15 (Kunming, October 2021), UNFCCC COP26 (Glasgow, November 2021)
 - Assist with the organization of national and international conferences, meetings and webinars

Support for the dissemination of knowledge

- Follow-up of scientific production with a focus on the ocean-climate-biodiversity nexus
- Support for the organisation of the « knowledge dissemination » working group and the production of mediation tools on the 6th IPCC report

Skills and qualifications:

- Excellent command of both English and French (oral and written)
- Excellent writing skills and attention to detail
- Strong organizational skills and ability to work with minimum supervision
- Strong knowledge of international environmental affairs and governance (ocean, climate and biodiversity)
- Good skills in social media management
- Good knowledge of WordPress

Academic background: Be enrolled in a masters' degree or third year of bachelor's in environmental science, communication, or political science. Background in oceanography or in scientific mediation would be an asset.

Dates: September 1st, 2021, for a period of 6 months.

Financial compensation: Legal internship allowance.

Location: Maison des Océans, 195 rue Saint-Jacques, 75005 Paris.

To apply: Please send your CV, cover letter and availability to the attention of Anaïs Deprez (outreach@ocean-climate.org) by 15 May 2021, with the subject line: 09_21_POCCOM. Applications will be reviewed on a rolling basis. Selected candidates will be invited for an interview.