

2010 State of the Salmon Conference – Volunteer Positions Available

Reports to: Conference Manager and Volunteer Coordinator

Position Summary

The State of the Salmon Conference will take place May 4-7, 2010 at the “Green Seal Certified” Hilton Hotel in downtown Portland, Oregon. Volunteers will assist conference staff with a variety of tasks to ensure a professional and enjoyable experience for all conference participants. This part-time, temporary position is unpaid. Learn more at: www.stateofthesalmon.org.

Volunteer Tasks Include

- Assistance with conference set-up
- Assistance with registration for conference and reception
- Coordination of conference equipment
- Timekeeping
- Meeting room set-up
- Organization of Poster Session
- Running microphones
- Note taking
- General assistance/go-fering, as needed

Qualifications

Interested individuals should be:

- Available for at least two (2) 4-hour volunteer shifts during the conference
- Reliable, communicative and able to multi-task and take direction
- Interested in the ecological interactions between wild and hatchery salmon
- Able to go-with-the-flow and have a great sense of humor
- Available May 4-7th, 2010 in Portland, Oregon

Wild Salmon Center Will Provide

- Waived conference registration
- Breakfast and lunch during the conference
- The opportunity to meet and greet renowned salmon scientists
- A professional, rewarding and memorable experience
- Our ever-lasting appreciation

*Please note that we can **not** cover volunteer travel/lodging expenses, but we may be able to assist you with finding a friendly couch on which to sleep.*

Time Commitment

Attendance at pre-conference volunteer training and completion of at least two (2) 4-hour shifts during the conference.

To Apply

Send a cover letter expressing your interest and availability to the State of the Salmon Conference’s Volunteer Coordinator, Katherine Luscher: luscherkat@gmail.com.