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JOB DESCRIPTION

Position title: Conservation Intern (Seafood & Sharks)

Reports to: Conservation Resource Manager

Duration: 8 months.

About World Wide Fund for Nature, Singapore (WWF)

WWF Singapore is a Singapore-registered charity, founded by WWF International - the global conservation organization. WWF Singapore works with corporate partners in Singapore for best practices in natural resource management, engages in communications and outreach to raise awareness of critical environmental issues and collaborates with WWF offices in the region to raise funds for important conservation programmes. The WWF Singapore office also provides a hub for regional staff of WWF and supports WWF's operational functions. It works with government, business, other NGOs and the local Singapore community to spearhead efforts to build the region's expertise in planning and managing natural resources wisely.

Major Functions: The Conservation Intern (Seafood & Sharks) will fulfil two main functions:

- Support the sustainable seafood work of the Conservation Department with background research work and stakeholder engagement.
- Further WWF SG's shark fin demand reduction work through research and engagement with corporate engagement.

Major Duties and Responsibilities:

- Conduct research, fact-finding and analysis on Singapore's seafood market to build a comprehensive understanding of the national seafood market and consumption.
- Engage stakeholders in the seafood, fisheries and aquaculture industry as part of the fact-finding.
- Produce reports, presentations and analysis with the research
- Identify opportunities to increase WWF SG's seafood work in Singapore
- Conduct research on shark fin consumption in Singapore
- Engage key stakeholders on sharks fins to drive a reduction in sharks fin consumption in Singapore
- Support advocacy initiatives and campaigns on sharks fin

Required qualifications:

- BA or Diploma in environmental science, fisheries/aquaculture studies or a related field.
 Current students enrolled in related undergraduate or diploma courses are also encouraged to apply.
- Ability to converse in Mandarin and/or Malay or local dialects
- Knowledge and interest in fisheries, aquaculture and marine science preferred
- Previous experience in private and public sector engagement a plus

Qualities needed:

- Driven and self-motivated
- Independent worker who is also able to collaborate in a team

- Persistent and determined
- Good organisational skills

This job description covers the main tasks. Other tasks may be assigned as necessary according to organisational needs.