



Calling
all those
interested in
**amphibians &
mountains**

The U.S. Forest Service is looking for wildlife technicians to join the Sierra Nevada Amphibian Monitoring Program's summer field team. Work includes up to 8-day backpacking trips to remote, high-elevation (5,000 - 12,000 ft) habitats to survey lakes, streams, and meadows for amphibians, including Yosemite toads and mountain yellow-legged frogs.

We are seeking applicants interested in herpetology who are in good physical condition and willing to endure high altitudes, temperature extremes, rough terrain, heavy backpacks, and the occasional mosquito (ok, maybe thousands). Experience backpacking and conducting amphibian surveys is desired. Ability to get along with crew members for prolonged periods in the backcountry is a must.

Position: The U.S. Forest Service, Biological Science Technician

Season: Approx. June through August 2024

Grade: GS - 4, 5, and 6 positions (\$16 - \$20)
Plus \$45-\$65 per diem for each field day

Location: Home Office is Sonora, CA, and field work spans NINE National Forests in CA's Sierra Nevada Mountain Range

Schedule: 8, 10-hr days, with 6-day weekends

Gear: Project will supply much camping gear

Housing: Likely available with cost TBD



To Apply:

Application Open: 10/25/23 through 11/8/23

-Go to USAjobs.gov

-Search the "keywords" box for the following job announcement numbers:

GS-4: 24-TEMP3-R5-0023-4DT-MG

GS-5: 24-TEMP3-R5-0021-5DT-EW

GS-6: 24-TEMP3-R5-0019-6DT-MM

(Applicants can apply to all grades they are interested in)

-Select "Sonora,CA" when prompted to select a location

-In addition to applying online, send cover letter and resume to cathy.brown@usda.gov with 'Sierra Amphibian Job' in subject line.

