

ECOLOGIST/Data Analyst, GS-0408-07/09, RENO, NV (#ASD04-RMRSRENO-0065DT)

A temporary, ecologist/data analyst position is available with the USDA Forest Service, Rocky Mountain Research Station located in Reno, Nevada. This professional level position provides support for scientists with the Great Basin Ecosystem Management Project (4655) and Ecology, Paleoecology and Restoration Work Unit (4252). These projects seek to increase understanding of the effects of long-term climate change processes and more recent natural and anthropogenic disturbances on ecological processes within Great Basin watersheds and riparian areas, and to use this understanding to devise effective restoration and management techniques. The individual in this position will collect field data associated with various interdisciplinary research projects, compile and summarize data in tabular, graphic, spatial or narrative form using spreadsheets, graphic programs, and GIS programs, conduct statistical analyses using a variety of parametric and nonparametric statistical methods, and assist in preparing reports and manuscripts. Knowledge required includes methods used in the fields of plant ecology and restoration ecology, computer programs for graphing, compiling, and summarizing data, including Excel and Sigmaplot, methods of statistical analysis, and analytical programs including SAS. Apply by April 8, 2004 at: <https://www.avuedigitalservices.com/usfs/applicant.html>. For additional information contact Paulette Benally (pbenally@fs.fed.us; 775-784-5329)

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