Ketchikan Misty Fjords Ranger District Tongass National Forest, Ketchikan, AK 907-225-2148



Summer Season Temporary Employment Opportunities 2021 Outreach Notice

### THIS IS A PRE-ANNOUNCEMENT OUTREACH NOTICE

#### Vacancies expected to OPEN November 16. 2020 and CLOSE November 27. 2020 on www.usajobs.gov

Desired start date for all positions is April/May 2021. Positions require travel to remote areas of the forest by vehicle, foot, boat or plane with subsequent working & camping in remote areas for 8 to 10 consecutive days. Positions designated as <u>firearm carrying</u> require a negative result drug test PRIOR to employment and a follow-up background check.

## **FORESTRY TECHNICIAN**: Positions in support of the Tongass National Forest District Recreation program (Trails, Cabins and Developed Recreation); Contact –Denise Wolvin at 907-228-4134 or <u>denise.wolvin@usda.gov</u>

**Description**: Duties <u>may</u> include maintenance, cleaning and patrolling of established recreation sites, facilities and campgrounds; trail construction, reconstruction, brushing, clearing & general trail maintenance; building and/or maintaining public use cabins and work.

### GS-0462-05 Forestry Tech (Trails) GS-0462-05 Forestry Tech (Recreation) GS-0462-05 Forestry Tech (Wilderness)

<u>FORESTRY TECHNICIAN (Timber)</u>: Position in support of the Tongass National Forest District Timber Program; Contact—Brock Martin 907-228-4119 or <u>brock.martin@usda.gov</u>

**Description:** Work assignments include assisting District Foresters with timber sale unit preparation, logging road design, and timber volume estimation. Selected applicants will utilize forest mensuration equipment, GPS technology, and analytical software programs to determine logging systems feasibility, assist with developing unit boundaries, and cruise timber.

GS-0462-05 Forestry Tech (Timber Stand Improvement) GS-0462-05 Forestry Tech (Sales Prep) GS-0462-04 Forestry Tech (Sales Prep)

# **BIOLOGICAL SCIENCE TECHNICIAN (Fisheries & Wildlife)**: Positions in support of the Tongass National Forest District Fish & Wildlife program; Contact – Jon Hyde 907-228-4137 or jon.hyde@usda.gov

**Description:** Work assignments include assisting District Biologists with field surveys such as: fish surveys, stream mapping, goshawk surveys, rare plant surveys, and habitat surveys. Selected applicants will utilize GPS technology, and analytical software programs map streams, fish barriers, nests, rare plant populations, invasive plants, and other relevant habitat features. Applicants must be physically able to hike through rugged and uneven terrain for extended periods of time and work in prolonged periods of adverse weather conditions common to Southeast Alaska on a daily basis.

GS-0404-05 Bio Sci Tech (Fish) GS-0404-05 Bio Sci Tech (Wildlife) Note: You can find Office of Personnel Management Qualification Standards for the noted positions above, at the following web site:

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