Regular, Full-Time, RCUH Non-Civil Service position with the Pacific Cooperative Studies Unit (PCSU), Division of Forestry and Wildlife (DOF AW) Native Ecosystem Protection and Management (NEPM) Program, based in Pearl City, 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: Conducts a broad spectrum of non-native plant management activities related to the protection and management of native ecosystems on the Island of Oahu. Work involves control and monitoring for a variety of non-native plants throughout the Oahu Natural Area Reserves System as well as other Division of Forestry and Wildlife (DOFAW) managed lands. Performs technical biological fieldwork. Responsible for tracking and reporting field actions on a regular basis. Performs data collection and reporting. Performs maintenance on field equipment, vehicles, and infrastructure. Required to track supplies and equipment inventories and give notification to supervisor when additional items will be required.

PRIMARY QUALIFICATIONS: EDUCATION: Minimum two (2) years of college level coursework at an accredited college or university in a related field. EXPERIENCE: Minimum six (6) months of experience in work related to natural resource management. ABIL/KNOW/SKILLS: Knowledge of native Hawaiian flora and fauna and threats from alien species. Able to use compass, map, and Global Positioning Systems (GPS) hand-held units. Able to input field data into a computer using database and spreadsheet programs. Able to communicate clearly and effectively, both orally and in writing. Must possess a valid driver's license and be able to drive a 4-wheel drive vehicle with manual transmission. Post Offer/Employment Conditions: Must possess the American Red Cross Certification in First Aid/CPR (or be able to obtain the certificate following the training provided within three (3) months of hire). Must be able to complete basic helicopter safety course within six (6) months of hire. Must be able to complete chainsaw safety course within twelve (12) months of hire. Must be able to obtain a State of Hawaii Pesticide certification within twelve (12) months of hire. PHYSICAL/MEDICAL REQUIREMENTS: Able to camp in remote areas and rugged terrain under inclement weather conditions (i.e. heat, rain, cold temperatures, poor footing, etc.) for up to five (5) consecutive days. Able to hike up to ten (10) miles on irregular terrain including cross country travel (without trails) with backpacks weighing up to 50 pounds. Fieldwork may involve elevation changes up to 4,500 feet in a day.

SECONDARY QUALIFICATIONS: Bachelor's Degree from an accredited four (4) year college or university in Biology, Natural Resources Management, Wildlife Management, or Environmental Studies with basic/related biology courses. At least two (2) years of direct non-native plant control experience. Previous experience working in Oahu native ecosystems. Experience working in and around helicopters. Experience in identification of native Hawaiian plants and animals, and non-native plants.

INQUIRIES: Chris Miller 453-6179 (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 02/19/2012