



MSc Position Announcement at the University of Alberta Starting September 2024

We are seeking a qualified applicant for a thesis-based MSc Program at the University of Alberta starting in fall 2024. Requirements include a 4-year undergraduate degree in Natural Resources or Policy, Resource Economics and Environmental Sociology, Environmental and Conservation Sciences or Wildlife Management or Biological Sciences, an undergraduate grade point average of 3.3/4.0 or higher based on the last 60 units of graded coursework, and English language proficiency. Course work and some teaching or teaching assistance will be expected. The MSc project is a component of a larger collaborative project that will focus on guiding a structural decision-making exercise on management options for Chronic Wasting Disease (CWD) in Alberta. Preference will be given to students with a background working in wildlife management-related policy topic with agencies, NGOs, or Indigenous Peoples and who previously worked in a CWD-related management program. The student will be co-supervised by Dr. Evelyn Merrill in Biological Sciences, Faculty of Science and Vic Adamowicz in Resource Economics and Environmental Sociology, Faculty of Agricultural, Life and Environmental Sciences, and work closely with Dr. Anne Hubbs, Alberta Environment and Protected Areas.

To be considered, please send in one PDF document a copy of your Curriculum Vitae, transcript (unofficial is acceptable), a statement of research interest, and contact information for 3 references to Dr. Evelyn Merrill (emerrill@ualberta.ca) or Vic Adamowicz (vic.adamowicz@ualberta.ca). Official application to the University of Alberta will follow for the successful applicant. Review of material is now open and we will be evaluating applications until a suitable applicant is found.