

Indigenous Youth Internships with ITEP's Tribes and Climate Change Program

The [Institute for Tribal Environmental Professionals](#) (ITEP) recently received a generous three-year grant from the Bay and Paul Foundations to support the [Tribes and Climate Change Program's](#) (TCCP) work to build climate resilience and capacity within Indigenous communities. Part of this funding will be used to support eight Indigenous climate interns who are current college or university students: two during the academic school year and up to six interns for the summer.

These internships will engage and emphasize intergenerational teachings between elders and youth to pass on cultural teachings, language and traditional ecological knowledges. The academic year interns will work with the TCCP staff to learn about climate-related activities and efforts led by Indigenous communities nationwide through ITEP's existing programmatic activities. Summer cohorts of Indigenous interns will work directly with Tribal and Indigenous host organizations from across the country to work on projects specifically benefiting the Tribal climate resilience efforts.

We invite the collegiate youth to apply for these internship opportunities. For more information and to apply to these internship opportunities, visit our website.