**Position Announcement**

**Position/Title:** **Data Steward – Great Lakes Acoustic Telemetry Observation System**

**(GLATOS)**

**Position:** Full time, 1 year renewable contract for up to 3 years

**Hiring Agency:** Great Lakes Fishery Commission

**Collaborating Agencies:** Great Lakes Fishery Commission, NOAA IOOS Great Lakes Observing System, USGS – Great Lakes Science Center

**Duty Station:** Hammond Bay Biological Station, Millersburg, Michigan

**Responsibilities:** The successful applicant will oversee GLATOSWeb (<http://data.glos.us/glatos/>) and maintain the GLATOS database. Duties include: review and approve data submissions; respond to inquiries about website and database content or function from researchers and the public; extract data for researchers; work with contractors or partners to resolve issues and implement future changes to database and the website, and other duties as assigned. In addition, the data steward will develop further the GLATOS data model for compatibility with the Ocean Tracking Network (OTN; <http://oceantrackingnetwork.org/> ) and Animal Telemetry Network (ATN; <http://www.ioos.noaa.gov/observing/animal_telemetry/welcome.html> ). Travel will be required to coordinate website maintenance, database development, and other activities with collaborating agencies and OTN and ATN partners.

**Qualifications:** Successful candidate must have a B.S. or higher degree and be thoroughly familiar with the design and management of large databases. Coursework in biology, fishery biology, conservation, or a related discipline would be ideal. Applicants must have experience with relational databases, be organizationally skillful; have excellent written and oral communication skills; and be outgoing. Experience with geographic information systems and products would be useful. Preference will be given to those with experience managing or coordinating large databases related to aquatic science and fisheries management. Position available immediately.

**Hammond Bay Biological Station:** Located approximately 14 miles NW of Rogers City on Lake Huron. The station is operated by the USGS, houses a station director, five scientists, five field and laboratory technicians, and three support staff. Station personnel conduct research on Great Lakes ecology and fisheries.

**Salary:** $45,000 - $55,000 salary commensurate with experience

**Closing Date:** October 15, 2014 or when filled.

**Links:** <http://www.glfc.org/> ; <http://glos.us/>; <http://data.glos.us/glatos/> ; <http://www.glfc.org/eforum/article10.html>;  <http://www.glsc.usgs.gov/sites/default/files/infosheets/HBBS20130319.pdf>

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