

CARIBOU PROGRAM EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY SUMMER FIELD TECHNICIAN

Overview

The fRI Research Caribou Program was created in 2013 to conduct and coordinate research on caribou in Alberta. The goal of the program is to provide land and resource managers with knowledge and planning tools through applied research to support Alberta's caribou recovery efforts and ensure their long-term persistence.

SUMMER FIELD TECHNICIAN

Job Description

The field technician will work for the fRI Research Caribou Program in collaboration with the Alberta Regional Caribou Knowledge Partnership as part of a project focused on advancing silviculture practices to allow for high fibre volume harvest in caribou ranges while improving the ability of harvested stands to become future caribou habitat. 2022 is the second year of a three-year project investigating specific vegetation and habitat characteristics that caribou select for in both natural and anthropogenic disturbances (i.e., burned and harvested areas).

The field technician will carry out fieldwork aimed at assessing caribou habitat characteristics. The main tasks will involve classifying forest stand characteristics, identifying vegetation species, recording wildlife sign, and may involve installing and maintaining remote sensing cameras. Additional duties will involve data entry, working with various software programs for data management, and field equipment maintenance. Fieldwork may be staged out of remote field camps to survey caribou ranges throughout Alberta.

Details

Ten Summer Field Technician Positions are available.

Likely contract duration: May 16 – Aug 31, 2022

Wage: \$20-\$22/hr

Fieldwork Schedule: 9 days on, 5 days off.

Food, accommodation, and transportation will be provided while on shift.

ONLINE APPLICATION

For more details on the Summer Field Technician position please follow the link below to our application form. Please fill out and submit the application form hosted by JotForms. Submissions of cover letters and resumes will not be accepted. **The application deadline is Tuesday, February 22**nd **2022, 23:59 MST.**

https://form.jotform.com/210245451938051

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If you have any questions regarding this job posting please email the fRI Research Caribou Program Field Coordinator Leonie Brown via lbrown@friresearch.ca.