Job Description

Job Title: CCRT Wildlife Biologist

Job ID: 10435

Project Name: PBRC

Full/Part Time: Full-Time

Regular/Temporary: Regular

MINIMUM MONTHLY SALARY: $3,222/Mo.

DUTIES: Serves an important role in assisting in the design and implementation of the Branch's research development, maintenance, and management programs. Provides support to the District Wildlife Biologist for the State Managed Wildlife Areas in a manner consistent with the Division of Forestry and Wildlife's statewide Wildlife program goals and objectives, with primary focus on offshore island restoration. Independently performs the full range of wildlife research, development, and management activities; directs the work of technicians, and non-professional wildlife workers. Assignments consist of diverse, complex technical problems. Develops, implements, and evaluates methods and approaches for problem solving.

PRIMARY QUALIFICATIONS: EDUCATION: Bachelor's Degree from an accredited four (4) year college or university in Wildlife Management or in a related biological science field. EXPERIENCE: Two to four (2-4) years of specialized experience in wildlife biology, management, and conservation biology, including project management experience involving planning, scheduling, internal/external relations, and administration. ABIL/KNOW/SKILLS: Knowledge of principles and practices of wildlife management; techniques used in making field investigations into the life history, habitats and natural requirements of wildlife; field research methods pertaining to the study of wildlife; identification and knowledge of natural history of Hawaiian bird, mammal and plant species; techniques of trapping, banding and releasing birds; and animal census taking. Knowledge of Hawaiian ecosystems and threats from alien species. Must demonstrate competence in design, implementation, and analysis of ecological research, and in the application of biological sciences, natural resource management practices and communication skills. Ability to collect data on wildlife and habitat conditions; conduct bird and mammal surveys; prepare clear and concise reports; handle large wild animals and birds; and work in remote areas. Must possess a valid driver's license. Able to safely operate, use, and maintain various hand tools and simple power tools including, weed eaters, power generators, water pumps, herbicides and pesticides. Able to operate and maintain outboard motorboat and non-motorized watercraft in open-ocean and near-shore environment. Proficient with software for word processing, spreadsheets, GIS, and statistical analysis. PHYSICAL/MEDICAL REQUIREMENTS: Ability to lift and carry 50 pounds. Able to swim through rough, off-shore water conditions including surf breaking on rocks, and land on rocky coastline carrying survey and monitoring gear.

SECONDARY QUALIFICATIONS: Master's Degree from an accredited college or university in Botany, Zoology, Conservation Biology or other relevant biological science. Experience with handling wildlife, familiarity with local, state, and national policy concerning natural resources. Experience composing funding proposals.
INQUIRIES: Jason Misaki 973-9786 (Oahu).

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. Online applications and faxed documents must be submitted/received by the closing date (11:59 P.M. Hawaii Standard Time/RCUH receipt time). Mailed documents must be postmarked by the closing date. Hand-delivered documents must be received by our HR office by 4 P.M. Hawaii Standard Time/RCUH receipt time. If you have questions on the application process and/or need assistance, please call (808)956-3100.

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Please apply before: 08/24/2010