

## **Rocky Mountain Wildlife Instructor at RMBL For summer college program 2024**

The Rocky Mountain Biological Laboratory in Gothic, CO, USA, is hiring an instructor to teach the Rocky Mountain Wildlife course in the summer of 2024. The field based short course teaches students to identify, survey, and study the characteristic vertebrates of the region. The course is designed around field trips and guided wildlife field studies (often joined by an agency or RMBL scientist). It enrolls 8-14 students and meets the equivalent of 2 days/week over 4 weeks (~June 13-July 11, 2024). All students at RMBL are concurrently conducting independent research projects under the guidance of a scientist mentor. Instructors may also mentor undergraduate students if they have an approved RMBL research project. Compensation is \$2500-\$3000 for teaching the course, depending upon experience, and includes the waiver of station fees for 35 days and 1 meal/day in the dining hall. Instructors who mentor students receive additional compensation. Instructors are responsible for paying for housing, either onsite or in the neighboring community. Pets are not allowed at RMBL. This position is appropriate for advanced graduate students, post-docs, and faculty, with priority given to scientists considering or implementing a RMBL research project integrating undergraduate research. Applicants should send: a cover letter that includes information on knowledge and experience with Rocky Mountain wildlife teaching and undergraduate mentoring and a CV with contact information for two references to: Rosemary Smith ([rsmith@rmbll.org](mailto:rsmith@rmbll.org)). Review of applications will begin October 16, 2023 and position will be open until filled.

The Rocky Mountain Biological Laboratory advances the scientific understanding of nature that promotes informed stewardship of the Earth. The Lab provides scientists and students access to diverse habitats, research and education infrastructure, a collaborative and internationally recognized scientific community, and a broad base of knowledge about the ecology of mountain environments. A deeply understood place and supportive research community make it ideal for training the next generation of field scientists.

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