Howdy ZSA members,

As the Disney movie Mulan once said "Let's get down to business" and that's what this meeting and this email are all about. Now I know that sounds boring but don't stop reading because we have lots of important information including resume information, cover letter help, how to find internships, and the new t-shirt designs and the t-shirt order form.

Before we get into the nitty gritty of things to do to get a hot girl summer internship we must discuss the animal of the week. The animal of the week was the blanket octopus. The name is due to the "blanket" of webbing that connects the dorsal arms of the female octopi. There is extreme sexual size-dimorphism with the females reaching up to 2m in length and the males only up to 2.4cm. They are very rare to find in the wild which is what gives the blanket octopus its advantage over the ZSA E-Board. If we were to find the Blanket Octopus we give it a 4/10 but it gets a 10/10 if we are unable to find it as the only thing greater than toughness is the ability to not be seen.

We covered where to find internships, how to write a cover letter, and how to make a resume/CV today. For reference both power points along with links to helpful websites for internships have all been linked below.

Speaking of opportunities...a scholarship program is available for any individual with a major in the college of natural science who has completed one semester of research with an MSU faculty member. This scholarship program offers 750\$/semester for the 2022-2023 school year and is a great opportunity for both your wallet and your resume. for more information click <u>here</u> and to apply click <u>here</u>. The deadline to apply is February 18th.

Places to check for internships: IBIO Hands on Database FW employment/internship websites database Zoo and Aquarium internships and jobs REUS Resume and Cover Letter Presentation for ZSA 02...

For the next few meetings please bring old old t-shirts as we will be making dog toys out of them for the humane society in a future meeting.

Now the moment you all have been waiting for...(Drumroll please)...THE NEW ZSA T-SHIRTS!!!! Posted below are pictures of the two design options you will be able to purchase.

Spartan S shirt:



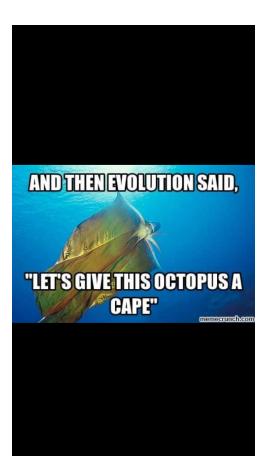
Macaroni penguin shirt:



The T-shirt form is below, please fill it out if you would like to purchase either of the shirts above. This form will help us know how many shirts to order and in what sizes. It is important that you fill out each question on the google form. We will start taking money for t-shirts during next week's meeting.

T-Shirt Sign Up

Meme of the week:



That's all for us folks, have a wonderful week and stay safe!

Love,

Your ZSA E-Board