

University of Wisconsin-Stevens Point

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Position Title
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Seasonal Field Technician - Temporary

Wildlife Technician (90660)

Position Information

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Work Location: Stevens Point, WI

Supervisor: Kennedy-Grohne Chair in Waterfowl and Wetlands Conservation

Pay Schedule-range: \$12.00/hour

University Staff Information

<u>Shift</u>: Will vary based on need during the wood duck breeding season (March-August); must be able to work long shifts (i.e. 12-14 hours)

Department

College of Natural Resources

Department Description

The Wildlife Discipline is in the College of Natural Resources at the University of Wisconsin-Stevens Point (www.uwsp.edu/cnr/). The College of Natural Resources has approximately 1600 undergraduates, 40 graduate students, and over 130 faculty and staff. The Wildlife Discipline is currently home to the Wisconsin Center for Wildlife. The College supports premier undergraduate natural resources programs with disciplines in Fisheries and Water Resources, Forestry, Human Dimensions of Natural Resource Management, Soil and Waste Resources, Wildlife Ecology, and the Department of Paper Science and Chemical Engineering.

University Description

Through the discovery and dissemination of knowledge, UW-Stevens Point stimulates intellectual growth, provides a liberal education, and prepares students for a diverse sustainable word. The university is committed to creating a safe, inclusive learning community for all faculty and staff from a variety of backgrounds.

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Position Summary

This grant-funded, seasonal, wildlife technician will assist with a wood duck telemetry project near Stevens Point, WI. Successful candidates will assist in capturing female wood ducks and fitting transmitters to estimate breeding season vital rates. Field duties will include, but are not limited to: deploying and monitoring decoy traps, handling and banding waterfowl, fitting transmitters, tracking using radio telemetry and sighting and re-sighting broods. Other duties will include recording and managing data, data entry, contacting landowners, driving university vehicles, and interaction with state wildlife biologists and working with a team of graduate and undergraduate students.

Required Qualifications

- Course work in or completed B.S. degree in wildlife science, natural resources, or a related field
- -Ability to work in adverse conditions such as cold temperatures, snow and ice, difficult terrain insects, walking miles in waders, irritating plants, etc.
- -Strong work ethic
- -Interpersonal skills
- -Ability to work independently and with a partner or group for long hours



- Previous field experience identifying wetland dependent birds and wetland plants

- Previous field experience working in wetlands and/or working long shifts

- Previous field experience with ATVs

-A satisfactory driving record as defined by <u>UW-Stevens Point Transportation Services policy 6.1-6.3</u>

Preferred Qualifications

As defined by Policy 6.1-6.3, an unsatisfactory record includes, but is not limited to three or more moving violations and/or at-fault accidents in the past two years, an Operation While Intoxicated (OWI)/Driving Under the Influence (DUI) citation within 12 months, or suspension or revocation of driver's license.

How To Apply

Please be sure to complete all required fields and include all required documents before submitting your application. To return to a draft application, click on the "My Activities" link at the top of the screen after logging in. Once you click on Submit Application, you will not be able to edit or attach any application materials. After submitting the application, you will receive an Application Confirmation email from the application system.

Anticipated Appointment Date

March 15, 2018

Terms of Employment

This is a seasonal, temporary, University Staff Temporary Employee position, non-exempt from the Fair Labor Standards Act. This is a grant-funded position.

Deadline

To ensure consideration, completed online applications must be received by end of day on February 1, 2018. However, screening may continue until the needs of the recruitment are met.

Required Materials

Files must be complete to be considered. Submission in PDF format is preferred for all attachments. Please include the following documents:

- Cover letter addressing qualifications and experience
- Resume
- Contact information for three professional references

For additional information regarding the position, please call or email:

Jacob Straub

Position Contact

Chair, Search and Screen Committee

Email: jacob.straub@uwsp.edu

Phone: 715-346-3323

Human Resources Contact If you have any questions regarding the application process, need special arrangements, or if you submitted your application with missing materials, please call or email:

Anna Golackson

Email: human.resources@uwsp.edu

Phone: 715-346-2606

Special Notes

The University of Wisconsin-Stevens Point is an equal opportunity employer. All qualified applicants will receive consideration for employment without regard to race, religion, color, national origin, sex, sexual orientation, gender identity, age, status as a protected veteran, or status as a qualified individual with a disability. UW-Stevens Point values diversity and inclusion as supported by our mission, "Through the discovery, dissemination and application of knowledge, UW-Stevens Point fosters intellectual growth, provides a broad-based education, models community engagement and prepares students for success in a diverse and sustainable world."



Individuals with disabilities who need a reasonable accommodation during the application or interview process should contact Human Resources and Affirmative Action at 715-346-2606 or hr@uwsp.edu.

The safety and success of students, faculty, and staff at the University of Wisconsin-Stevens Point is paramount. The Jeanne Clery Disclosure of Campus Security Policy and Campus Crime Statistics Act requires the distribution of an annual security report to all current and prospective students, faculty, and staff. You may obtain the complete report at http://www.uwsp.edu/dos/Pages/Annual-Security-Report.aspx

The University of Wisconsin-Stevens Point will not reveal the identities of applicants who request confidentiality in writing, except the identity of the successful candidate will be released. See Wis. Stat. sec. 19.36(7).

An offer of employment will require a criminal background check and authorization to work within the United States as required by the Immigration Reform and Control Act of 1986.