Be part of the team responsible for managing the world's largest sockeye salmon fishery!

The Alaska Department of Fish and Game is seeking motivated people to work the 2022 sockeye salmon season in Bristol Bay this summer.

Paid room and board, scenic remote locations, scientific field experience, and pay starts at over $23/hr with ample overtime!

### Counting Towers

- Main source of information to fisheries managers in Bristol Bay.
- Live in a remote cabin on one of eight different rivers in Bristol Bay.
- Count passing sockeye salmon from atop scaffolding towers.
- Sample sockeye for age, sex, and length.
- Six-week projects, ranging from mid-June through early August.

### Sonar

#### Nushagak River Sonar

- One of ADF&G’s most unique enumeration projects.
- Eight-week project: 6/1 to 7/31.
- Install, test, and operate sonar equipment.
- Deploy test fish nets to proportion migrating fish species.
- Count migrating fish on sonar files.

### Test Fish/ Sampling

#### Test fishery crews

- Supply area managers with inriver catch data.
- Drift gillnets in the rivers between the commercial fishery and the counting towers.

#### Commercial harvest samplers

- Work with fish processors to sample commercially harvested sockeye for age, sex, and length.
- Process and deliver samples to ADF&G lab.

For more information and how to apply contact:

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**Minimum qualifications required:**  
A high school diploma and driver’s license  
Open to Alaska Residents 18+ Only