

**BIRD BANDER** needed (**early August to mid-September 2008**) for a master's research project examining occurrence and productivity of Neotropical migrant birds in relation to early-successional broadleaf management of conifer plantations. Fieldwork will be in the Coast Mountains of **north-western Oregon**. Responsibilities include mist-netting and banding a variety of bird species, collecting blood and feather samples, vegetation surveys, insect sampling, hiking in steep, shrubby terrain, early mornings, and data entry. Preferred applicants will have prior field experience banding and/or removing birds from mist-nets.

Pay is \$8.92/hr (\$1550/mo for 40 hours/week) plus paid overtime. Dormitory housing on campus of Oregon State University and transportation to and from field sites is provided. Work and play in the **Corvallis** area, where there are many nearby opportunities for exceptional valley, montane, and coastal recreation.

**TO APPLY:** Please email questions or apply with letter of interest, resume, and contact information for 3 references to TANA ELLIS (EM: tana.ellis AT oregonstate.edu). Candidates will be hired as applications are received.

**VEGETATION SURVEYORS** needed (**early August thru September 2008**) for a master's research project examining occurrence and productivity of Neotropical migrant birds in relation to early-successional broadleaf management of conifer plantations. Fieldwork will be in the Coast Mountains of **north-western Oregon**. Responsibilities include simple quantification of vegetative structure at bird nests and banding locations. Includes training in local flora and fauna, data collection methods and tools, GPS, Access databases, and opportunities to participate in bird banding and insect collecting operations.

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