VACANCY ANNOUNCEMENT

Title: Fishery Technician III (Fisheries)
Department: Fishery Science
Classification: Full time, regular, non-exempt
Salary Range: $41,893 to $44,685 per year DOQ
Location: Portland, Oregon
Closing Date: March 20, 2020

Job Summary:
The Columbia River Inter-Tribal Fish Commission assists four tribes in the co-management of their treaty rights within the Columbia River Basin. The position offered is associated with the Commission’s Fishery Science Department. This research group is engaged in several investigations of stock composition, identification, and structure, as well as development and evaluation of restoration strategies for Pacific salmonids. Specific areas of research covered under this announcement include the investigation of the length, age and stock composition of salmon and steelhead passing Bonneville dam. The Fishery Technician III will be responsible for collecting a variety of biological data and samples from several fish species under field conditions.

Essential Job Functions:
The employee works closely with the research group in a developing capacity with increased responsibilities performing a range of duties and assignments. The duties for the Fishery Technician III may include, but are not limited to:

1. Fish capture and identification.
2. Collect biological data and execute technical procedures.
3. Operate electronic sampling equipment and computers.
4. Take detailed sampling notes, conduct data entry, and data management.
5. Assist with research activities and report writing.
6. Must have the ability to work in remote field locations and inclement weather.
7. Work from Portland duty station.

Job Requirements / Qualifications:

We seek responsible and dependable individuals with interests in environmental and fisheries sciences who meet the following required qualifications:
• Minimum of four years relevant work experience in environmental and fisheries science. A bachelor’s degree in fisheries or a related field will substitute for work experience.
• Familiarity with biological research and the ability to execute detailed technical procedures.
• Ability to collect and maintain high quality records from field and laboratory work.
• Experience with computer applications.
• Ability to work effectively, positively, and as a team in field, office, and laboratory settings.

**Supervision Received:** This position reports to the Fishery Scientist, John Whiteaker.

**Supervision Given:** This position has no supervisory responsibilities.

**Physical Working Conditions:** This position will require occasional moving of heavy items, up to 50 lbs. Additional or extended working hours may be required occasionally to meet job-related duties and functions. Must be able to work in physical environments requiring the employee to work both inside and outside in heat/cold, wet/humid, and dry/arid conditions.

Must possess a current, valid, state-issued driver’s license and a good driving record.

**CRITFC Motor Vehicle Policy:**
The driver operating a CRITFC vehicle or their own private vehicle for business related purposes shall be in possession of a valid, unrestricted current driver’s license, or other operator’s license, as required by law; and be eligible for coverage under CRITFC’s Motor Vehicle insurance policy. Upon request, CRITFC’s Motor Vehicle policy is available to applicants to review the required criteria.

**Application procedure:**
Hiring preference will be given to qualified enrolled members of federally recognized tribes and Alaska natives, especially to members of the four CRITFC member tribes (Warm Springs, Yakama, Umatilla, and Nez Perce).

**Note: Incomplete applications will not be considered.**

**Please note your interest in working on the adult salmon project.**
Complete applications include a cover letter, CV/resume, a completed job application with signature (electronic/typed signature acceptable), a copy of relevant certifications, and contact information for at least three professional references. The job application form is available on our website [https://www.critfc.org/critfc-employment-opportunities/](https://www.critfc.org/critfc-employment-opportunities/) or by calling 503-238-0667.

**Submit to:**
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