

Job Description

Job Title: CTAHR Forestry Technician
Job ID: 11277
Project Name: CTAHR/NREM
Full/Part Time: Full-Time
Regular/Temporary: Regular

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(2) Regular, Full-Time, RCUH Non-Civil Service position with the College of Tropical Agriculture and Human Resources (CTAHR) Department of Natural Resources and Environmental Management (NREM), located at the Komohana Research and Extension Center in Hilo, Hawaii. Continuation of employment is dependent upon program/operational needs, satisfactory work performance, availability of funds, and compliance with applicable Federal/State laws.

MINIMUM MONTHLY SALARY: \$1,799/Mon.

DUTIES: Assists the Principal Investigator (PI) and cooperators in measuring forest growth in field plots in diverse remote locations in Hawaii, principally on the island of Hawaii. Assists researchers in planting trees, cutting weeds, fertilizing, and establishing field experiments. Takes plant and soil samples in field and processes these samples in the laboratory. Inputs and checks field data and carries out preliminary analysis. Assists researchers in maintaining micro-meteorological stations and downloading data. Supervises volunteers and undergraduate summer interns.

PRIMARY QUALIFICATIONS: EDUCATION: Bachelor's Degree from an accredited four (4) year college or university in Natural Resources, Forestry, Ecology, or a closely related field.

EXPERIENCE: Up to one (0-1) year of experience in forestry related field work.

ABIL/KNOW/SKILLS: Knowledge of using computer spreadsheets. Must possess a valid driver's license and be able to drive a 4-wheel drive vehicle with manual transmission. **PHYSICAL/MEDICAL REQUIREMENTS:** Able to walk at least five (5) miles in remote terrain and carry thirty (30) pounds of gear.

SECONDARY QUALIFICATIONS: Knowledge of Hawaiian flora. Knowledge of basic forest inventory and statistical analysis. Able to use forestry measurement tools such as maps and compasses, diameter tapes, clinometers, and global positioning systems (GPS). Previous experience in volunteer supervision.

INQUIRIES: Dr. James B. Friday 969-8254 (Hawaii).

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 06/10/2011

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