

COASTAL PROTECTION INTERN

Internship Title	Coastal Protection Intern
Host Partner	<p>Caribbean Community Climate Change Centre</p> <p>The Caribbean Community Climate Change Centre (CCCCC) is a regional inter-governmental organization established to coordinate the region's response to climate change. It develops and implements projects, provides policy advice to governments and coordinates the region's position for the international climate change negotiations.</p> <p>http://www.caribbeanclimate.bz/</p>
Internship Location	Belmopan, Belize
Preferred Start Date	Summer 2016
Internship Description	<p>The Coastal Protection Intern will provide support to the Centre's project management team on a Coastal Protection project being implemented in Dominica, Jamaica, Saint Lucia and St. Vincent and the Grenadines. The intern will be a key member of the Centre's team in supporting the work on erosion issues throughout Belize. The intern will be involved in designing and establishing a monitoring network to identify the causes of erosion, measuring the rate and extent of erosion and designing prevention and rehabilitation measures.</p>
Main Internship Activities & Responsibilities	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Review and verify key reports and documents - Monitor coastal erosion (includes data collection and analysis) - Conduct field work along beach or in the sea - Conduct interviews with coastal communities - Develop and deliver technical reporting
Qualifications & Experience	<p>The successful applicant must demonstrate:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Knowledge or appreciation of coastal zone management issues - Background in Geography, Marine Sciences, Geoscience, Marine Science, Oceanography or Hydrology - Strong knowledge of Excel - Strong communication & intercultural skills - Strong organizational skills <p>Additional Preferred Experience:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Experience with Geographic Information Systems (GIS) - Ability to write technical reports - Knowledge of Belize culture - Experience living in a foreign country