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Edmonton Space & Science Foundation Employment Opportunity Indigenous Education Intern Part-Time

Join TELUS World of Science – Edmonton (TWOSE) as we embark on our 40^{th} trip around the sun! Situated in the heart of amiskwacîwâskahikan $\sqrt[4]{}^{\circ}b^{\dagger} \dot{\triangleleft}^{\circ}b^{\dagger} \Delta b^{\circ}$ in Treaty Six Territory and the Métis Homeland, we are the destination to engage Albertans' hearts and minds in science, with a mission to ignite curiosity, inspire discovery, celebrate science, and change lives.

We take pride in building a culture that is diverse, equitable, and inclusive. Science is for everyone, and the Science Centre team is as diverse as our guests. We encourage Black, Indigenous, and racialized peoples, persons living with disability and neurodiversity, women, sexual and gender minorities, and members of all minority groups to apply.

Be part of an organization that values diverse perspectives, identities, abilities, and expressions. From cosmic discoveries through telescopes to 'Aha!' moments under microscopes, join the Science Centre as we celebrate the endless possibilities of science for the next 40 years!

POSITION SUMMARY:

In collaboration with the Manager of Indigenous Initiatives, the Indigenous Education Intern is responsible for assisting in the administering and monitoring of Indigenous Initiatives programming at TELUS World of Science – Edmonton. This position is responsible for various tasks related to assisting in the development, presentation, supply, and evaluation of educational programs, primarily focused on engagement with public programming.

Teachings and educational programs may include drop-in public programs, interpretive programs, planetarium presentations, and demonstrations. Programming will primarily occur onsite, with the potential opportunity to deliver programming through other venues.

The Indigenous Education Intern reports to the Manager of Indigenous Initiatives.

DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES:

Duties for the Indigenous Education Intern include but are not limited to the following:

- Deliver and help create programming relating Indigenous Knowledge and Western Science to all age groups;
- Mentor with Elders, Knowledge Keepers, and community members;
- Engage with teachings and educational programs that may include interpretive programs, planetarium presentations, camps/courses and after-school programs.
 Presentations primarily occur on-site;
- Assist with establishing meaningful and welcoming relationships with our First Nations, Metis, and Inuit peoples;





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- Maintain records related to assigned activities and projects and provide program feedback to the team;
- Assist in the development, documentation and updating of programs, including additional methods of delivery such as video conferencing etc.;
- Provide feedback on inventory systems and other processes; and
- Ensure Alberta Occupational Health and Safety is top priority for all guests.

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

QUALIFICATIONS:

Knowledge & Abilities:

- Experience working with First Nation, Metis, and Inuit peoples;
- Ability to form and maintain relationships with Traditional Knowledge Keepers, Indigenous community educators and Elders, both urban and rural;
- Interpersonal communication skills (oral and written);
- The ability to work independently and in a collaborative team environment;
- Lived experience and knowledge base of Indigenous Culture, Ceremonies and Protocols:
- Initiative to remain current on science topics, particularly as they relate to Indigenous Knowledge and Ways of Knowing;
- Technical aptitude (i.e. audio/visual equipment, computers, etc.) with familiarity of web based applications.
- Able to participate in, organize, lead, and supervise group activities.

Education and Experience:

- 2 years' experience in a related position is desirable. Post-secondary degree/diploma, or progress thereof, in one of the following areas is preferred:
- Education
- Technology
- Science
- Science Communication
- Indigenous Studies

Salary: \$17.82 – \$22.09 per hour as per the 2017- 2022 Collective Agreement (PT140)

Hours of Work: Approximately 10 hours per week, primarily evenings and weekends. Flexible scheduling is available.

Opening Date: January 25, 2024

Closing Date: February 1, 2024 or until suitable candidate found.

Apply to: https://doi.org/10.1001/journalcom/ 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.