

Internship: Amphibians

The Bavarian Forest National Park Authority is looking for two interns (m/f/d) for the period from **10.02.2025** to **12.05.2025** for research and conservation measures in the field of amphibians. The national park was established in 1970 and covers 240 km² of montane mixed and spruce forests. The amphibian fauna consists of fire salamander, alpine newt and smooth newt, common frog and common toad. We need support for the following tasks:

- Organisation and supervision of the amphibian protection fences (approx. 4 km) along roads in the national park area.
- Data collection at the amphibian fences using an app that is currently being developed and (if you are interested) analysis of the data
- Implementation and supervision of AI-supported, bio-acoustic and environmental DNA-based methods to detect the moor frog in the nationalpark. The presence of moor frogs has been suspected for a long time, but so far there is no evidence.

The tasks require organisational talent, reliability and initiative. Insights into other areas and the functioning of the national park are possible. A personal car is essential due to the distances involved and the hilly terrain.

We offer:

- Payment of 333,- euros per month
- Mileage allowance for using your own car
- Free accommodation

If you are interested, please send a short application to Ms Martina Karl (martina.karl@npv-bw.bayern.de). Dr Christoph Heibl (christoph.heibl@npv-bw.bayern.de, +49 162 4153519) will be happy to answer any questions.