

One Postdoctoral Fellowship: Curriculum Development and Capacity Building in Small-Scale Fisheries

The Global Partnership for Small-Scale Fisheries Research, *Too Big to Ignore* (TBTI), is a research network and information mobilization partnership established to enhance the understanding of the contribution of small-scale fisheries to food security, nutrition, sustaining livelihoods, poverty alleviation, wealth generation and stewardship. It also aims to support capacity development in small-scale fisheries research and governance.

TBTI is recruiting a Postdoctoral Research Fellow who will be based in the Department of Geography, Faculty of Arts, at Memorial University (St. John's, Newfoundland & Labrador, Canada). The successful candidate will be responsible for curriculum development of a new “transdisciplinary course on fisheries” within the TBTI project.

Qualifications

We seek a highly motivated person with a PhD in education, in areas of Curriculum, Teaching and Learning. Candidates must have a previous experience in course design, educational technology applications and course evaluation. Experience in transdisciplinary research is a plus. Knowledge of fisheries sciences would be beneficial but not a prerequisite. The successful candidate must possess excellent communication skills (verbal and written) and be able to work independently, as well as in a team.

The successful candidate will receive a one-year fellowship of about CAD 40,000 (inclusive of benefits), with a possibility of renewal for another year. This position is open to all qualified persons. The fellowship can start as early as January 5, 2015.

The application deadline is **November 14, 2014**. Interested candidates should send CV, cover letter, name and contact information of three referees, and a one-page essay on “Transdisciplinarity and its role in fisheries research” to: toobigtoignore@mun.ca.

For more information, please visit www.toobigtoignore.net, as well as Memorial's website <http://www.mun.ca/> for additional information about the university.