

UNIVERSITY OF MONTANA O'Connor Center for the Rocky Mountain West JOB ANNOUNCEMENT

The University of Montana (UM) O'Connor Center for the Rocky Mountain West is currently hiring **Crew Leads, Botanists, and Technicians** to work on ecological monitoring crews. Multiple positions are available working on riparian & wetland, lotic (streams), and terrestrial monitoring projects.

Work Details & Environment

- Collect data on public land using established, long-term inventory and monitoring protocols
- Full time seasonal employment **April/May - August/September**
 - Dates vary by project
- Eight 10-hour days, six days off; primitive car camping in isolated regions during the hitch
- Hikes may be 8 or more miles a day with elevation gains of up to 2000 feet. All projects require carrying packs weighing up to 40lbs
- Applicants should have experience or education in: plant identification; soils; data collection; and/or range, wetland, or stream science
- Some outdoor experience is preferred



Position Details

Positions Available

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| • Crew Lead | \$20 – 22/hr |
| • Riparian Botanist | \$20 – 22/hr |
| • Monitoring Technician | \$18 – 19/hr |

All positions include (tax-free):

- \$268 meal per diem per 8-day hitch
- \$600 worth of field/camping equipment (kept by employee upon completion of season)

Benefits include Worker's Compensation coverage, paid holidays, and accrual of sick leave

Base Locations:

- **Montana** - Missoula, Helena, Bozeman, Billings
- **Idaho** - Boise, Pocatello
- **Wyoming** - Cody, Lander, Pinedale, Kemmerer
- **Nevada** - Carson City, Elko, Las Vegas, Ely



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