

## **Sustainable food systems and fisheries focused graduate position in the School of Environmental Studies, Queen's University**

Dr. Kristen Lowitt in the [School of Environmental Studies](#) at Queen's University is currently in search of a Masters student to join an existing research project about resilience and alternative food networks. As part of this project, we are seeking a Masters student to undertake research into local food networks for fish in the Great Lakes and how these fit into sustainable food systems and resilience for local communities and economies. The successful candidate will work with the larger AGRIFISH project team which is linking agriculture and fisheries for food systems resilience.

Familiarity with and/or interest in food systems, small-scale fisheries, resilience, governance, action research, and qualitative methods would be considered an asset. The successful candidate will be expected to actively work toward developing a thesis in this area and working effectively in the multi-disciplinary field of food systems sustainability including with the broader research team and community partners. We are offering a funding package of \$20,000/year for two years, as well as support for fieldwork costs.

To apply for this position, please send a letter of interest, a CV, transcripts and the names of two references via email to Kristen Lowitt [kristen.lowitt@queensu.ca](mailto:kristen.lowitt@queensu.ca) Candidates will also need to apply to the School of Environmental Studies by the appropriate deadline to begin their studies in September 2023. Please direct any questions to [kristen.lowitt@queensu.ca](mailto:kristen.lowitt@queensu.ca)