Dear Ecolog community,

I am recruiting 1-2 MSc or PhD students to join my research group in the Department of Geography at the University of British Columbia in Fall 2022. Ongoing research focuses on tropical forest-savanna mosaic landscapes, and includes projects on fire regimes, processes that maintain boundaries between forests and savanna, functional strategies of forest and savanna trees, and restoration of mosaic landscapes. We use a variety of approaches, including remote sensing and observational field studies. Students will have the opportunity to develop projects related to their own interests within the broader lab themes but will ideally pursue research at our field sites in forest-savanna mosaic landscapes in Siem Reap and Preah Vihear, Cambodia.

Strong applicants will have some experience conducting research in ecology and/or geography and at least some coursework or training in ecology. Ph.D. applicants should have or be working toward an M.Sc. (or have completed independent research that is moving toward publication). Field research experience, particularly in tropical forests, is an asset, as is experience with ecological and/or geospatial data.

For more information on the positions (including information on funding) and how to apply, please see: blogs.ubc.ca/schwartzlab/join-us

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