



Mid-level GIS/Remote Sensing Analyst – Orlando, FL

Applied Ecology, Inc., a small environmental consulting business with rapidly expanding footprint, is seeking a highly motivated and energetic GIS Analyst with proven experience to join our growing team. AEI has three offices located in Florida and is a regional leader in geospatial services, water resources, ecological and natural resources, and environmental remediation and contamination services. We are an ESRI Silver Business Partner, providing our employees with access to the newest tools and platforms, as we and an abundance of training and certification opportunities. This position could potentially be a hybrid remote/field/office position for the right candidate, based out of our Orlando office location.

As a small business, we are involved in diverse, yet challenging environmental projects, providing a great setting for a motivated individual to learn from a highly qualified team of scientists and engineers, while making a clear impact in our environment. This position is ideal for someone who enjoys a diversity of project types, ranging from geospatial application development to remote sensing applications.

Candidate should have a minimum of 4 years of progressive experience. This position is responsible for coordinating and performing work related to any geospatial project, including managing the workload, scheduling additional field or office support and monitoring the quality of work products. The ideal candidate should have advanced geospatial analyses skills, including expertise in topology, geodatabase design and implementation, web mapping, and imagery processing from a variety of platforms. Preference provided to those that can create innovative solutions, define project requirements, and have solid experience in the acquisition and processing of UAV remote sensing products.

Interested applicants, please **submit a cover letter and resume addressed to Dr. Claudia Listopad, President.**

Position Description: Responsibilities & Duties

- Serves as a working task manager for high-level and complex projects related to geospatial projects or GIS support tasks for water resources, ecological, or environmental remediation services.
- Leads the technical implementation of remote sensing projects, including those that include atmospheric calibration, spectral library development, and supervised and unsupervised classification

- Performs complex statistical data analysis using ArcGIS and related extensions/add-ons, relational databases, and other computer software (MS Access, SQL, R, CAD, statistical software, etc.); understands and applies the capabilities of GIS, databases, and other computer programs to solve, present, and display complex spatial and relational data/problems; prepares documents, data reports, and maps.
- Implements geoprocessing tools in batch, including leveraging Python for toolset development.
- Serves as a key contact for assessment of GIS and Remote Sensing projects and programs; develops and reviews grants, applications, and scopes of work for GIS-related elements and projects.
- Provides recommendations for project personnel, hardware, software, data, budget, and scheduling; reviews and assesses technical work of junior staff involved in GIS related projects or programs.
- Reviews and quality assures project deliverables, which include monthly, quarterly reports, geodatabases, web applications, user guides, and other technical submittals.
- Ensures that accurate and complete metadata are developed for all data sets created by GIS staff and that metadata is distributed with data when requested by outside agencies and entities.
- Performs other duties as may be required or assigned.

Minimum Required Qualifications

- Bachelor's degree from a regionally or nationally accredited institution in Geography, GIS, Urban Planning, Environmental Science, Computer Science, or a closely related field.
- Minimum of four years of experience using ESRI suite of GIS software including ArcGIS Desktop, ArcGIS Pro and related extensions, ArcGIS Enterprise, and relational databases.
- Minimum 1 year of ENVI or ERDAS or other remote sensing software
- Minimum of two years processing imagery, preferentially multi- and hyperspectral imagery and LIDAR
- Candidate must have solid technical writing skills and effective communication skills.
- Candidate must be accountable for their productivity and actions.
- Candidate must be a critical thinker and problem solver
- US citizenship (due to federal contract requirements)

Desired Qualifications

- Remote Pilot Certificate and UAV experience
- Graduate degree in related fields
- AutoCAD drafting experience for environmental/water resources projects
- GIS Professional Certificate (GISP) or ASPRS certification
- Experience with satellite imagery processing, specifically Sentinel
- Experience with hyperspectral imagery processing
- GIS experience in water resource management, ecological applications, water utilities infrastructure

- Experience with spatial data management, spatial analysis technologies, process design and modeling, server and web GIS technologies.
- Experience in water resources modeling (groundwater, hydraulic, hydrodynamic, etc.)
- Experience in project management and/or supervisory role

Knowledge, Skills, and Abilities (KSAs)

- Expert level knowledge of the ESRI suite of GIS products, including ArcGIS Desktop, ArcGIS Pro, ArcGIS Server, and ArcGIS Online, Python, Model Builder, and ArcGIS Enterprise. Familiarity with a variety of the field's concepts, practices, and procedures, and other mapping solutions or current equivalent.
- Ability to use and quickly become proficient in ERDAS Imagine or ENVI for imagery processing
- Proficiency with Microsoft Office Suite including Microsoft Access database development.
- Ability to analyze processes and develop/implement programs and applications.
- Ability to organize work, establish priorities, meet deadlines, and follow up on assignments with minimum direction.
- Ability to review reports created by team staff and follow through to completed product.
- Ability to research and interpret codes, regulations, standards, legal descriptions, and various governmental documents.
- Must be detail-oriented and take pride in delivering high quality work.
- Skilled in the conversion of spatial data into digitized formats utilizing current GIS technologies.
- Skilled in researching, compiling, summarizing, and interpreting data and information materials.
- Ability to exhibit a professional, courteous demeanor.
- Ability to work in a diverse environment and as a team player.
- Excellent communication and interpersonal skills, including the ability to establish and maintain positive working relationships with those encountered in the course of work using principles of excellent customer service.

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