

2026/2027 WORK STUDY PROGRAM - JOB POSTING

Before applying for a Work Study funded job, students must apply for eligibility to participate in the program. Please visit our website for instructions.

JOB TITLE: BIOL 12 - Research assistant

DEPARTMENT NAME: Biology

CONTACT NAME: Jaime Grimm

JOB DESCRIPTION:

The successful candidate will join the Fisheries and Integrated Health Lab (FICH Lab) led by Dr. Jaime Grimm. Research in the FICH lab addresses conservation and fisheries management questions through a combination of field research, molecular ecology, mathematical modeling and data analysis.

The successful candidate will support graduate student research and lab operations by:

- 1) Attending and contributing to weekly lab meetings
- 2) Assisting with fish DNA extractions and quantification
- 3) Manage lab stock and order supplies as needed
- 4) Conducting literature reviews and possibly assisting with field research aboard a vessel.

QUALIFICATIONS:

Required:

- A background and appropriate coursework in ecology, biology, fisheries science or equivalent
- Ability to work as part of a team and willingness to invest time in learning new skills

Preferred:

- Past molecular lab and/or field experience

JOB LOCATION ON-CAMPUS: remote ☒ on campus ☒ hybrid ☐

HOW TO APPLY:

Please email CV, unofficial transcript and letter of interest to:
Dr. Jaime Grimm
email: jgrimm@uvic.ca
Include: "Work-study application" in the subject line.