Job Description

Job Title: Botanical Field Technician
Job ID: 10149
Project Name: Pacific Coop Studies Unit
Full/Part Time: Full-Time
Regular/Temporary: Regular

MINIMUM HOURLY PAY RATE: $11.67/Hour.

DUTIES: Assists with collection of data on live and dead fuel loadings, conducts surveys to locate target native species for seed collection, establishes vegetation plots, and monitors fire severity following prescribed burns, wildland fires, and management actions in various locations at Hawaii Volcanoes National Park. Assists with entering data into computer databases and with the preparation of summary reports on the status of Hawaiian plants and native ecosystems. The information generated from this work is pertinent to developing and implementing successful restoration strategies and understanding the dynamics of native Hawaiian ecosystems.

PRIMARY QUALIFICATIONS: EDUCATION: Bachelor's Degree from an accredited four (4) year college or university in Botany, Wildlife Biology, Conservation Biology or in a Biological Science with at least two (2) non-introductory courses in Botany or Ecology. EXPERIENCE: Up to one (0 - 1) year of experience with field botany work. ABIL/KNOW/SKILLS: Working knowledge of the principles of botany and ecology. Ability to work with computers entering data into spreadsheet or database programs, and to use word-processing programs. Must possess a valid driver's license.

PHYSICAL/MEDICAL REQUIREMENTS: Must be able to hike cross country with fifty (50) pound back pack for up to ten (10) miles per a day.

SECONDARY QUALIFICATIONS: Experience surveying plant populations; experience with identification of Hawaiian plants. Experience collecting fuel data and reading Fire Monitoring Plots.

APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS: The preferred method of applying for a job is through our on-line application process. Please go to www.rcuh.com, click on "Employment" and navigate to "Job Announcements/Apply for a Job." However, if you do not have access to the Internet, you may apply by submitting resume; cover letter including Recruitment ID#, referral source, narrative of your qualifications for position and salary history; names, phone numbers and addresses of three supervisory references and copy of degree(s)/transcripts/certificate(s) to qualify for position by fax (808) 956-5022, mail, or hand-deliver to: Director of Human Resources, Research Corporation of the University of Hawaii, 2530 Dole Street, Sakamaki Hall D-100, Honolulu, HI 96822 before the closing date. If you have questions on the application process and/or need assistance, please call (808)956-3100. EEO/AA Employer.

INQUIRIES: Shirlene Iwai 985-6087 (Hawaii).

Please apply before: 04/06/2010