



Botany / Lichenology Technician (Sackville, NB)

The *Atlantic Canada Conservation Data Centre*, a non-governmental, charitable, conservation science organization, seeks a **Botany / Lichenology Technician** for a 7-month term position with potential for continuation.

Duties: Conduct and report upon field and office projects on plant and lichen diversity and status, with a focus on rare species. Contribute to AC CDC's core business of databasing occurrences of rare species and assessing species' provincial status.

Hours: Full-time (37.5 hours / week) for 7 months with potential for continuation.

Requirements:

- Knowledge of the identification and ecology of the vascular plants and/or lichens of eastern North America, especially the Canadian Maritimes.
- Demonstrated ability to work safely and efficiently alone in remote and challenging natural environments
- Willingness to travel throughout Atlantic Canada (primarily the provinces of New Brunswick, Nova Scotia and Prince Edward Island) for 30+ days of fieldwork
- Careful and detail-oriented approach to data collection and data management
- Ability to write scientific reports

Beneficial Attributes:

- Enthusiasm for and knowledge of the identification and ecology of other taxonomic groups (especially bryophytes, insects, birds, freshwater mussels) in eastern North America, emphasizing the Canadian Maritimes.
- Experience with Geographic Information Systems (GIS)
- Experience with wetland delineation and forest ecosystem classification
- M.Sc. or equivalent experience in biology, environmental science or related field

Location: Fieldwork at various locations in New Brunswick, Nova Scotia and Prince Edward Island. Office location negotiable but preferred location is AC CDC office, Mount Allison University, Sackville NB.

Start date: Negotiable between June 1 and July 4, 2023.

Salary: Approximately \$27/hour.

Competition Closing Date: May 19, 2023

Send CV & cover letter to: Sean Blaney, Executive Director & Senior Scientist (sean.blaney@accdc.ca).