Job Title: Research Technician, Cobb Lab

Start Date: ASAP, but ideally before August 1, 2016

Position type: salaried, full-time, permanent staff w/ full benefits (medical, life insurance, retirement, paid sick days, vacation days, and parental leave)

Starting Salary: Commensurate with experience, following Georgia Tech pay scales; Minimum starting salary is $32,000/yr for Research Technician 1

Minimum Commitment: 3yrs

Job Description:
The Cobb Lab seeks a highly-motivated individual to help oversee day-to-day activities across the lab’s diverse research portfolio (see http://shadow.eas.gatech.edu/~kcobb for an overview). Responsibilities include:

i) operating the lab’s main pieces of analytical equipment including basic trouble-shooting,
ii) performing quality control of lab data,
iii) planning and executing remote field campaigns,
iv) coordinating shipments of supplies and samples to and from lab’s long-term collection sites,
v) maintaining the lab’s extensive sample inventories of coral cores, stalagmites, and water samples,
vi) purchasing lab supplies and completing related paperwork,
vii) ensuring lab safety compliance, including the safety training of new Cobb Lab undergraduate and graduate students.

Note that the Lab Technician will be a co-author on any and all papers that she or he has made a significant contribution to in terms of sample collection, data generation, or data presentation/interpretation.

Preferred Qualifications/Experience:
BA/BS, MS, or PhD degree in science required. Some experience with i) the operation of specialized analytical equipment, ii) remote fieldwork, iii) Matlab, and/or iv) isotope geochemistry is a plus, but is not required. The successful applicant will receive on-the-job training in all aspects of the lab’s day-to-day operations. We seek someone with demonstrated organizational skills, and the ability to thrive in a diverse, fast-paced, collaborative research environment.

E-mail me at kcobb@eas.gatech.edu for more information. Please include your CV.

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Deadline: May 26, 2016