

RES Field Assistant for Plastic Surveys

The RES is looking for a part-time field assistant to help with marine debris surveys in Barkley and Clayoquot Sound.

- Are you looking to make a positive contribution and develop some field research skills?
- Are you considering or studying for a career in science or environmental monitoring?

Schedule: Paid position, apx. 25 hours per month on a somewhat flexible schedule. Funding is secured for at least 12 months with potential for an extension.

Wage: Starting wage \$18/hr, commensurate with experience

Application

Deadline: Applications will be considered as they are received.

Job Description/Responsibilities:

- conducting and assisting with standardized debris surveys along beaches and shorelines throughout Barkley and Clayoquot Sound, as well as some data entry
- after training and familiarization, approximately half of the work will be self-directed at your own pace, on your own schedule
- the remainder will consist of boat-based surveys working with a team leader

An ideal candidate will have/be:

- general background in science (this is an asset but not a requirement)
- familiar with our area of operations in Barkley and Clayoquot Sounds
- familiarity working in small boats on the water (an asset, not a requirement)
- attention to detail and a willingness to work in inclement weather a must
- due to the nature and schedule of the work, priority will be given to applicants who reside in the region

Certifications:

- any level of first aid an asset
- valid driver's license and/or reliable transportation required

How to Apply:

Please send a cover letter and resume to mark@raincoasteducation.org with 'yourname_Field Assistant' in the subject line.

Thank you and we look forward to hearing from you!