



Join the SageSTEP Team!

5-6 Field Technicians Needed This Summer

SageSTEP is a long-term, multi-disciplinary, multi-institution, collaborative experiment assessing the effects of fuel reduction treatments on sagebrush ecosystems across the northern floristic Great Basin. This year our USU-based field crew will be responsible for monitoring vegetation, measuring fuels, and collecting soil samples at sites ranging across western Utah, southern Idaho, and northern Nevada.

Put your education to practice and learn new skills!

Field experience and knowledge of Great Basin plants and soils is desired, but not required – we can train you.

More important characteristics are: having a good attitude in the face of sometimes extreme weather conditions, an ability to work well as part of a productive team, being organized, and being dedicated to high-quality work.

We won't "sugar coat" it. This is a demanding job, but it can be very satisfying. We provide you with extensive experience in vegetation monitoring and fuels measurements and exposure to basic soil sampling procedures – plus a chance to travel to and work in remote wild spaces in the Great Basin.

You must be able to travel extensively throughout the summer. While some sites are relatively close to Logan and will involve 4 consecutive, 10-hour work days (3 days off), most sites are remote and will require 8 consecutive, 10-hour days (6 days off), camping and cooking on site.

Must be able to work long days in summer conditions. Must be able to walk over rough terrain carrying sampling equipment, some of which is heavy. Must be able to start and end each field week in Logan, Utah.

Pay:

\$11.50/hr plus per diem in the field

Application:

Submit a Cover Letter and Resume on Aggie Handshake

(**Job #1270303/SageSTEP Field Technician**):

<https://usu.joinhandshake.com>.

Applications must be submitted by **February 16** for consideration.

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See www.sagestep.org for more information.