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The Edmonton Space & Science Foundation Arctic Presenter Part-Time

Join TELUS World of Science – Edmonton (TWOSE) as we embark on our 40th trip around the sun! Situated in the heart of amiskwacîwâskahikan ⊲ Γ h h d h arts 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!

THE OPPORTUNITY:

TELUS World of Science – Edmonton is looking for outgoing and enthusiastic communicators, who can turn even the most ordinary of moments into ultimate experiences for TWOSE guests.

We are looking for an Arctic Presenter primarily for our *Arctic Journey* gallery. In your letter of application, please highlight any relevant skills, knowledge, and experience that you possess.

POSITION SUMMARY:

The Arctic Presenter will primarily work in our Arctic Journey gallery. This role is part of both the Indigenous Initiatives and Science Experience teams, which are coordinated by the Manager of Indigenous Initiatives and the Director of Science Experience

The Arctic Presenter role will include assistance in delivering programming within the Arctic Journey Gallery. They will create meaningful connections between Indigenous Ways of Knowing and Western Science (two-eyed seeing). This includes teaching about perspectives of nature and the universe as they relate to Arctic communities and their Worldviews. The incumbent will highlight Arctic connections to astronomy, ecosystems, ourselves, and each other, through Indigenous Ways of Knowing that are utilized to find equity and prominence aside Western Science.



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DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES:

As an Arctic Presenter, you will:

- Deliver programming to guests of all ages and backgrounds, with a focus on how we can interpret science through an Indigenous Worldview.
- Provide superior guest experience for all programs and respond to visitor inquiries about TELUS World of Science - Edmonton, our programs, and general Arctic or science related questions;
- Build relationships with community partners.
- Participate in organizing and facilitating events, teachings, and programs.
- Lead inquiry and skills-based activities and programs;
- Be responsible for the care and safe use of activity materials and exhibit spaces;
- Ensure program components are set up and all areas are cleaned appropriately;
- Operate various computer and electronic equipment used in the gallery;
- Be a positive role model for TWOSE volunteers and thrive as part of a team of people with diverse backgrounds.

QUALIFICATIONS:

Knowledge and Abilities:

- Knowledge of Northern First Nations, Metis, Inuit, and / or Gwich'in culture. First-hand, lived experience is strongly preferred.
- Committed to continuous learning and development, including knowledge in Western Science as it relates to personal interests related to this posting
- Strong public speaking or presenting skills with the desire to share, collaborate, create, and experiment with others.
- The ability to work independently and in a collaborative team environment; with an outgoing personality and the desire to share, collaborate, create, and experiment with others.
- Excellent interpersonal and communication skills, and the ability to adapt quickly and readily to learn new skills.

Education and Experience:

- Lived experience with regard to Indigenous Cultures and Worldviews is strongly preferred.
- Knowledge obtained through some combination of education, such as:
 - High school diploma supplemented by post-secondary education
 - High school diploma and experience living on the land traditionally
- A lifetime of traditional learning
- Experience working with general public in an interpretive/educational setting preferred.
- Multilingual ability is an asset.



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Wages: \$18.32-\$22.59 per hour based on 2023-2024 Collective Agreement (PT140).

Hours of Work: 10-15 hours per week based on operational need. Must be available weekends, weekdays, evenings, and holidays between 9:00am and 6:00pm.

Opening Date: July 15, 2024

Closing Date: July 22, 2024 or until suitable candidate found.

Note: A clean Police Information Check including the vulnerable sector is a condition of employment for successful candidates.

How to Apply: Send application to hr@twose.ca. Please include cover letter and resume, along with your weekly availability, in one document. We thank all applicants and advise that only those selected for an interview will be contacted.