

Cristian Hernandez



Name: Cristian Hernandez

Hometown: El Paso, Texas

School: New Mexico State University

Major: Wildlife Science

Exp. Graduation Date: May, 2020

About Yourself:

I am an avid outdoorsman, and I greatly enjoy hiking, camping, and wildlife watching. I love animals, and my particular interest is in large mammals. I would love the opportunity to continue my education researching wildlife!

Career Experiences:

- Interned with the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service on a Gunnison's Prairie Dog relocation project at Sevilleta National Wildlife Refuge.
- Interned with the U.S.G.S. in Port Saint Joe, Florida to assist with nesting Loggerhead Sea Turtle beach surveys.
- Assisted with NMSU graduate student project involving elk calf capture and tracking.

Skills:

- ATV proficiency
- 4 wheel-drive vehicle proficiency
- PIT-tagging and ear-tagging proficiency
- Radio telemetry proficiency
- Wild animal capture experience, including prairie dogs, small mammals, sea turtles, and elk.

Accomplishments/ Clubs/ other:

- Natural Resources Career Track Member and Ambassador
- Crimson Scholar
- Dean's List for College of ACES

Plans after Graduation:

I plan to pursue a Master's degree in Wildlife Science after working several more internships and gaining additional experience.