

Wildlife Management Biologist Iqaluit, Nunavut

The Nunavut Wildlife Management Board (NWMB or Board) is an institution of public government established under the *Nunavut Land Claims Agreement*, and situated in Iqaluit, Nunavut. The Board is currently seeking a dynamic individual to fill the position of Wildlife Management Biologist. The successful applicant will become a key member of a cross-cultural team dedicated to the maintenance of vital, healthy wildlife populations and habitats in Canada's Eastern Arctic.

Reporting to the Director of Wildlife Management, the Wildlife Management Biologist will: work closely with other NWMB staff, Inuit, and with representatives of the other Nunavut land and resource management agencies, concerning conservation and management issues affecting Nunavut's wildlife; take initiative on requests for decision regarding species at risk habitat, environment, and conservation areas; assume a primary role in the development and anticipated implementation of two new NWMB initiatives: the habitat protection program, the climate change strategy; participate in all aspects of public hearings and various meetings; and assist with the administration of the NWMB's Study Fund and the Nunavut Wildlife Research Trust.

Qualifications: A minimum of a Bachelor's Degree in a related field; preference will be given to applicants with a graduate degree. The incumbent must have practical experience in wildlife management, and demonstrated knowledge of ecological principles, the interactions between wildlife populations and their habitats, legislation affecting wildlife management, and use of wildlife resources in Nunavut. Experience in northern Canada and/or in other cross-cultural situations is a distinct asset. Fluency in English is mandatory; Inuktitut is a definite asset.

The NWMB is committed to providing competitive salary levels to its employees. The pay level for this position will commensurate with qualifications and experience. The Board offers full benefits package, including allowances for accommodation, settlement and vacation travel assistance.

Closing Date: August 31, 2012

For a copy of the job description and schedule of benefits, or to submit resumes, please contact:

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We thank all who apply; however, only those applicants selected for an interview will be contacted.