



Citizen Science Coordinator
Office of Education
\$12-15/hr, DOE
15-20 hours per week Oct 2019-March 2020

We seek an educator to help bring citizen science to the Reno-Sparks and Tahoe region through the Stories in the Snow program. The individual will help to grow citizen science in Nevada and make a broader impact of science research through:

- Educating the public on Stories in the Snow citizen science methods and science behind the project
- Attending public outreach events and grow Stories in the Snow participation
- Assembling Stories in the Snow kits and help maintain inventory
- Distributing kits
- Other similar tasks as needed

The position will require a dynamic approach to growing citizen science in a fast-paced environment. In addition to a background in science education, the characteristics that will set this individual up for success are:

- Good time management skills and ability to prioritize
- Interest in educating diverse members of the community about science
- Reliable and accountable, with a clear communication style

This position is based at the DRI campus in Reno, NV and will report to the Education Project Manager. This is an hourly position that will start in Oct 2019 and will end in March 2020. Flexibility in schedule will be required due to weekend or evening work and travel.

Required Qualifications

- Undergraduate or graduate level coursework in Science Education, Environmental Science, or a related interdisciplinary field
- Basic experience working in science or education fields
- Experience in coordinating outreach programs

Preferred Qualifications

- Bachelor's degree in Science Education, Environmental Science, or a related interdisciplinary field
- 2-3 years' experience working in science or education fields
- Experience leading successful outreach programs
- Experience growing and developing science education or science communication programs

Conditions of Employment

Regional travel will be required. The schedule will require flexibility during the work week and weekends. Many weekends and evenings will be required. Valid drivers' license required. Ability to lift 50 lbs.

Compensation/Benefits

Salary is competitive and commensurate with qualifications. This position does not qualify for benefits.

Required Attachments

Please upload the following documents in the specified section:

- Cover letter detailing how your experience and qualifications prepare you for this job.
- Current resume
- Contact information for three professional references, to be contacted at the appropriate phase of the recruitment process based on applicant permission.

Apply by following this link:

https://nshe.wd1.myworkdayjobs.com/en-US/DRI-External/job/DRI---Reno-NV/Citizen-Science-Coordinator_R0118599

This posting is open until filled. Qualified individuals who meet all qualifications and requirements are encouraged to apply immediately and provide all required attachments to receive full consideration. Recruitment will close without notice when a sufficient number of applications are received, or a hiring decision has been made.

For more detailed information about DRI, please visit us at www.dri.edu. For questions regarding this position or assistance with your application, please call the recruiting office at 775-673-7319.

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