

# PhD position in Plant Ecology

at the University of Waterloo (ON, Canada)



Funding is available for a PhD student to conduct research on intraspecific trait variation and covariation in plants.

I am looking for an autonomous and highly motivated person with an MSc in a closely related field.

One project will study carbon- and water-use leaf traits across biological scales. Others will be developed by the student based on shared interests and available opportunities. Areas of interest include plasticity, trait integration, selection, community ecology, climate change & leaf, root & wood traits.

To start in Fall 2025 or earlier

For more information, see [juliemessier.org/join-the-lab](http://juliemessier.org/join-the-lab)

Send your motivation letter, C.V., transcript, a writing sample (e.g. a 1<sup>st</sup>-authored paper) and the contact info for 2 references to:  
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