**SUMMER 2020 FIELD TECHNICIAN – GLACIER NATIONAL PARK, MT**

**Job Description:**
We seek technician assistance to support an intensive field investigation of grizzly bear use of army cutworm moth aggregations in trans-boundary Glacier National Park’s high alpine environments. Technicians will be paired with one or more teammates at all times to conduct habitat plots, measure moth abundance, record bear sign, collect field samples & make field observations. Work will occur in high-elevation, steep-angled remote terrain that is subject to dynamic weather. The technician must have schedule flexibility. Work will be focused during tranquil weather periods. Lieu time will be irregular. The technician must be able to:

- Hike long distances on/off trail, gaining 2500-5000 feet before getting to field sites
- Bushwhack for extended periods of time
- Alpine bivouac camp on uneven terrain using Leave-No-Trace principles
- Stay adequately hydrated & nourished by taking advantage of water-snow sources when encountered & carrying sufficient food rations
- Fly in a helicopter w/out being discomforted & willing to be transported in one
- Maintain a safe work environment by adequately managing risks associated with climbing in Glacier National Park. This includes navigating snow hazards, scrambling up class II to IV climbing routes only, being comfortable working/camping in proximity to grizzly bears, understanding weather patterns, anticipating ominous weather shifts, packing mandatory safety gear, & carrying proper clothing
- Smile during difficult times, show kindness toward others, act professionally, exhibit maturity, & represent Washington State University to the best of his/her abilities

**Timeline:**
June 29th to mid-September. End dates of early September or late September also possible. Please specify availability date range in application

**Pay Rate:**
$1,080-1,200 paid every two-weeks (DOE) + shared housing & food

**To Apply:**
Email one PDF (3 pgs max) along with 2-4 references of your choice to the project contact, with the subject line **GLAC Tech 2020 Application.** Competitive applicants may be provided with supplemental questions to respond to. Applications will be reviewed as they are received.

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