

Volunteer field assistant position- Ecology and Conservation of the Regent Honeyeater



Two highly-skilled and motivated field ornithologists are required to assist with research into the ecology and conservation of the critically-endangered Regent honeyeater *Anthochaera phrygia*.

Time frame: 3 to 6 months from July 2016

Location: New South Wales, Australia. Mostly in the Greater Blue Mountains and Hunter Valley.

Duties:

- Assisting with intensive, occupancy-type surveys
- Nest searching and monitoring
- Mist netting
- Sound recording
- Sampling nectar

Successful applicants will:

- Be highly motivated and organised
- Have extensive experience of avian fieldwork in difficult conditions
- Have excellent bird identification skills, in particular of Australian woodland birds
- Be able to work both independently and as part of a small team
- Have a driving licence

This is a voluntary position, although all accommodation and living expenses will be covered. Some contribution to travel costs may be available.

For more information, or to apply, please send a cover letter and CV to:
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