

CALLING ALL BIRD NERDS

The Applied Population Ecology Lab at the University of Nevada, Reno is currently seeking applications for a temporary bird acoustic position. This position is one part of a larger project monitoring wildlife communities in response to pinyon-juniper woodland removals in the Northern Great Basin. More information on the overall project goals can be found here: <http://www.daniellecmiles.com/a-researcher.html>



Job Description

- The main role of this position is to use passively recorded sound files from varying habitats to identify calls to species level in order to describe habitat associations across years, region, and management type of sites
- 14 week research position (May-August 2019, flexible start and end dates)
 - \$13/hr * 30 hrs/week

Responsibilities

- Use RavenPro to identify bird songs to species
- 5 overnight trips to remote locations to complete point-count surveys in sagebrush and pinyon-juniper habitats

Qualifications

- **Ability to identify Northern Great Basin bird species by call in recordings and in the field**
- Ability to work independently and on the computer for long durations
- Ability to problem solve without supervision and find online resources to aid in species identification
- Ability to oversee volunteer interns and update them on progress before the start of Fall semester

To Apply

- Email Daniellecmiles@Nevada.unr.edu with your resume highlighting your experience with bird identification and point-count surveys by Friday **April 12th**
- Successful applicants will participate in a two part interview session to demonstrate their knowledge of northern Nevada bird songs in the middle of April and decisions will be made by **May 1**

