Researcher Positions

The Lewis Center/Institute of Transportation Studies is looking for about 25 graduate or undergraduate students to help conduct a variety of field observations, including: 1) manual counts of cyclists and pedestrians 2) parks usage observations and 3) intercept surveys of cyclists. This data collection will inform three distinct research projects: one on bicycle crash risk, one on parks needs in the low-income community of Cudahy, CA, and the third on the greenhouse gas emissions effects of bicycle lanes and paths. Data collection will take place August - October 2015. Bicycle and pedestrian counts will be collected as part of the 2015 LA Bike and Ped Count and will be submitted to the UCLA Bike Count Data Clearinghouse. This is a great opportunity for students with flexible schedules that would like to explore Los Angeles County. You will be collecting crucial data on active transportation and parks.

Number of Hours/Rate of Pay: Students can expect to work 10-20 hours, most of which will be in the field. This will also include a training session on methodology and protocol for the counts or observations. Rate of pay will be based on the Student Assistant III at roughly $12/hr.

Timeline:
- **Student Training Sessions** - August 2015
- **Data Collection** - September and October 2015

Apply: Please fill out this [form](#) if you are interested in this position. Please contact Diana Benitez (dianalidu@g.ucla.edu) should you have any questions.

Thank you,

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