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## SAFCOL Internships Latest Opportunities (2026 / 2027)

### Description

SAFCOL's Internship Program offers an exciting opportunity for passionate, driven individuals interested in gaining practical experience in the forestry sector. As an Internship Program Participant, you will be exposed to various facets of our operations, allowing you to develop essential skills, knowledge, and hands-on experience in the forestry industry.

### Responsibilities

- **Rotational Learning:** Engage in rotational assignments across different departments such as silviculture, harvesting, environmental management, logistics, finance, and more, to gain a holistic understanding of forestry operations.
- **Project Support:** Collaborate with experienced professionals on real-time projects, contributing fresh perspectives and innovative ideas to address challenges within the industry.
- **Learning and Development:** Participate in workshops, training sessions, and mentorship programs designed to enhance technical skills, leadership qualities, and industry-specific knowledge.
- **Research and Analysis:** Conduct research, data analysis, and reporting on various aspects of forestry management, contributing to the company's sustainable practices.
- **Communication and Collaboration:** Work closely with cross-functional teams, communicating effectively, and fostering a collaborative work environment to achieve common goals.

### Qualifications

- A passion for environmental conservation and sustainable forestry practices.
- Pursuing or recently completed a degree in Forestry, Environmental Science, Natural Resource Management, Business Administration, Finance, or a related field.
- Strong interpersonal skills with the ability to work collaboratively in a team environment.
- Excellent communication skills and proficiency in Microsoft Office Suite.
- Adaptability, eagerness to learn, and a proactive attitude towards problem-solving.
- Ability to commit to the duration of the internship program.

### Job Benefits

- Valuable hands-on experience in the forestry industry.
- Exposure to diverse aspects of forestry operations.
- Mentorship and guidance from industry experts.
- Networking opportunities within the company and the broader forestry sector.

**Hiring organization**  
SAFCOL

**Employment Type**  
Intern

**Duration of employment**  
3 Months

**Industry**  
Paper and Forest Product  
Manufacturing

**Job Location**  
Pretoria, Gauteng, South Africa,  
0001, Pretoria, Gauteng, South  
Africa

**Working Hours**  
09

**Date posted**  
April 30, 2026

**Valid through**  
14.02.2028

- Competitive stipend and potential career growth opportunities based on performance.

## Contacts

1. **Review the Requirements:** Carefully read through the job description and ensure that you meet the stated requirements for the internship position.
2. **Prepare Application Materials:**
  - Update your resume/CV to highlight relevant education, skills, and experiences.
  - Write a compelling cover letter expressing your interest in the internship, outlining why you are a suitable candidate, and how this opportunity aligns with your career goals. Tailor this letter specifically to SAFCOL and the forestry industry.
3. **Gather Academic Transcripts (if required):** Some internship programs may request academic transcripts or proof of enrollment. Make sure to have these documents ready if needed.
4. **Visit SAFCOL's Website or Job Portals:** Check SAFCOL's official website or reputable job portals where the company might post internship opportunities. Alternatively, they might use university career centers or job fairs to advertise openings.
5. **Submit Application Materials:** Follow the instructions provided in the job posting regarding the application submission method. This could include:
  - Uploading your resume/CV, cover letter, and academic transcripts through an online application portal.
  - Sending an email to a specific address provided in the job posting with your application materials attached.
  - Applying through the SAFCOL careers page by filling out an online application form.
6. **Double-Check Application Details:** Before submission, review your application materials to ensure they are error-free, and all required documents are attached as per the application instructions.
7. **Submit Application within the Deadline:** Be mindful of the application deadline and submit your application well in advance to avoid last-minute technical issues or delays.
8. **Follow-Up:** If there's no acknowledgment of your application within a reasonable time frame, consider sending a polite follow-up email to inquire about the status of your application. However, avoid excessive follow-ups that may be perceived as pushy.