

Job Description

Job Title: Aquatic Invasive Species Research Technician
Job ID: 10709
Project Name: DLNR-Aquatic Resources
Full/Part Time: Full-Time
Regular/Temporary: Regular

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Regular, Full-Time, RCUH Non-Civil Service position with the Division of Aquatic Resources (DAR), Department of Land and Natural Resources (DLNR), located at Anuenue Fisheries Research Center (AFRC) and other operational locations in Hawaii. Continuation of employment is dependent upon program/operational needs, satisfactory work performance, and availability of funds.

MINIMUM MONTHLY SALARY: \$2,024.00/Mon.

DUTIES: Conduct field research on Aquatic Invasive Species (AIS) issues. Work as part of an AIS Response Team. Responsible for fieldwork conducted on AIS activities, including rapid response, eradication, control, mapping, monitoring, and other research. Work with the AIS Research Supervisor, DAR biologists, AIS Coordinator, researchers, and private sector individuals in order to conduct AIS research involving State government, Federal government, University, the Coordinating Groups of Alien Pest Species, the various Island Invasive Species Committees, and other agencies dealing with AIS.

PRIMARY QUALIFICATIONS: **EDUCATION:** Two (2) years of college level coursework at an accredited college or university. **EXPERIENCE:** One to three (1-3) years of scientific research, diving experience, and computer experience. **ABIL/KNOW/SKILLS:** Knowledge of Hawaiian marine life, aquatic invasive species, underwater photography, and small boat operation. Must be SCUBA certified (NAUI, PADI, etc.) and meet the standards established by DAR's diver certification process (which meets the standards set by the Occupational Safety & Health Administration) and hold current certifications in CPR, First Aid, and Emergency Oxygen Administration. Speak and write effectively. Must possess a valid driver's license. **PHYSICAL/MEDICAL REQUIREMENTS:** Must be able to qualify as a DAR Scientific Diver. Must be capable of handling all necessary diving equipment and procedures required in conducting underwater research from shore or small boats.

SECONDARY QUALIFICATIONS: One to three (1-3) years of work experience dealing with the aquatic environment. Knowledge of invertebrate biology and taxonomy. Experience with survey techniques for fish and benthic organisms.

INQUIRIES: Jonathan Blodgett 256-3095 (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 12/11/2010

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