



**RECRUITMENT NOTICE
STATE OF MISSISSIPPI**

**MISSISSIPPI DEPARTMENT OF MARINE RESOURCES
1141 Bayview Avenue
Biloxi, MS 39530
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July 13, 2018

The Mississippi Department of Marine Resources is recruiting for the job title described below. **ALL** applications for this position must be filled out online at the Mississippi State Personnel Board's Career Center located at www.mspb.ms.gov under the Job Seekers tab. Please enter the state job title as it appears below in the Job Title section. Resumes are not a substitution for completing a job application. The Mississippi Department of Marine Resources does not have the authority to fill this position above the below listed annual starting salary.

WORKING TITLE:	Shrimp & Crab Scientist III
STATE JOB TITLE:	DMR-Marine Fisheries Scientist III
ANNUAL STARTING SALARY:	\$33,938.33
OFFICE/BUREAU:	Marine Fisheries/Shrimp & Crab Bureau
LOCATION:	Harrison County/Biloxi, Mississippi
RECRUITMENT DATES:	July 13 – July 24, 2018

ESSENTIAL FUNCTIONS: This position involves in the planning and execution of monitoring and research projects for the Shrimp and Crab Bureau of the Mississippi Department of Marine Resources (MDMR). Duties will include: shrimp and crab sampling, data management, reviewing, writing, and processing of MDMR special projects, monitoring of Mississippi's inter-jurisdictional fisheries, opening and closing of the annual Mississippi shrimp season, coordination of U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service (USFWS) Sport Fish Restoration (SFR) projects in Mississippi's marine waters and adjacent Gulf of Mexico, writing grant applications and tidelands proposals for the continued research and effective management of Mississippi's marine fisheries, and the development and implementation of marine fisheries management recommendations and regulatory changes.

EXPERIENCE/EDUCATIONAL REQUIREMENTS:

Experience:

One (1) year experience as a DMR-Marine Fisheries Scientist II.

OR

A Master's Degree from an accredited four-year college or university in Marine Biology, Biology, Fisheries Biology, Biological Science, Marine Ecology, Ichthyology, or a related field;

AND

Experience:

One (1) year experience related to the described duties.

OR

Education:

A Bachelor's Degree from an accredited four-year college or university in Marine Biology, Biology, Fisheries Biology, Biological Science, Marine Ecology, Ichthyology, or a related field;

AND

Experience:

Two (2) years' experience related to the described duties.

Substitution Statement:

Above graduation from a standard four-year college or university, related education and related experience may be substituted on an equal basis.

Required Document:

Possession of a valid MS Driver's License or Driver's License from a contiguous state. The hiring agency will verify Driver's License.

The Mississippi Department of Marine Resources is an equal opportunity employer and will fill positions without regard to race, religion, color, national origin, sex, age, marital status or disability.