

<b>Job Title:</b>	Field Botanist	<b>Job Category:</b>	Temporary
<b>Department/Group:</b>	Environmental Institute of Houston/ University of Houston-Clear Lake		
<b>Location:</b>	Houston, TX	<b>Travel Required:</b>	Yes
<b>Salary Range (Min):</b>	\$ 3,000/month	<b>Position Type:</b>	Full time
<b>Salary Range (Max):</b>	\$ 3,500/month	<b>Date posted:</b>	January 19, 2015
<b>Position Period:</b>	May 16, 2016 - September 30, 2016	<b>Posting Expires:</b>	March 1, 2015
<b>Who May Apply</b>	U.S. Citizens and Nationals		
<b>Applications Accepted By:</b>			
<b>E-MAIL:</b> <a href="mailto:EIH@UHCL.EDU">EIH@UHCL.EDU</a> <b>Subject Line:</b> Field Botanist Position Application <b>Attention:</b> Jenny Oakley <b>Include:</b> Cover letter, resume, and 3 references		<b>Mail:</b> EIH/UHCL Attn: Jenny Oakley 2700 Bay Area Blvd, Box 540 Houston, TX 77058	
<b>Job Description</b>			
<p><b>ROLE AND RESPONSIBILITIES</b></p> <p>EIH is seeking a full-time field botanist for seasonal employment to assist with the National Wetland Condition Assessment in Texas. This individual must demonstrate strong wetland botanical taxonomic field experience that will complement existing staff, and be able to travel and perform primarily field-based work in harsh environments in the Texas summer heat. A successful candidate will act as the taxonomic expert for wetland vegetation surveys, be comfortable leading small groups of junior staff, be able to follow strict and detailed procedures, and organize and voucher specimens according to project specific field operation protocols.</p> <p><b>QUALIFICATIONS AND EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Bachelor's Degree in Ecology, Biology, Botany or related field</li> <li>• 4+ years relevant professional work experience (as a wetland ecologist, botanist, or related position)</li> <li>• Work experience should include substantial skill with wetland plant identification</li> <li>• Proficiency using dichotomous keys and plant presses</li> <li>• Ability to work as part of a team, and in harsh environments requiring at times strenuous physical activity</li> </ul> <p><b>PREFERRED SKILLS</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Master's Degree</li> <li>• Wetland delineation experience</li> <li>• Taxonomic expertise in freshwater plants of Texas</li> </ul> <p><b>ADDITIONAL NOTES:</b> All applicants must pass a criminal background and motor vehicle background check prior to hiring. This is not a benefits eligible position.</p>			