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### ANNOUNCEMENT

December 21, 2023

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 FULL-TIME POSITION (SUBJECT TO THE AVAILABILITY OF FUNDS):

# **Position Title**

**Project Associate (CNAS – WPTRC)** 

(JOB # RC-24-23)

Application Deadline: 11:59 p.m. on December 28, 2023 (Chamorro Standard Time/UTC + 10)

# **Application Process:**

- 1. Applicants must complete the RCUOG online job application at UOG's online employment portal at <a href="https://uog.peopleadmin.com/">https://uog.peopleadmin.com/</a> or
- 2. Submit hardcopy documents to the RCUOG office located in House #24, Dean Circle, UOG Campus to apply.

For further questions, please email rcuoghr@triton.uog.edu

### Salary

Grade M, Step 1, \$23.91 – Step 4, \$26.73 per hour Temporary, Full-Time, 40 hours per week

# Benefits:

Full-Time: Social Security, Medical and Dental Insurance, 4 hours annual leave and 4 hours sick leave per pay period, holiday pay, up to 3% 403(b) match based upon employee contribution of 3%.

### **Minimum Qualifications:**

- Bachelor's degree in Business or Public Administration or related field from a U.S. regionally accredited institution or foreign equivalent;
- Five (5) years of work experience related to the position;

# Minimum Knowledge, Skills, and Abilities:

- Experience in building and nurturing excellent interdepartmental relationships, liaise well with colleagues, and execute work together;
- Familiarity with United States Department of Agriculture (USDA) CarbOn Management Efficient Tool (COMET);
- Ability to communicate effectively, orally and in writing;
- Ability to manage time efficiently and ability to prioritize work;
- Ability to work flexible hours, including weekends and evenings, as needed;

### **Character of Duties:**

- Assist with executing the marketing strategy for the climate-smart commodities;
- Assist with supervising research assistants under the Principal Investigator (PI);
- Be responsible for quarterly reports and annual reports;
- Create an application form and rubric for the farmers' incentive program;
- Liaise with the Research Corporation of the University of Guam (RCUOG) and the farmers/producers;
- Liaise with Washington State University to ensure data is updated and maintained;
- Prepare purchase requisitions, purchase orders, travel authorizations, direct payment memos, receiving reports, and bill payments for services, contracts, and subscriptions;
- Prepare travel arrangements, budget accounting, and projections;
- Organize an annual workshop showcasing the climate commodities, cost-benefits, financial data, greenhouse gases (GHG) emissions, and project science in conjunction with the annual Center for Island Sustainability Conference;
- Supervise administrative and communication support staff to ensure that deliverables are done in a timely manner;
- Update the official Climate Smart Commodities USDA dashboard and USDA Comet;
- Perform 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.

# 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.
- Section 25103, Chapter 25, Title 10 of the Guam Code Annotated requires college or university employees to undergo a physical examination, to include a test for tuberculosis (skin or x-ray), prior to employment and at least annually thereafter. A report of such examination must be conducted by a licensed physician within a state or territory of the United States and must be submitted upon request.
- 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.

The Research Corporation of the University of Guam complies with Public Law 24-109 in reference to the provisions and requirements of the Americans with Disabilities Act. Assistance in EEO/ ADA matters and inquiries concerning the application of Title IX and its implementing regulations may be referred to the University's Director, EEO and Title IX/ ADA Coordinator, located at the EEO/ ADA and Title IX Office, Dorm II, Iya Hami Hall, Room 104, Telephone No. (671) 735-2244; TTY (671) 735-2243; or to the Office of Civil Rights (OCR).