

## Forest fuels and fire behaviour - [Professor Mike Wotton](#)

### Openings: PhD and MScF

Dr. Mike Wotton works closely with fire management agencies throughout Canada to improve our understanding of environmental processes shaping wildfire ignition and behaviour and to use this knowledge to help inform wildfire response planning and operational strategies.

Dr Wotton will consider the application of graduate students who are interested in focusing on the physical aspects of wildland fire management. Students should have experience working either in the wildfire management community (e.g., in the crew system) or in wildfire management research. Ideally students should have good quantitative skills (e.g., some ability with statistics, computer programming) and also some field experience.