

### American SamoaCommunity College Agriculture Community & Natural Resources Division IN-HOUSE EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY

Position Title:Forestry Technician IIEmployment Status:Full Time 12 months (Career Service)

#### **General Description:**

Assist with the implementation of the Forestry Programs goals, objectives, and essential functions.

### **Responsibilities and Duties:**

- Assist with inventory activities and surveying of forests
- Assist with forestry extension projects such as costal tree planting, tree pruning, and agroforestry activities
- Assemble all equipment and tools for forest inventory, forest stand, and forest control projects
- Assist with construction and maintenance duties necessary for present and future Forestry Program needs
- Assist with educational instruction and outreach activities
- Attend appropriate training opportunities in the Pacific Region
- Be capable of hiking long distances, carrying at tools and supplies that are 25+ lbs
- Maintain existing Forestry plots and plantations within ACNR and outside Forestry project sites
- Assist with Forestry Program major events and activities
- Assist with ACNR Extension major events and activities
- Have the skills to use numerous forestry instruments, tools, electronic devices, and field data recorders. Wear special safety clothing when necessary.
- Be physically fit for hiking often steep forest terrain and climbing over downed trees while carrying forestry instruments
- Clean and repair existing trails or construct new trails. Perform tasks such as gathering data on disease and insect damage to trees as well was and soil quality, under the supervision of the Forestry Program Manager
- Work as a team with other Forestry Staff and other Land Grant programs based on the mission and goals of the Division
- Perform other duties as assigned by the Extension Forestry Manager

# Minimum Qualifications:

- High School diploma
- Three (3) to five (5) years of experience
- Knowledge of humid tropical natural resource management
- Knowledge of American Samoan tree and vegetarian species
- Familiarity with Samoan culture
- Good oral and written communication skills in Samoan and English)

# **Preferred Qualifications:**

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- Associate's degree
- Three (3) to five (5) years of experience

Salary Range: GS 10/12-16: \$17,567.00 - \$20,167.00 per annum

Application Deadline: October 29, 2021 no later than 4:00pm

Applications are available from American Samoa Community College, Human Resources Office 699-9155 Ext. 456/466/460, <u>http://www.amsamoa.edu/employmentopportunities.html</u> or by emailing <u>ascchumanresources@amsamoa.edu</u>.

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