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Bumble Bee Identification Verifier

This year Friends of the Earth Canada conducted their 2nd Annual nation-wide [Great Canadian Bumble Bee Count](#). Between August and September 2017, FOE asked people to take their best photo of a bumble bee. Photos were submitted to FOE Canada through an online portal. Over 800 submissions were received.

Participants used FOE's Bumble Bee Identification Census Cards to work through the identification of the bumble bee in their photo. In most cases participants submitted the identification or their best guess of the bee along with the photo(s).

FOE Canada is recruiting graduate students with a background in bumble bee identification to verify the IDs of these bees. Verification of the IDs will allow FOE to further engage with the Great Canadian Bumble Bee Count participants, as well as add value to the data that has been collected through this project. If you are willing to get some experience working for an NGO for a day, please keep reading!

Who: Verifiers familiar with regional bumble bee identification. FOE is specifically looking for representatives from British Columbia, the Prairies, Central Canada, and Eastern Canada.

Date: Saturday, October 14, 2017

Location: Verifiers who live in Toronto will meet in the city, while those who live elsewhere will participate online through Google Hangouts.

Time: 10am – 3pm

Bonus: An honorarium is available for participating verifiers.

If you are interested please send an updated copy of your resume/cv and a short paragraph highlighting your experience with bumble bee identification to: beatrice@foecanada.org.

Deadline for application: October 6, 2017



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