JOB TITLE: EOSC3 - Biological Oceanography Research Assistant

DEPARTMENT NAME: School of Earth and Ocean Sciences

CONTACT NAME: Diana E. Varela

JOB DESCRIPTION:

The student will work in an oceanographic laboratory dedicated to the study of marine phytoplankton eco-physiology and nutrient cycling. Duties include laboratory assistance on a variety of projects, preparation of samples collected during oceanographic expeditions, analysis of biological and chemical properties of seawater, and assistance with phytoplankton cultures. This position is ideal for a dedicated student who is interested in interdisciplinary research in oceanography. Further details can be obtained by contacting Dr. Diana Varela directly.

QUALIFICATIONS:

Preferably EOS, biology, biochemistry or chemistry student. Completion of EOS first year courses (i.e. EOS 110), and first and second year chemistry and biology courses are highly recommended. It is preferable if student has completed a biological oceanography course (i.e. BIOL/EOS 311). Excellent analytical chemistry background, ability to work independently, organizational skills and attention to detail are required.

JOB LOCATION ON-CAMPUS: Bob Wright Centre - Room B312

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

DEPARTMENT TOP UP: $1.50/hour (including 4% vacation pay)

HOURS AVAILABLE: 100

HOW TO APPLY: Send application package (cover letter, university transcript and resume) by email (dvarela@uvic.ca) to Dr. Diana Varela. For more information, check: http://web.uvic.ca/~dvarela/

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