



# Statistician

## Plymouth, Devon, UK

Plymouth Marine Laboratory (PML) is seeking to appoint a Statistician. PML is recognised internationally as a dynamic, highly innovative, independent and impartial deliverer of scientific research and advice on the marine environment.

### Opportunity:

#### Statistician

Salary **£27,109 - £33,740 p.a.**

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A new full-time permanent strategic post at PML offers an enthusiastic and highly motivated statistician the exciting opportunity to work with us on leading-edge, globally important, internationally recognised scientific and technological research.

A statistician is sought to strengthen PML science. If successful you will be expected to develop a role contributing to PML science by working collaboratively within teams. You will have the opportunity to develop a research agenda of your own.

Initially the role will include holistic analyses of existing large complex datasets derived from research cruises and conducting meta-analyses to understand the effects of different anthropogenic drivers of ecological change in coastal seas. PML has a long-term interest in developing statistics for practitioners, and multivariate analysis for ecologists, and an interest in these would be beneficial.

For further information about PML please refer to [www.pml.ac.uk](http://www.pml.ac.uk).

### Eligibility:

If successful you will have appropriate academic statistical qualifications and experience. Knowledge and 2-3 years working experience of applying statistics in ecology and environmental science and the issues associated with working with a wide range of data. You will be highly numerate but will also possess good written and spoken communication skills. You will also be competent with a range of specialist and general software, although working experience of Word, Excel and Access software will be expected. You must be willing to work flexibly at sea if required.

### How to apply:

For additional information and an application form, please contact: Mrs E. Matthews, Human Resources Group, PML, Plymouth, PL1 3DH, UK  
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Quoting reference number: PML35211.

**The application deadline is the 6th of May 2011.**

**The proposed interview date is w.c. 23rd of May 2011, for a start as soon as possible.**

