Waterfowl Banding Technicians
Arkansas Forest Resources Center
University of Arkansas Division of Agriculture

Agency: University of Arkansas at Monticello
Duration: Approximately 2/8/2021 - 3/15/2021
Compensation: $1,600/month. Housing and field transportation provided.
Last date to apply: 1/8/2021

POSITION: The Arkansas Forest Resources Center at the University of Arkansas at Monticello is seeking 3-5 highly motivated seasonal technicians to assist with winter waterfowl banding in Arkansas and Mississippi. Primary responsibilities will include deploying and monitoring game cameras, installing wire traps, placing bait, capturing and banding waterfowl, and managing field data.

Technicians will be provided with housing near the field site, and the necessary equipment. Most work will occur at night in flooded timber; therefore, applicants must be willing to work an unconventional schedule, be physically able to carry heavy equipment while in waders, and work extended hours in adverse weather conditions.

REQUIRED QUALIFICATIONS: Applicants should possess a B.S. in biology, ecology, natural resource management, or a related field, or be working towards completing a degree. Successful applicants will have a positive attitude, excellent interpersonal skills, and a strong work ethic. A valid driver’s license is required.

PREFERRED QUALIFICATIONS: Previous experience capturing and banding waterfowl is desired. Experience operating ATVs and UTVs is also beneficial.

APPLICATION: Please submit a cover letter, resume, and three references in a single document to Katharine Cody at kn Cody@uark.edu. Applications will be reviewed as they are received.

CONTACT: For questions or more information, please contact Katharine Cody at kn Cody@uark.edu.