# JOB COMPETITION – EARTH SCIENCES/PHYSICAL GEOLOGY, GEOGRAPHY

# AND ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCE STUDENTS

# FIELD AND OFFICE ASSISTANTS

**NUMBER OF POSITIONS:** To be determined

**WORK TERM:** Eight to thirteen weeks

**NOTE: Office positions are for 35 hrs/week; field positions are supplemented by applicable overtime.**

**EMPLOYER:** Geological Survey Division and Mineral Lands Division

Newfoundland and Labrador Department of Industry, Energy and Technology

**JOB LOCATIONS:** Various locations in Newfoundland and Labrador

**PRESENTATION SUMMARIZING JOB ROLES** **AVAILABLE AT:** <https://www.gov.nl.ca/iet/mines/>

**PERIOD OF EMPLOYMENT:** May to September, 2024(Start/End dates vary by project)

**APPLICATION DEADLINE:** **4:00 PM, Wednesday, March 15th, 2024**

**INTERVIEW DETAILS:** Interviews will be conducted online; applicants under consideration will receive an email on March 20th to schedule their interviews.

**GENERAL JOB DESCRIPTION**

All positions are based out of our office in St. John’s, NL. Field positions include work conducted at field sites throughout the province. Successful candidates will assist project geologists in (and have opportunities to become familiar with) bedrock and surficial geological mapping, sampling techniques and preparation, exploration geochemistry, climate change analyses, mineral deposit studies and core storage management. Fieldwork commonly involves significant traversing in rugged terrain, and may involve operation of 4WD trucks, boats and ATVs, as well as travel by helicopter and plane. Candidates must have successfully completed at least first-year Earth Science / Physical Geology, Geography or Environmental Science courses, and be capable of applying the basic practical skills acquired in the level attained in academic courses. Field candidates must be willing and able to perform physically demanding work in isolated locations and inclement conditions. Office- and laboratory-based positions will be located in St. John’s and include a variety of tasks, including GIS work, data management, filing and copying, laboratory analyses and others

Please note that accommodations are only provided during field campaigns outside of St. John’s.

**REQUIREMENTS:**

* **Eligible candidates must be attending a post-secondary institution and be returning to undergraduate or graduate studies in the fall of 2024**
* **Eligible field candidates must have a valid driver’s license (and is a definite asset for office-based candidates)**

**JOB INFORMATION AND APPLICATION FORMS:**

Job information and application forms are available online at:

**<https://www.gov.nl.ca/iet/mines/>**

**Please ensure your application form is accompanied by an up to date transcript of course grades (the version available from your department is sufficient)**.

**To submit an application form and transcript:**

**E-MAIL TO:** [**StudentHiringMinesBranch@gov.nl.ca**](mailto:StudentHiringMinesBranch@gov.nl.ca)

**BY : 4:00 PM, Wednesday, March 15th, 2024**

**NOTE : LATE APPLICATIONS WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED**

**Any questions? Contact: StudentHiringMinesBranch@gov.nl.ca**