

# CHRISTODORA MANICE EDUCATION CENTER 2008 Field Teacher Positions



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## **Program/Position Description:**

Located in the heart of the Northern Berkshire Mountains, Florida, MA: <a href="http://www.christodora.org/english/documents/description.pdf">http://www.christodora.org/english/documents/description.pdf</a>

#### **Field Teachers:**

Preference will be given to applicants who can continue at the Manice Education Center for at least two of our three Sessions. Year round teaching opportunities with Christodora in New York and the Manice Education Center are also available (see posting).

MEC Spring Session: April 21 through June 13, 2008

MEC Summer Session: June 16 through August 29, 2008

MEC Fall Session: September 8 through October 24<sup>th</sup>, 2008

Responsibilities at Manice Education Center (MEC)

- Ø Co-teach students in environmental/natural science and leadership curriculums in small co-ed groups of students (max. 12) ages 11-18.
- Ø Co-lead up to six, 3 to 4 day summer wilderness expeditions
- Ø Overnight supervision of students (max. 7)
- Ø Mentor Field Teacher Interns in teaching/facilitating environmental/natural science and leadership curriculums.

## Qualifications:

- Ø Self-motivation, patience, flexibility, and enthusiasm for the outdoors and urban youth.
- Ø Experience in teaching/interpretation, group mgt., & wilderness leadership programming
- Ø First Aid or Wilderness First Aid, CPR, Waterfront Lifeguard Certifications or ability/commitment to obtain during employer offered trainings in June. BA/BS in related discipline. Background clearance and physical required.
- Ø Field Teacher II will have extensive experience and ability to mentor/teach peers additional academic curricula. Additional compensation considered.

### Compensation:

- Ø Up to \$350/wk D.O.E. Room/board, workers insurance, equipment discounts, paid work related transportation and communications.
- The opportunity to work/live in a beautiful outdoor setting and be a member of an integral team of professionals providing dynamic and unique programming.

**TO APPLY:** Send cover letter, resume and 3 references to Matthew Scholl, MEC Program Director: <a href="manice@christodora.org">manice@christodora.org</a> or mail to Christodora, Manice Education Center, 68 Savoy Road, Florida, MA, 01247 Tel./Fax: (413) 663-8463.