



May 6, 2015

**Branch of Wildland Fire Developmental Opportunity:**

Acting Wildland Fire Operations Program Leader, GS-13/14, Branch of Wildland Fire, Boise, ID

**Target Audience:** This opportunity is available to individuals in the GS-13 level and above who wish to be considered for a temporary detail or promotion. This is a temporary developmental assignment up to 120 days, and you will return to your regular duties at the end of the assignment.

**Opening Date:** May 6, 2015

**Closing Date:** May 18, 2015

**Entrance on Duty:** Negotiable, although a target date of May 31, 2015 is preferred

**Location:** Boise, Idaho

**Brief Description of Development Opportunity:** You will serve as the Acting Wildland Fire Operations Program Leader. You will be responsible for:

- Supervising wildland fire safety, training and qualifications, fleet and facilities, and the Lessons Learned Center manager positions
- Representing the Operations Program on the NPS Fire Management Leadership Board
- Provide program guidance and direction to the regions and parks
- Potential back up to the NPS representative to the National Multi-Agency Coordinating Group
- FY15 Operations budget close out and finalization of the FY16 Operations budget
- Providing national leadership to the development of the Wildland Fire Module Business Plan
- Participating in Strategic Plan implementation and position management within the Branch of Wildland Fire
- Reviewing severity requests exceeding \$100,000 in coordination with the Budget and Planning Program

**Funding:** The Branch of Wildland Fire will pay salary, travel, and per diem during this assignment. Government housing is not available although short-term rentals and other lodging is available nearby.

**To Apply:** If you are interested in this developmental assignment, you must discuss this opportunity with your first-line supervisor and obtain concurrence from your Superintendent or Manager prior to applying. Once approval is gained, you should submit:

1. A resume, no more than two pages, detailing your work history, educational background, and any special qualifications.
2. An SF-50 reflecting your tenure and current grade level

**NOTE:** Please redact or remove any Personally Identifiable Information (PII) such as SSN or DOB from any documents that are submitted.

Submit your application materials electronically to [Mark\\_Koontz@nps.gov](mailto:Mark_Koontz@nps.gov) no later than **May 18, 2015**. Please include "Acting Operations Program Leader Opportunity" in the subject line of the message. Please contact Mark Koontz by email or at 208-387-5090 with any additional questions you may have about this opportunity.