



New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection

Notice of Vacancy - Hourly

Title: Research Scientist

Posting Number: CIER-2023-3H

Open to: General Public

Work Week: Approximately 20-25 hours per week (maximum 900 hours per fiscal year)

Hourly Rate: \$25.00 to \$30.00 per hour (commensurate with experience and qualifications)

Opening Date: 9/12/20223

Closing Date: 9/26/2023

Existing Vacancies: One (1)

Program/Location

Department of Environmental Protection
Community Investment & Economic Revitalization
Office of Economic Analysis
401 East State Street
Trenton, NJ 08625

Scope of Eligibility: Open to applicants who meet the requirements below.

Description: Under the direction of a Research Scientist 1 or other supervisory official in a state department, institution, or agency conducts or participates in research projects or developed programs in a specified professional field; does other related work.

Specific to the Position: Under supervision of the Chief Economist or other supervisor, assists in performing analysis in the areas of environmental and natural resource management, energy and climate policy, and regulatory impact. Performs comprehensive literature searches related to natural capital and ecosystem services. Conducts research and assists in the development of models, as needed, relating to valuing natural capital. Assists in the development of economic analysis reports to inform Department policy decisions.

Requirements

Education: Graduation from an accredited college or university with a Master's degree in a discipline appropriate to the position.

NOTE: All U.S. degrees and transcripts must be from an accredited college or university. All foreign degrees and transcripts must be evaluated for accreditation by a recognized evaluation service by the closing date of this posting. Failure to provide documentation may result in ineligibility.

Experience: Two (2) years of experience in a field appropriate to the position.

NOTE: A Doctorate in a discipline appropriate to the position may be substituted for two (2) years of experience indicated above.

License: Appointees will be required to possess a driver's license valid in New Jersey only if the operation of a vehicle, rather than employee mobility, is necessary to perform the essential duties of the position.

Residency: All persons newly hired on or after September 1, 2011 have one year from the date of employment to establish, and then maintain principal residence in the State of New Jersey subject to the provisions of N.J.S.A. 52:14-7 (L.2011, Chapter 70), also known as the "New Jersey First Act".

Authorization to Work: Selected candidates must be authorized to work in the United States per the Department of Homeland Security, United States Citizenship and Immigration Services regulations. **Note:** The State of New Jersey does not provide sponsorship for citizenship to the United States.

Veteran's Preference: To qualify for New Jersey Veteran's Preference/status, you must establish Veteran's Preference through the Department of Military and Veterans' Affairs. Please submit proof of your Veteran's Preference along with your resume as indicated below. For more information, please visit

<https://www.nj.gov/military/veterans/services/civil-service-preference/>

Submit Letter of Interest, Resume, Unofficial Transcripts (if college degree is required), and the [Personal Relationship Disclosure Statement](#) by 4:00 p.m. on the closing date to:

Talent Acquisition Team

Division of Human Resources

E-mail Address: DEP-HR-CIER.Resumes@dep.nj.gov

Please include the title and posting # of this Notice of Vacancy in the subject line of your e-mail.

SAME applicants: If you are applying under the NJ SAME program, your supporting documents (Schedule A or B letter) must be submitted along with your resume by the closing date indicated above. For more information on the SAME program, please visit <https://nj.gov/csc/same/overview/index.shtml>, email SAME@csc.nj.gov, or call CSC at (833) 691-0404.

Posting Authorized By:

Phiroza Stoneback, Manager

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The New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection is an Equal Opportunity Employer and is committed to inclusive hiring and a diverse workforce. We strongly encourage people from all backgrounds to apply. Accommodations under ADA will be provided upon request.