

POSTING NO.: ESSF 1587

AFFILIATION: CSU52

**The Edmonton Space & Science Foundation
ASTRONOMICAL OBSERVATORY ATTENDANT
Temporary Part Time
(June 17, 2022 until September 5, 2022)
Up to 3 Positions**

The TELUS World of Science – Edmonton's (TWOSE) mission is to: Ignite curiosity. Inspire discovery. Celebrate science. Change lives. Located in Treaty Six Territory, we are the destination to engage Albertans' hearts and minds in science.

TWOSE is committed to diversity, equity, and inclusion. We encourage Indigenous peoples, persons living with disability, sexual and gender minorities, women and members of all minority groups to apply. All qualified candidates are encouraged to apply.

DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES:

- Open and close Observatory on specific days and nights.
- Set up telescopes for public viewing of the sun, planets and other celestial wonders.
- Describe astronomical ideas and theories to the public.
- Answer guest inquiries about the facility, general science and telescopes.
- Perform minor maintenance on equipment.
- Responsible for cleaning the Observatory.
- Post information on the Observatory bulletin board.
- Report any technical problems to supervisory staff.
- Assist in training and supervision on volunteers.
- Ensure that the log book is completed after every shift.

QUALIFICATIONS:

Knowledge and Abilities:

- Working knowledge of telescopes
- Ability to deal with the public in a courteous and professional manner

Education and Experience:

- Public speaking experience, preferably in a planetarium, classroom or other similar environment.
- Experience working in a public service related job or volunteer position is an asset.



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Note: A clean Police Information Check including the vulnerable sector is a condition of employment for successful candidates. The check must be completed prior to commencement of work and is the financial responsibility of the candidate.

COVID-19 Notice: TELUS World of Science - Edmonton has implemented a COVID-19 Vaccination Policy. Employees must be fully vaccinated against COVID-19 and provide proof of vaccination. Please note that this policy applies to all employees, including new hires, and volunteers. If your application is successful, you will be asked to provide proof of vaccination or request an exemption.

Wages: \$17.82 to \$ 22.09 based on 2017-2022 Collective Agreement.

Hours of Work: Must be available weekday (dayshift) and weekend (dayshift and evening shift). Observatory will be open – weather permitting- every day of the week. 10 – 25 hours per week.

Opening Date: May 17, 2022

Closing Date: May 24, 2022

How to Apply: hr@twose.ca

Please include cover letter and resume in one document. We thank all applicants and advise that only those selected for an interview will be contacted.

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