

Healesville Sanctuary Leadbeater's Possum Field Officer, Translocation

- Lead monitoring associated with Leadbeater's Possum translocations
- Primarily field based and Healesville Sanctuary
- Fixed term from March to Dec 2019

Zoos Victoria operates three landmark zoos, Healesville Sanctuary, Melbourne Zoo and Werribee Open Range Zoo. Victoria's zoos are made up of passionate, energetic and driven employees committed to fighting wildlife extinction. Every person, from the extensive range of disciplines, plays an important role in helping the organisation realise its vision to become a world leading zoo-based conservation organisation.

The Leadbeater's Possum Field Officer - Translocation will lead monitoring associated with Leadbeater's Possum translocations to be conducted in Autumn and Spring 2019. The position will also support a range of priority field actions to support the conservation of Leadbeater's Possum at Lowland and Highland sites (e.g. surveys and population monitoring), including a supplementary feeding trial and related data management and paper preparation.

Key field activities include camera trapping, radio-tracking, nest box monitoring and monitoring a supplementary feeding trial.

The successful applicant will require the following skills:

- Extensive experience in the field conducting wildlife surveys and monitoring.
- Data analysis skills
- Experience in the preparation of papers for peer-reviewed journals
- Ability to work independently but also follow direction to complete task, as requested.
- Proven ability to work in the field as part of a small team.
- Ability to communicate effectively, both written and verbally.

For more information or to apply online, go to;

https://hcm314.peoplestreme.net/zoosvictoria11m2015/erec_external.asp

Applications close: 19th February 2019.