

# NR 220 TA's WANTED

## SUMMER 2021

### NR 220 Natural Resources Ecology & Measurements

### \$2,100 per month

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| <b>DATES:</b> Session 1: | May 17 – June 13 (teaching online)                                                     |
| Session 2:               | June 14 – July 11 (teaching online)                                                    |
| Section 3:               | July 12 – August 8 (week-long trips to the Mountain Campus and restoration activities) |

**DUTIES:** Assist in all aspects of online course, e.g., teach, grade papers and exams, conduct study sessions, etc. During the last session we are likely to have a series of week-long restoration activities (with students) at the Mountain Campus. These activities will require care for equipment, driving vans, physical work. Overall, some days can be long; duties on some weekends.

**QUALIFICATIONS:** Preference given to graduate, or upper-level undergraduate, students at Colorado State University in the Warner College of Natural Resources who have completed NR 220, or know the material. Desirable qualifications include:

- knowledge of field sampling methods (forestry, fish/wildlife, range, watershed, human dimensions);
- plant/animal identification skills;
- experience with computers, software (e.g., Office, GIS), working in an online environment;
- experience with compasses, maps, and GPS;
- excellent written and verbal English communication skills;
- able to perform field work at elevations up to 11,500 feet above sea level;
- a valid driver's license;
- first-aid training;
- enthusiasm for teaching and learning.

We do not expect applicants to have all of these qualifications, but applicants should be able to learn faster than most undergraduates. In your application letter please comment on your qualifications for the job and identify which sessions you could work. Applicants that can work all sessions or only the first month (i.e., session 1) will be preferred. Being able to attend a few organization meetings prior to summer would be desirable as well.

**SALARY & BENEFITS:** Gross wages of \$2,100 for 4 weeks (i.e., a session); housing and meals will be provided if at the Mountain Campus; diverse teaching experience with enthusiastic colleagues.

#### **TO APPLY:**

- Submit (1) an application letter describing your qualifications (listed above) for the job and your availability for any combination of the sessions and (2) your resume including contact information for two references to the following address: <https://col.st/DTZCP>
- For full consideration, please have your application submitted **by 5:00 pm, February 17, 2021.**

**PLEASE NOTE:** Due to the nature of this job, you will not have time to do research, write a thesis, or commute frequently to town when at the Mountain Campus.

#### **QUESTIONS?**

Please contact: Dr. Paul Doherty (NR 220 Academic Director), Department of Fish, Wildlife, and Conservation Biology, Campus Delivery 1474, Fort Collins CO 80523-1474, Phone: (970) 491-6597, email: [paul.doherty@colostate.edu](mailto:paul.doherty@colostate.edu)  
Also, see the NR 220 website <https://warnercnr.colostate.edu/csu-mountain-campus/>

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