

## **Assistant Director of the MAT in Biology/MA in Zoology Programs and Instructor**

Miami University's Department of Zoology invites applications for an assistant director to work with faculty, staff, students, and external partners to manage groundbreaking graduate programs in the environmental and life sciences. The Global Field Program brings together formal educators, scientists, and community leaders at vital conservation sites in Africa, Asia, Australia, and the Americas. The Advanced Inquiry Program focuses on local community engagement in major U.S. cities. Both programs are supported by a consortium of premier zoos, aquariums, and science museums. The Master of Arts in Teaching (MAT) and Master of Arts (MA) programs are overseen by Project Dragonfly in the Department of Zoology. Project Dragonfly is an education reform initiative that reaches millions of people worldwide each year through learning media, public exhibits, university courses, and graduate degree programs.

We seek an assistant director who can oversee the daily operations of expanding national and global graduate programs while working with some of the top conservationists and educators in the world. The successful candidate will demonstrate a capacity to lead effective community-based conservation and education programs through collaboration with a range of partners, including field researchers, teachers, non-profit professionals, and indigenous communities. Responsibilities include direction and development of program faculty, field course instruction, implementation of new learning technologies, curriculum development, research, program assessment, and academic advising.

Required: Ph.D. in relevant area. Desired: Experience in inquiry-driven professional and curriculum development for formal or informal educators. Submit cover letter or application, vita, and three letters of recommendation to: Dr. Chris Myers, Department of Zoology, 212 Pearson Hall, Miami University, Oxford, OH 45056. Screening of applications has begun and will continue until the position is filled.

Inquiries can be directed to 513-529-8575 or [bercawj@muohio.edu](mailto:bercawj@muohio.edu)

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