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Field Coordinator, Kauai

The Nature Conservancy seeks qualified applicants for a new Field Coordinator position on the island of Kauai. The Field Coordinator plays an integral role in achieving the Conservancy's mission of protecting Kauai's remaining native Hawaiian forests by controlling and eliminating invasive, alien species. In addition, the Field Coordinator must play a role in developing and maintaining partnerships critical to accomplishing the mission and goals of the Kauai Program.

The Field Coordinator (FC) position requires an enthusiastic, action-oriented person with significant experience in planning, conducting, and supervising natural resources management field operations in potentially hazardous conditions. These operations include surveying, mapping, monitoring, and controlling alien species and their impacts to Kauai's native forests. The FC must be willing and able to camp in remote mountainous areas for up to 5 nights at a time and operate in extremely rugged terrain and adverse weather conditions. Work environment involves exposure to job hazards where there is a high possibility of injury. The FC must be able to organize and plan logistically complex operations and keep track of multiple details. The FC compiles and manages monitoring data with a spatial database and assists the Natural Resources Manager (NRM) with developing resource management plans and reports. The FC assists the NRM with training and supervising volunteers, interns and contractors and building partnerships with other resource management agencies and organizations. Other activities include outreach activities; and vehicle, equipment, and facilities maintenance. With a heavy workload, the FC is expected to manage his/her time well and effectively prioritize day-to-day operations. The FC is expected to communicate and write effectively. Occasional weekend work is required. This position is supervised by the Natural Resources Manager, Kauai Program.

To Apply:
Please send cover letter and resume to jeber@tnc.org by 9:00am HST, July 30, 2004.

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