

OKSIR is Hiring!

Field Staff - Urban Full-time - Seasonal Position Penticton, BC

Resumes Due Immediately Starting before May

About Us:

We are an environmentally-friendly control Program for one of the biggest pests of apple and pear trees—the codling moth. Since the Program started more than 20 years ago, the amount of pesticides used in the valley against codling moth has dropped by 96%. Our Program breeds and sterilizes codling moths at our state-of-the-art facility in Osoyoos, and we release them into orchards where they mate with wild moths to prevent the population from reproducing. Our Program also provides trapping and monitoring, education, and enforcement services for the growers.

We require many seasonal employees throughout the valley to help us deliver our services. Our Program offers a chance to make a difference for our farmers and our environment. Seasonal positions are perfect for people who want the flexibility to make some money while enjoying the region's summer offerings before they start winter work, go back to school or head south for warmer climates.

About You:

You are physically fit, prefer to work outside, and have a valid Class 5 Driver's licence. You have an eye for detail that will be helpful in identifying codling moth host trees in a residential setting and inspecting fruit for damage. You are able to communicate clearly and tactfully with homeowners, and accurately document all site inspection activities. You can follow instructions and work independently.

Current Position Available:

Field Staff – Full-time - Seasonal

All are outside positions. 5 days on and 2 days off. Hours of work are from 8:00 to 4:00 – 7 ½ hours/day, with ½ hour unpaid lunch. Wages \$12/hour.

If this sounds like a good fit for you, please submit your resume to <u>sirinfo@oksir.org</u>. For more information on these positions or our program, please check our website: www.oksir.org, or call 1-800-363-6684.