





## Seasonal Freshwater Mussel Research Technicians Needed

**Position Description:** Technicians (2) will assist a MU PhD student, Missouri Department of Conservation staff, and National Park Service staff with aquatic freshwater mussel conservation research. Surveys will occur in the Current River and Jacks Fork River within the Ozark National Scenic Riverways located in southeast Missouri. Overnight travel will be required (hotel accommodations, meal per diem, and transportation will be provided). Motorized and non-motorized watercraft will be used to access survey sites. Position based in Columbia, Missouri.

**Pay, Hours and Position Duration:** \$15/hr, 40hrs/week, late May – mid August 2023. Housing <u>not</u> provided.







**Required Qualifications:** Strong swimming abilities (surveys will be conducted primarily by snorkeling), good attitude and strong work ethic, ability to work well with a group to achieve a common goal, comfortable working outdoors in water and on boats for extended periods of time. Must have a B.S. degree in a fisheries, biology or related field, **or** a B.S. degree in-progress.

**To Apply:** Submit a resume, letter of interest, contact information for 3 professional references, and unofficial transcripts to Ava Laszlo by e-mail (<a href="mailto:amlny8@umsystem.edu">amlny8@umsystem.edu</a>) with 'Summer 2023 Technician' as the e-mail subject. Contact Ava with questions about position details. Priority review will be given to applicants that apply by February 24, 2023.