

Announcement Volunteership in Terrestrial Invertebrates Program: *Scalesia* forests restoration

Application deadline: Immediate

Starting date: To be agreed upon with the applicant

Duration: 3 months

Introduction

The Charles Darwin Foundation carries out several ecological restoration and terrestrial invasive species projects that require the collection of entomological information for the conservation and restoration of Galapagos ecosystems. In this context, we are looking for an entomologist to assist with the collection of this information and who has the profile described below:

Required profile

- Experience in handling and preservation of terrestrial invertebrates.
- Experience in the identification of the orders: Araneae, Coleoptera, Hemiptera, Hymenoptera, Diptera
- Ability to use optical equipment
- Ability to work independently

Responsibilities

- Support in field trips
- Support the processing of samples collected in the field
- Help in the identification of specimens to order level and, if possible, lower taxonomic levels
- Enter information in the database
- Document work carried out

Conditions of volunteership

The Charles Darwin Foundation (CDF) will provide the necessary equipment, materials and technical assistance for the development of the project, according to the policies and procedures of the institution.

The volunteer will be under the supervision of the people in charge of the project and will comply with the work schedule indicated by the CDF. The selected person is expected to work 40 hours per week, from 07h45 - 12h30 and from 14h00 - 17h15. Due to certain project activities, such as field trips, this schedule may be modified.



The volunteer is asked to comply with the rules of the Internal Regulations and Procedures Manual of the CDF and will carry out the fieldwork strictly following the rules and regulations of the Galapagos National Park Directorate.

The selected person must have an electronic signature to comply with the rules of the local Galapagos government.

How to apply?

To apply, it is necessary to complete the following application form:

LINK APPLICATION FORM: https://forms.office.com/r/jf7Y7gAJfm

*Incomplete applications will not be considered.