

## Southern Southeast Regional Aquaculture Association, Inc. (SSRAA)



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The Southern Southeast Regional Aquaculture Association (SSRAA) has an opening for a **seasonal fisheries technician** based in Ketchikan, Alaska, with travel to other southeast Alaska communities, including Prince of Wales Island and Neets Bay Hatchery.

This position will focus on the collection of biological data from Chinook, coho, and chum salmon at the local fish processing plants and assisting with the coded wire tagging process at two SSRAA hatcheries. Tasks involved include but are not limited to: the extraction of otoliths, the collection of sex and weight samples, accurately recording data for individual sample sets, following appropriate lab protocol for processing otoliths, fin clipping juvenile Chinook and coho salmon, and operating a Mark IV tag machine.

Applicants must be at least 18 years of age and have a valid driver's license and reliable transportation. The ideal candidate would be self-motivated, interested in fisheries, detail oriented, have good communication skills, be proficient in salmon identification, willing to work in inclement conditions, and must be able to lift 40 pounds. Experience working in fisheries is preferred, but not necessary. Proof of vaccination against COVID-19 is required.

This position will run approximately June 12<sup>th</sup> to November 21<sup>st</sup>. Starting pay is \$17.97/hr *or greater* DOE. This position is full time and requires a flexible schedule, with some evening, weekend, and on-call work required. Housing and transportation in Ketchikan may be provided if necessary. SSRAA is an equal opportunity employer. Applicants may direct questions, request an application, and/or submit a completed application, including three references, and CV physically or electronically to the address provided below. More information about the organization and an application can be found on our website, [www.ssraa.org](http://www.ssraa.org). Please submit application and CV by March 27<sup>th</sup>.

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