Professor in Freshwater Community Ecology

Faculté des arts et des sciences / Département de sciences biologiques

Job description

The Département de sciences biologiques is seeking applications for a full-time tenure-track position at the rank of Assistant Professor in Freshwater Community Ecology.

Responsibilities

The appointed candidate will be expected to teach at all three levels of the curriculum, supervise graduate students, engage in ongoing research and publication, and contribute to the academic life and reputation of the University.

Requirements

- Ph.D. in freshwater community ecology or in a related field
- Postdoctoral experience in relevant fields
- High quality publication record in international journals with very high impact factors
- Interest in cross-disciplinary research and capacity to develop collaborations with members of the Département de sciences biologiques and other departments of the Université de Montréal
- Excellent abilities to teach at the undergraduate and graduate levels
- Elaboration of an innovative research programme on fundamental and applied aspects of freshwater community ecology such as functional ecology, biodiversity shifts or maintenance, ecosystem resilience, trophic structure and dynamics, species associations, and population dynamics
- Priority will be given to candidates proposing research components that could take place at the Station de biologie des Laurentides and having the potential to interact with the Groupe de recherche interuniversitaire en limnologie
- Proficiency in the French language*

Information about the position

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The application must include the following documents:
- a cover letter
- a curriculum vitae
- copies of recent publications and research
- a description of the teaching philosophy (no more than one page)
- a description of the research programme (no more than two pages)

Three letters of recommendation are also to be sent directly to the department chair by the referees.

Application and letters of recommendation must be sent to the chair of the Département de sciences biologiques at the following address:

M. Daniel Boisclair, directeur  
Département de sciences biologiques  
Faculté des arts et des sciences  
Université de Montréal  
C. P. 6128, succursale Centre-ville  
Montréal (QC) H3C 3J7

or may also be sent at the following email: daniel.boisclair@umontreal.ca.


*Language Policy*: Université de Montréal is a Québec university with an international reputation. French is the language of instruction. To renew its teaching faculty, the University is intensively recruiting the world’s best specialists. In accordance with the institution’s language policy, Université de Montréal provides support for newly-recruited faculty to attain proficiency in French ([http://secretariatgeneral.umontreal.ca/fileadmin/user_upload/secretariat/doc_officiels/reglements/administration/adm10-34_politique-linguistique.pdf](http://secretariatgeneral.umontreal.ca/fileadmin/user_upload/secretariat/doc_officiels/reglements/administration/adm10-34_politique-linguistique.pdf)).

**Confidentiality**

The Université de Montréal application process allows all regular professors in the Department to have access to all documents unless the applicant explicitly states in her or his cover letter that access to the application should be limited to the selection committee. This restriction on accessibility will be lifted if the applicant is invited for an interview.

**Equal Access Employment Program**

Université de Montréal promotes diversity in its workforce through its Equal access to employment program. It encourages members of visible and ethnic minorities as well as women, Aboriginal people, persons with disabilities and people of all sexual orientations and gender identities to apply.

**Immigration Requirements**

We invite all qualified candidates to apply at UdeM. However, in accordance with immigration requirements in Canada, please note that priority will be given to Canadian citizens and permanent residents.

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