

Marine Biology Research Assistant (Marine Institute)

The Centre for Fisheries Ecosystems Research at the Marine Institute is looking for two motivated individuals to join our team this Fall as marine biologists.

You will work with a team of researchers and graduate students on a wide variety of research projects including green crab and eelgrass biology and data analysis. You will develop practical skills in the field of marine biology and ecology and will gain tremendous lab work, field experience and data analysis experience.

The positions will be based out of St. John's at the Fisheries and Marine Institute.

Qualifications.

Eligible candidates must:

- be between 15 and 30 years of age at the start of the employment
- be a Canadian citizen, permanent resident, or person to whom refugee protection has been conferred under the *Immigration and Refugee Protection Act* for the duration of the employment; and,
- have a valid Social Insurance Number at the start of employment and be legally entitled to work in Canada in accordance with relevant provincial or territorial legislation and regulations

Required skills are computer literacy (Excel, Microsoft Word), team oriented, and capacity to conduct research activities that include handling and measuring invasive green crabs, and working with extensive data files. Additional assets include knowledge in biological and / or physical oceanography and statistical analysis.

Start and end dates. The positions are from October 5th to December 18th, 2020.

Salary. The positions pay 14.05/hr , preferably 35 hours per week for 11 weeks, possibility with an option of hiring part-time (15-20h/week) based on availability of candidates. Hours will generally fall between 8AM and 6PM, Monday to Friday.

Please send applications to Marsha Clarke at: marsha.clarke@mi.mun.ca by end of day, September 29th, 2020. **Please indicate whether you are available for full or part-time hours.**