

**MSU EXTENSION
COMMUNITY, FOOD, AND
ENVIRONMENT INSTITUTE****Position Information****Position Title**

Extension Educator

Salary

Commensurate with education and experience

Benefits

Comprehensive benefits package:
<https://www.hr.msu.edu/benefits/index.html>

Location

Roscommon County, MI

To Apply**Current MSU Employees:**

Access the EBS portal. Under the My Career and Training section, select the Careers @ MSU tile to view Internal Job Postings.

External Applicants:

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Posting Number:
693538

Application Deadline:
3/31/2021

Contact for Questions

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Aquatic Invasive Species Prevention Educator**Position Overview**

As part of MSU Extension (MSUE) and the Community, Food and Environment Institute (CFEI), this position provides leadership and educational expertise in aquatic invasive species (AIS) prevention. This position will have statewide responsibilities and will collaborate across work teams, Institutes and community groups, working with faculty, specialists and educators for overall advancement of the needs of the Institute clientele.

In this position, you will identify, design, implement and evaluate research-based educational programs that meet current and projected outreach needs related to the prevention of AIS introduction and spread, particularly through recreational boating and fishing activities and aquarium and water garden hobbies. You will support CFEI's efforts in diversity, equity, and inclusion (DEI), with a special emphasis on reaching diverse populations. Through collaboration in research, engagement with community members, and dissemination of research through various methods, including in-person and multimedia programming and written communications, you will explore and implement programs that lead to public knowledge, attitudes, and behaviors that prevent AIS introduction and spread. Your work will include close collaboration with colleagues at MSU and MSUE, as well as the diverse network of partner groups that include the Michigan Department of Environment, Great Lakes, and Energy (EGLE), the Michigan Department of Natural Resources (MDNR), Cooperative Invasive Species Management Areas (CISMAs) and lake associations. Diversity, equity, and inclusion (DEI) are essential elements vital to the culture MSU Extension endeavors to cultivate.

Although negotiable, there will be space available for this position to work from the Roscommon County MSUE office.

Minimum Qualifications (see full description for complete list of requirements)

- Master's degree in a field of study related to aquatic ecology, fisheries management, science communication, or related field.

Application Process

To view the full position description and required qualifications, please visit the applicable Michigan State University careers page (internal or external candidate) as noted under the To Apply section. **Search for posting number 693538 using the Job Search field.**

Applicants are asked to provide a current resume, cover letter and four (4) professional references (at least two prior supervisors) including email addresses.

Application deadline is March 31, 2021.

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