

The Aquatic Ecology Lab at Joseph W. Jones Ecological Research Center is seeking a Research Hourly Worker to assist with field and lab work. The position is a 12 month appointment with the possibility for extension. The position will begin as early as January 12th.

The 28,000-acre Research Center is located approximately 30 miles south of Albany, Georgia. The Center's research, education, and conservation programs focus on ecology and natural resource management. The site includes over 1,000 acres of wetlands, and 26 miles of stream and river ecosystems.

Job Requirement: The successful candidate will be responsible for: 1) the collection of stream physical habitat data (depth and velocity measurements, substrate analyses) and biological samples (periphyton, macroinvertebrates, and fish); 2) the collection and processing of water chemistry samples; 3) data entry and routine statistical and graphical analysis. The individual will also assist in a variety of other field and lab activities as needed.

The successful applicant must be in good physical condition and able to work in very hot, humid conditions and in fast-flowing streams with unstable substrate. Boating and paddling skills are highly desirable.

Qualifications: Qualifications include a Bachelor of Science degree from an accredited university in Biology, Environmental Science, or related field. Exceptional non-degree candidates with documented sampling experience in streams or other waterbodies may also be considered. Applicants must have U. S. citizenship.

Wages: \$9.50 per hour with on site housing provided, or \$11.00 per hour without on site housing. No benefits package is available.

To apply, please send a resume including contact information of at least three references and a letter of application detailing your interest and qualifications by email to: jobs@jonesctr.org (Subject line) Aquatic Ecology Hourly Researcher. Information may also be mailed to: Joseph W. Jones Ecological Research Center, Attn: Cindy Craft, 3988 Jones Center Drive, Newton, Ga 39870, or FAXED to (229)734-4707. Please contact Paul McCormick for specific questions related to this position at pmccormick@jonesctr.org. Review of applications will begin immediately and continue until the position is filled. The Joseph W. Jones Ecological Research Center is an equal opportunity employer.