



Wildlife Management Biologist

Nunavut Wildlife Management Board (NWMB)

Job posting date: Friday, February 9, 2024

Closing date for job posting: Friday, March 8, 2024

Potential start date: April 15, 2024

Salary range: \$126,410 to \$163,367

NWMB office location: Iqaluit, Nunavut

Hours of work: Full-time (37.5 hours/week)

Do you have a passion for nature?

Are you drawn to environmental and social issues related to animal behaviour in terrestrial and aquatic habitats and ecosystems?

Have you been seeking an opportunity to collaborate with experts on diverse topics, where your insights will influence decisions affecting communities reliant on wildlife?

If you're eager to join team committed to conservation efforts and preserving the traditional Inuit lifestyle, this impactful role may be perfect for you?

*The NWMB, entrusted with significant responsibilities in wildlife management under the Nunavut Agreement, seeks a reliable and motivated individual for the role of **Wildlife Management Biologist**.*

If you believe you are a strong candidate for this position, you are invited to submit your resume, clearly demonstrating how you fulfill the requirements for this exciting career opportunity.

Explore some of the numerous advantages of joining the NWMB

In addition to the chance to embark on an enriching journey and carve a path toward personal and professional growth, the NWMB offers an outstanding employee benefits package. These incentives encompass:

- A progressive salary scale
- A substantial northern allowance (excluding staff housing subsidies)
- Comprehensive health and dental coverage for the employee and family members
- Disability insurance
- A generous matching of employee contributions to a retirement savings plan
- Competitive paid vacation and sick leave allowances
- Other paid leave options
- Vacation travel assistance
- Supportive training and opportunities for professional development

Essential job qualifications

English essential (written and spoken); fluency in Inuktitut is an asset.

Willingness to live, work, and travel within a northern environment.

Skilled at analyzing technical and scientific material, crafting and delivering presentations and briefings, giving advice with critical thinking and tact, engaging with audiences, writing correspondence.

Familiarity with ecological principles, northern wildlife management challenges, traditional ecological knowledge

(Inuit Qaujimagatuqangit), the Nunavut Agreement, relevant legislation, and the Inuit and Northern cultures.

A minimum of a bachelor's degree in a related field, and proficiency in computer software, including programs related to renewable resource management.

Experience in drafting and implementing policies and procedures, wildlife and/or natural resource management and research, ideally with modeling biological systems; administrative experience and direct involvement in northern Canada within multi-cultural settings are assets.

Key responsibilities include, but not limited to:

- **Reviewing and analyzing applications for decisions**, encompassing screening, communication, and preparation of briefing materials.
- **Contributing to NWMB's wildlife management responsibilities**, in accordance with relevant policies, legislation, and regulations, which involves responding to stakeholder inquiries, participating in meetings and committees,
- **Assisting with the management of public hearings**, such as drafting and disseminating public notices, invitations for submissions, and summarizing oral submissions.
- **Supporting the administration of NWMB's funding initiatives**, by informing potential applicants, aiding with application processes, and assessing funding proposals.
- **Contributing to NWMB and regional wildlife research and management priorities**, including engaging stakeholders, shaping research funding policies, organizing workshops, supporting the Conservation Education Program.
- **Developing public information and educational materials**, implementing approved projects and preparing proposals and progress reports.
- **Playing a role in NWMB's wildlife management responsibilities in Nunavut**, involving advice on conservation issues, based on scientific findings and Inuit Qaujimagatuqangit, as well as engaging in consultations with stakeholders.
- **Assisting in policy development**, maintaining and updating social media platforms, website, and intranet, coordinating meetings and hearings, performing administrative tasks, maintaining and updating the decisions database.

Please submit your resume to: gtopuin@pgf.ca by March 8, 2024.

Only candidates selected for further consideration will be contacted, and this may entail an in-person or videoconference interview.

We, as an equal opportunity employer, are committed to providing accommodation to individuals with disabilities throughout the staffing process.