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Faculty of Science
Department of Earth Sciences
Graduate Assistants

The Department of Earth Sciences invites applications from individuals interested in assisting with laboratory materials.

This position is covered by a collective agreement between TAUMUN and Memorial University of Newfoundland.

Qualifications: A person with a background in paleontology familiar with taxonomy and able to recognize the difference between members of different phyla and classes in fossilized form. This skill set would usually be developed through the completion of a Bachelor's Degree in Earth Sciences with a concentration in Paleontology. Must be able to work independently and with some supervision.

Duties: The cataloguing of Memorial University's Earth Sciences Department Paleontology teaching collection. The process includes assigning new catalogue numbers to specimens including cross referencing with the original paper catalogue and updating the current digital catalogue and specimen cards as needed. Some reorganization of the drawers in the specimen archive is needed and there may be some minor repair of some specimens. As time permits, a photo archive will also be updated.

Time Frame: 60 Hours total, flexible schedule during daytime hours but must be completed by July 9th, at the latest.

To apply for this position:

Please submit a letter of application, curriculum vitae and the names of two referees, electronically to:

Amanda Langille
Email: alangille@mun.ca



Salary: As per the MUN-TAUMUN Collective Agreement

Closing Date: May 19, 2021

All qualified candidates are encouraged to apply; however, Canadian citizens and permanent residents will be given priority. Memorial University of Newfoundland is committed to employment equity and encourages applications from qualified women and men, visible minorities, aboriginal people and persons with disabilities