BOTANICAL DATA SPECIALIST – ID# 22302. Pacific Cooperative Studies Unit. Regular, Full-Time, RCUH Non-Civil Service position located in Kula, Maui. Continuation of employment is dependent upon program/operational needs, satisfactory work performance, and availability of funds. Monthly Salary Range: $2,108.00-$2,635.00  

Duties: Monitors the native ecosystem and controls alien plant invasions using mechanical and chemical means; restores native vegetation. Inputs and summarizes field data for incorporation into Geographic Information System (GIS). Uses GIS to produce map products to evaluate and facilitate fieldwork. Provides computer technical support for field crew. 

Minimum Qualifications: Bachelor’s degree from an accredited four (4) year college or university. Some experience in GIS database maintenance, tech support and trouble shooting for a land management agency. Fieldwork in alien plant control and native plant restoration. Good interpersonal, organizational, communication and computer skills. Knowledge of Hawaiian biota and threats from incipient alien plant and animal invasions in Hawaii. Experience working with control of invasive species in Hawaii or elsewhere. Demonstrated ability to communicate clearly both orally and in writing. Ability to read maps and aerial photographs. Knowledge of basic methods in plant ecology. Good working knowledge of Microsoft Office Suite, Trimble GPS system, and ARCVIEW and ArcInfo software. Must possess a valid driver’s license. Position requires a high attention to detail and extensive periods of time at computer workstations. Fieldwork is often in remote areas with adverse weather and rough terrain. Ability to hike up to 12 miles on irregular terrain with backpack weighing up to 40 pounds.

Inquiries: Lynnette Kinoshita, 956-3932 (Oahu).

Application Requirements: Send cover letter (note ID#) and referral source with narrative on your qualifications for the position, resume with salary history, the names, phone numbers, and addresses of three supervisory references, and copy(ies) of degree(s)/transcripts/certificate(s) used to qualify for position via: 1) email: rcuhhrapply@rcuh.com 2) fax: (808) 956-5022 or 3) mail: Director of Human Resources, Research Corporation of the University of Hawaii, 2530 Dole Street, Sakamaki Hall D-100, Honolulu, HI 96822. See www.rcuh.com for additional information on employment. Closing Date: July 1, 2002. EEO/AA Employer.