
Research Technicians-Herpetology

The Jones Center at Ichauway invites applications for two temporary Herpetology Field Researchers. **Positions will start February 2, 2026 and end October 9, 2026.** There is some flexibility in start and end dates. **On-site housing is provided on an as-available basis (no pets).**

Location: The Jones Center is located on Ichauway, a 30,000-acre property in southwestern Georgia between Albany and Bainbridge. The Center's research, education, and conservation programs focus on ecology and natural resource management. Ichauway contains 18,000 acres of longleaf pine woodlands, 1,000 acres of wetlands, and 25 miles of stream and river ecosystems and is host to a suite of rare, threatened, and endemic herpetofauna. An 18,000 square foot research laboratory houses scientists' laboratories, a central analytical laboratory, and two field labs. Further information can be found on [our website](#).

Qualifications: Qualifications include a Bachelor of Science degree from an accredited university with coursework in wildlife ecology. Preference will be given to applicants with previous field experience and knowledge of southeastern herpetofauna. Must be a U.S citizen.

Duties: The successful candidates will be responsible for the following:

- 1) Monitoring amphibians in ephemeral wetlands using egg mass, dip net, and automatic recording device surveys.
- 2) Mark-recapture of upland snakes in snake box trap arrays.
- 3) Alligator snapping turtle mark-recapture using hoop traps on Ichawaynochaway Creek.
- 4) VHF telemetry of gopher tortoises.
- 5) Additional field/lab activities, such as data entry and frog call identification.

Compensation: \$15/hour with on-site housing provided, or \$17/hour without onsite housing. No benefits package is available. The majority of our on-site housing is newly constructed. All housing comes equipped with basic kitchen supplies and are fully furnished. Everyone with housing has a private bedroom and bathroom with shared common spaces.

To Apply: A cover letter, resume, and three references should be emailed to jobs@jonesctr.org AND jennifer.howze@jonesctr.org with Subject line: Herpetology Research Technicians. Specific questions regarding the position should be sent to jennifer.howze@jonesctr.org. Please indicate your preferred starting and ending dates on the application and whether on-site housing would be preferred. Review of applications will begin immediately and will continue until the position is filled.