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Hengistbury Head Student Placement Recognised Nationally

As a nationally important reserve for wildlife, archaeology and geology, a placement spent at Hengistbury Head can provide an enriching accompaniment to a university degree in environmental sciences. Having taken on around 60 student placements since 2015, the Ranger team are used to supporting learning and experience.

During 2018, we were moved to nominate one of our student placements in the best intern category at the National Undergraduate Employability Awards.

Whilst she was carrying out her placement with us, Anna excelled in all areas of work, taking on technical report writing which has contributed to our management plan. Anna then extended her placement in order to take on the role of planning and running our educational sessions, successfully managing to produce resources and interesting content for children throughout the entire summer. This was above and beyond the expectations of a short placement and we felt it deserved recognition – and the panel at the NUE awards obviously agreed.

Although narrowly missing out on the top prize, finishing in the top five nationally is an excellent achievement for Anna and a deserved reflection on her abilities and enthusiasm, she will be an asset to whatever workplace she decides to enter.

For more information on student placements at Hengistbury Head, please contact

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