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ANNOUNCEMENT

THE RESEARCH CORPORATION OF THE UNIVERSITY OF GUAM SOLICITS APPLICATIONS TO ESTABLISH A LIST OF ELIGIBLES FOR THE FOLLOWING LIMITED TERM APPOINTMENT, 100% FEDERALLY FUNDED PART-TIME POSITION (SUBJECT TO THE AVAILABILITY OF FUNDS):

Position Title

Extension Associate I

JOB # RC-20-46

(Sea Grant - Guam Green Growth G3 Project Coordinator – UN SDGs)

Application Deadline: 11:59 p.m. on July 10, 2020 (Chamorro Standard Time/UTC+10)

Email RCUOG application, cover letter, resume and transcripts to rcuoghr@triton.uog.edu or submit documents to the RCUOG office located at Dean Circle, House #24, UOG Campus. The RCUOG application can be downloaded from <https://www.uog.edu/rcuog/employment-application> and can be submitted digitally along with supporting documents.

Salary

Grade J, Step 1 \$14.94 – Step 3 \$16.09 per hour

Part-Time Employee, up to 39 hours per week.

Benefits:

Part-Time: Social Security, Medical and Dental Insurance.

The position will begin on July 27, 2020 and ends on July 26, 2021 based on availability of funds with possibility of extension should additional funds become available.

Location:

UOG Dean's Circle, Sea Grant Office, House #25, University of Guam, Mangilao, Guam

Description:

The University of Guam is at the global forefront of leadership in island sustainability. UOG recently launched the Guam Green Growth (G3) Initiative to develop solutions to sustainability challenges and contribute to a green economy for the island region. Governor Lourdes Leon Guerrero signed Executive Order 2019-23, designating CIS as the coordinator of the G3 Working Group to bring academic, government, private sector,

and non-profit partners together to transition Guam toward a sustainable future. The G3 Initiative develops sustainability solutions and contributes to a green economy for the island. Guam, through G3, participates as a founding member of the Local2030 Islands Network to advance the 17 United Nations Sustainable Development Goals in locally and culturally effective ways.

The G3 Initiative at the University of Guam seeks a qualified individual to perform a series of project-related coordination tasks. Duties include providing support to the G3 team at CIS and the implementation and management of projects that advance U.N. Sustainable Development Goals 1) No Poverty 2) Zero Hunger, through activities such as community gardens and social services for at-risk and houseless community members. The Extension Associate I/G3 Project Coordinator should ensure successful coordination of effective, high-impact program activities.

Minimum Qualifications:

- Bachelor's degree in Agriculture or Social Work;
- Must possess a valid Driver's License;

Minimum Knowledge, Abilities, and Skills:

- Familiarity with basic planting methods and principles;
- Demonstrated ability to work cooperatively with others and communicate effectively both orally and in writing;
- Excellent time management skills and the ability to prioritize work;
- Attention to detail and problem-solving skills;
- Proficiency in MS Office Suite and Microsoft Teams;
- Working knowledge of office equipment, such as printer, scanner, and copier machines;

Preferred Qualifications:

- Two (2) years of experience in agriculture and/or social work activities;
- Knowledgeable about social work practices;
- Knowledgeable about food security strategies, agriculture, farming, botany, community gardens and/or watershed science;
- Experience in implementing community engagement strategies;
- Ability to develop relationships and manage partnerships;
- Ability to interact effectively with diverse groups including K-12 and college students, general public, farmers, local government and federal agencies, municipal offices, non-profit and environmental advocacy organizations;
- Ability to compile information and resources necessary to plan, coordinate, and execute activities that support G3 project goals;
- Experience working with low-income and at risk communities;
- Ability to interact effectively with diverse groups including the general public, entrepreneurs and business owners, industry leaders, government officials, non-profit and environmental advocacy organizations, universities, and state and federal agencies.

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- Ability to work independently with minimal supervision, establish work priorities, manage time effectively, and take initiative in pursuing activities that further project goals;
- Willingness to work outside regular business hours, including some nights and weekends, and travel as necessary to advance program efforts;

Character of Duties:

- Develop and implement G3 activities to advance UN SDGs 1) No Poverty 2) Zero Hunger 15) Life on Land;
- Engage at-risk community members, including homeless and/or impoverished residents in food security activities and facilitate social services as necessary;
- Establish and maintain community gardens together with volunteers and/or target stakeholders;
- Create and maintain relationships with stakeholders connected to project sites, municipal offices, social services agencies and non-profits;
- Conduct educational outreach on sustainability and food security;
- Help ensure the viability and sustainability of project activities through community engagement and securing of partners, resources, and funding;
- Collect data and maintain accurate files on community engagement and project activities;
- Prepare quarterly reports to submit to CIS Director;
- All other duties as assigned;

Police and Court Clearance:

Pursuant to Public Law No. 28-24 and Executive Order No. 2005-34, applicants selected for a position are required to provide original police and court (Superior Court of Guam) clearances of no more than three (3) months old prior to commencement of employment. Off-island applicants must obtain clearances from their place of residence. Applicants are responsible for fees associated with obtaining the clearances.

Selected Candidate must provide official transcripts prior to hire date.

Work Eligibility:

- Submission of completed job applications authorizes the Research Corporation of the University of Guam to seek and obtain information regarding the applicant's suitability for employment. All factors which are job related may be investigated (i.e., previous employment, educational credentials, and criminal records).
- All information obtained may be used to determine the applicant's eligibility for employment in accordance with equal employment opportunity guidelines. In addition, the applicant releases previous employers and job-related sources from legal liability for the information provided.
- Should an applicant be convicted of any crimes other than a minor traffic violation, all applicable information must be provided in the form of a police clearance report and court clearance report. Failure to admit any felony convictions may result in immediate disqualification or disciplinary action.

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- Federal law requires presentation of eligibility to work in the United States within seventy-two (72) hours of reporting for employment. Specifically, 8 USC 1324A requires the employer to verify the identity and eligibility to work in the United States of all newly hired employees. The Research Corporation of the University of Guam is required to comply with this law on a non-discriminatory basis. If you are hired to fill a position with the Research Corporation of the University of Guam, you will be required to present valid documents to comply with this law.

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