JOB TITLE: EOSC2 – Dr. Pospelova
Paleoenvironmental / Marine Palynology Lab Assistant

DEPARTMENT NAME: School of Earth and Ocean Sciences

CONTACT NAME: Dr. Vera Pospelova

JOB DESCRIPTION:

The work provides an opportunity to experience technical/laboratory work in micropaleontology. This project is a part of the study that assesses environmental change by analyzing microfossil records (e.g. dinoflagellate cysts, foraminiferal organic linings, pollen grains and spores). The student will assist with laboratory sample preparation and extraction of microfossils. Job responsibilities cover lab management, environmental data compilation and sample preparation. Applicants should be comfortable working with chemicals.

QUALIFICATIONS:

This position is suitable for a 3-4th year science student. A student with an interest in micropaleontology, paleoceanography, paleoecology and geological/biological oceanography will be given a preference. Basic knowledge of chemistry is required.

JOB LOCATION ON-CAMPUS: Bob Wright Centre (SCI) Room B409 and B424
See: http://web.uvic.ca/~vpospe/laboratory.html

WORK STUDY WAGE: $13.50/hour (including 4% vacation pay)

DEPARTMENT TOP UP: $3.00/hour

HOURS AVAILABLE: 50

HOW TO APPLY: Application letters and resumes to:
Dr. Vera Pospelova
SEOS, University of Victoria,
PO Box 1700 STN CSC, Victoria, BC V8W 2Y2;
OR e-mail to vpospe@uvic.ca

Applicants must be eligible for Work Study Program
For details go to: http://www.uvic.ca/registrar/safa/work-study/index.php