

National Council for Air and Stream Improvement, Inc.
Job Description

Position: **Wildlife Biologist I – Small Mammals (1 position)**
Reports to: Katie Moriarty
Work Week: Exempt position; 40+ hours per week to meet work demands
Revised: February 21, 2019
Duty Station: South Cascades OR; South Coast OR; Cascades, WA.
Duration: June 15, 2019 - Oct 15, 2019 (not to exceed 6 months)
Salary: \$ 2,300 - \$ 2,500 per month, commensurate with experience

Essential Job Functions:

1. Conduct small mammal surveys using Sherman, Tomahawk, or Longworth traps. Set, safely handle small mammals, and process data.
2. Set and check remote cameras (e.g., Bushnell Aggressor) in remote locations for small carnivores (Pacific martens).
3. Collect detailed vegetation/habitat measurements and information in multiple study sites.
4. Position will require working outdoors in inclement weather, often in recently harvested forest stands. Must be able to get to and work from several remote locations throughout Oregon, Washington, and California, drive forest roads, read maps, navigate through a forested landscape, and relate well with the public.
5. Gather data using specific protocols, enter in either tablets or Excel.
6. Willingness to have a flexible work schedule and travel between study locations.
7. Possess ability to positively carry-out associated field work that may involve prolonged (multi-day) exposure to inclement conditions and a necessity to hike carrying equipment (20 pounds or more) over rough terrain (for 2 miles or more).
8. Demonstrate an ability to work effectively with others toward meeting the goals of the National Council of Air and Stream Improvement, Inc. "NCASI".
9. Develop a familiarity with NCASI's mission, policies, practices, and procedures.
10. Become acquainted with the environmental issues of the forest products industry.
11. Read, absorb, process, and communicate complex information. Assist the supervisor in responding to technical queries by NCASI clients and others in a competent and timely manner.

Additional Responsibilities:

1. Undertakes additional activities as assigned by Supervisor.

Minimum Qualifications:

1. Senior standing as an undergraduate (>3 years college education and >2 seasons prior field work); or a degree in a biological sciences discipline or related environmental field and knowledge of mammals of the Pacific Northwest.
2. Must have driving record which can be approved by Federal Agencies to drive government vehicles that can be insured at standard rates.

3. Basic data entry experience (Microsoft Excel).

Additional Desired Qualifications:

1. Prior camping experience.
2. Local small mammal identification experience (Oregon or Washington).
3. Experience with remote camera deployments.

To Apply: Please send cover letter, resume, and 3 references with phone numbers and e-mail addresses to: Laurie Clark, NCASI, 8769 Hwy 42, Tenmile, OR 97481, preferably delivered electronically to: lclark@ncasi.org. Applicant review will begin at the end of May 2019 and continue until the position is filled. NCASI is an equal opportunity employer.