The anticipated start date of the position is as soon as possible. The successful candidate will be supervised by Prof. Lyle Whyte in the Department of Natural Resource Sciences of McGill University, at the beautiful MacDonald Campus located in Saint Anne-de-Bellevue, Quebec which is very close to Montreal.

Required qualifications

Our ideal candidate:

- Recently obtained a PhD within the last 2-3 years.
- Should have a strong background in microbiology and molecular biology, "-omics" / bioinformatics, and a strong interest in polar microbiology;
- Is equally comfortable working as a member of a team as well as working independently;
- Highly motivated to perform field research activities in the Canadian arctic and working with local communities;
- Interested in obtaining project management and supervision skills.

Proficiency in spoken and written English is mandatory.

Please send a detailed CV and contact information for three references by email to:

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Start date: as soon as possible.

Length: 2-3 years

Salary: competitive with a strong McGill PDF Benefits package (medical and dental)

included.

Application deadline: Open until filled