

Science Officer Position at DIVERSITAS International Headquarters

DIVERSITAS the international biodiversity science programme, is seeking a Science Officer for its International Secretariat located in Paris, to lead the implementation of its **bioDISCOVERY** core project on "Assessing, monitoring and predicting biodiversity change".

We are looking for a highly motivated individual committed to an inter-disciplinary approach to biodiversity science. The position is ideal for a person interested in science, policy and scientific administration.

Required: Ph.D. and experience in a biodiversity related field. Excellent interpersonal abilities. Excellent English skills are required; French language skills are a plus.

Duties include:

- 1) Synthetic scientific activities such as writing overview articles, editing books;
- 2) Management activities such as organising and leading workshops; liaising with international conventions; fund raising.

Employers are CNRS (French National Centre for Scientific Research) and DIVERSITAS

Position starts **late 2009**. Appointment is for one year, renewable. Salary is commensurate with experience.

Applications (CV and three references) by **15 September** and inquiries via email to Julie Dardanelli: julie@diversitas-international.org

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