

Interdisciplinary Studies in Aquatic Resources Program Part-Time Skills Instructor(s)

The Aquatic Resources Program invites applications for a Part Time Academic Instructor(s) to teach one or more of the following courses, in person, during the 2024 - 2025 academic year:

- AQUA 102 and lab (Introduction to Ocean Systems and Resources) (4.5 credits) during the winter term of the 2024-2025 academic year.
- AQUA 221 (Issues in Resource Management) (3 credits) during the fall term of the 2024-2025 academic year.
- AQUA 400 (Work Term/Internship/Work-Integrated-Learning) (3 credits) during the fall term of the 2024-2025 academic year.

Applicants should have a completed Master's in a field or program directly related to the course(s); a PhD or ABD is preferred. The Program is seeking candidates who are committed to contributing to StFX's priorities of equity and inclusion, as well as experience and an interest in undergraduate level teaching.

About the Aquatic Resources Program

If you are interested in water, the environment, sustainability, climate change and how humans interact with and impact local to global resources, then you may want to learn more about the Aquatic Resources Program (AQUA) at StFX. AQUA uses an interdisciplinary approach – combining natural and social science perspectives – to motivate student engagement and foster understanding of water resource issues – both marine and freshwater. You'll explore how water permeates our lives from the food we eat to the health of the earth's oceans and more, how water shapes our world, and how water sustains living organisms. Students majoring in Aquatic Resources may complete a Bachelor of Arts or a Bachelor of Science degree.

Application Instructions

Consideration of applications will commence on June 17, 2024 and will continue until the position is filled. To apply, please submit a cover letter that addresses the candidate's experience and qualifications related to teaching courses in this area, as well as a curriculum vitae and the names/contact information for three references via email to:

Dr. David Garbary, Coordinator Aquatic Resources Program St. Francis Xavier University Antigonish, NS B2G 2W5 e-mail: dgarbary@gmail.com

Queries about the position may also be sent to this address.

St. Francis Xavier University is located in Mi'kma'ki, the ancestral and unceded territory of the Mi'kmaq People.

Our institution is committed to upholding the values of equity, diversity, inclusion, and accessibility. We encourage applications from members of groups that have been historically disadvantaged and marginalized, including Indigenous persons (especially Mi'kmaq), racialized persons (especially African Nova Scotians), persons with disabilities, those who identify as women and/or 2SLGBTQIA+ and any others who would contribute to the diversity of our community. Please note that all qualified candidates are encouraged to apply; however, applications from Canadians and permanent residents will be given priority.

We are also committed to the elimination of barriers to participation for persons with disabilities. Should you require accommodation during the recruitment process, please contact People and Culture at <u>hr@stfx.ca</u> or 902-867-5038.

About St. Francis Xavier University

Established in 1853, St. Francis Xavier University (StFX) is consistently recognized as one of the best universities in Canada. StFX exceeds the needs of today's undergraduates by providing the very best academic experience—outstanding teaching, exceptional hands-on research opportunities, and global exchanges—all within Canada's most vibrant and inspiring residential campus. Here, the focus is on the academic and personal development of every student, making community and social engagement a large part of the learning experience. Our students are academically strong and highly engaged in every aspect of life, determined to make a positive impact on the world.

In 2022, Maclean's annual university rankings put StFX #1 in student satisfaction and #2 in reputation across Canada in the primarily undergraduate category. For more, visit <u>www.stfx.ca</u>

About Antigonish, Nova Scotia

The beautiful and historic town of Antigonish is located in the northeastern corner of Nova Scotia. Only a 15minute drive from the ocean and a two-hour drive to major urban centres, Antigonish is a family-friendly community with a diverse and growing population and provides access to an excellent education at all levels. The town is surrounded by rolling countryside and beautiful beaches and is a hotspot for outdoor recreation, sports, and other active lifestyle activities. Antigonish supports a vibrant culture in the arts with music, performing arts, visual arts and crafts, and fabulous festivals happening throughout the year.

For more information visit <u>www.townofantigonish.ca</u> or <u>www.visitantigonish.ca</u>.