

Waasigan Transmission Line Project Environmental Assessment 2022 Field Technician Summer Students

Up to two Field Technician Summer Students are needed on a four-month contract basis to assist with field and office tasks such as field work preparation, fish and wildlife surveys, water and soil sampling or monitoring, data collection, data entry and field equipment maintenance. These positions are in support of the Waasigan Transmission Line Project Environmental Assessment (the Project). Golder Associates Ltd., a member of WSP (WSP Golder), is looking to hire up to two Field Technician Summer Students to work alongside WSP Golder's Project Team. Successful candidates may also be asked to support other WSP Golder projects during the summer season.

Location, Schedule and Hours

Work is expected to commence in May and conclude in August 2022. They will be based out of our office at 910 Alloy Drive in Thunder Bay, Ontario. Work is expected to be partially field-based and partially office-based; Expected hours are a minimum of 22.5 hours per week.

Certain field programs may also require periods of consistent 10 to 12-hour workdays. Field work will require travelling with the Project Team by truck, ATV/UTV, boat, helicopter and by foot within the Project study area and require out of town accommodations. All out of town travel costs, including meals and overnight accommodations, will be arranged and paid for by WSP Golder. As a part of the hiring process, you will be required to review and acknowledge WSP Golder policies and procedures and participate in WSP Golder health and safety training and on-the-job training as required over the course of the contract. This includes providing proof of full COVID-19 vaccination to WSP Golder as a condition of employment.

Duties

After receiving training and direction of WSP Golder Project Managers and Supervisors, Field Technicians may be responsible for:

- Taking field measurements using field equipment and recording field observations
- Completing data entry and compilation upon return to the office
- Field equipment preparation, calibration, and maintenance
- Hiking with equipment from the rental truck, ATV/UTV, boat, and helicopter to study sites as required
- Working in or near waterbodies
- Working in inclement weather conditions
- Being involved in Health and Safety meetings and discussions

Desired Skills and Education

The ideal person(s) for this job will:

- A minimum of a high school diploma, with a preference for candidates currently enrolled in an environmental post-secondary program
- Have an interest in working in the outdoors
- Able to hike across rough terrain carrying basic gear
- Able to write and document field observations
- Able to use Microsoft Word and Microsoft Excel for data entry and management
- Have good communication skills (English required)
- Have a good attitude for Health and Safety



Equipment

You will need:

- Hiking boots or shoes for walking over rough terrain in all conditions
- Clothing suitable for outdoor work in inclement weather conditions (including cool spring weather and rain)

Salary and Compensation

The hourly rate will be based on the level of education and experience. Time and expenses for travel as well as accommodation and food during the contract will be provided, if staying away from home.

Please provide a resume and/or contact info, including your name, address, and a description of your education/experience/interest. We also require a phone number and email where you can be reached.

Resumes can be submitted to WaasiganTL@golder.com.