BACKGROUND AND OVERVIEW

Since 1967, Northeastern University’s Marine Science Center (MSC) has generated outstanding teaching and research in the marine sciences. The MSC’s Outreach Program reached almost 10,000 people in 2016 through various programs and events, and has traditionally focused on serving youth and the local community in eastern Massachusetts.

ESSENTIAL RESPONSIBILITIES AND TERM

This position reports to the Outreach Instructor, and is responsible for delivery of marine science outreach programs with high school youth in field and classroom settings. The program runs weekdays from August 14-25, and the Instructor will also be expected to participate in two pre- and post-program coordinating meetings.

QUALIFICATIONS

- Bachelors degree required (Masters preferred) in marine biology, environmental science, science education, or related field
- At least six years experience leading youth in field-based marine science/ecology studies, preferably in New England
- Experience mentoring students through development and presentation of a research project
- Ability to comfortably lead groups on foot over uneven and slippery shores
- Ability to lift and move 30-40 lb. buckets of seawater
- Willingness to drive University vehicles (eligible drivers must possess a valid US drivers license, be 21 years old, and have a clean driving record for the past 3 years)
- First Aid and CPR certification preferred, or willingness to become certified

CONTACT INFORMATION

Apply ASAP! The position will be open until filled. Please send a letter of interest, resume, and contact info for three references to:

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