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Dear Career Advisors, Counselors, and Educators,

You are receiving this email due to your direct line of communication to students who've chosen a course of study that aligns with one or more positions within the Bureau of Land Management (BLM) California.

Although we are currently in a federal hiring freeze, we wanted to make use this time to introduce ourselves, BLMs mission, and some facts.

- Mission: Sustain the health, diversity, and productivity of public lands for the use and enjoyment of present and future generations.
- Nationally oversees around 245 million acres of land, which is just over 10% of the US land mass.
- BLM California oversees 15 million acres of public land within the state, as well as 1.6 million acres in northwest Nevada.
- BLM California also oversees 47 million acres of subsurface mineral estate.
- Manages these lands for multiple uses including recreation, conservation, energy development, livestock grazing, and mineral extraction.

While many of our internships are hosted through partnered youth corps organizations, federal jobs are posted on USAJobs.com. We understand the application process can be intimidating, but it is well worth it as the federal government provides an array of meaningful public service careers. We wanted to share a few resources to help increase familiarization with these opportunities and the application process.

BLM California: [California | Bureau of Land Management \(blm.gov\)](#)

DOI/BLM career paths: <https://careers.doi.gov/resources>

Federal Resume Writing: [Resume Writing \(youtube.com\)](#)

National Interagency Fire Center: [Careers | National Interagency Fire Center \(nifc.gov\)](#)

Federal Internship Finder: [Internships](#)

We hope you share our information with your students. If you have general questions please feel free to reach out to me. Questions about internships, please contact our Volunteer Partner & Youth Program Manager, Leigh Karp (cc'd), at [lkarp@blm.gov](mailto:lkarp@blm.gov).

Respectfully,

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