

EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY



The Confederacy of Mainland Mi'kmaq

Department of Aquatic Resources & Fisheries Management

Mi'kmaw Conservation Group Species-at-Risk Outreach Coordinator

The Confederacy of Mainland Mi'kmaq (The CMM) is a Tribal Council representing eight, Mi'kmaq communities of mainland NS. Our mission is to proactively promote and assist Mi'kmaq communities' initiatives towards self-determination and enhancement of community. The CMM main office is in the Millbrook Mi'kmaw Community in Nova Scotia and has over 90 Employees. The CMM's Department of Environment and Natural Resources (DENR) is currently looking for an energetic, mature and independent candidate to fill the role of MCG's Species-at-Risk Outreach Coordinator.

The MCG is focused on promoting and restoring the concept of Netukulimk in Nova Scotia's watersheds. To ensure that future generations will have access to a healthy environment. The MCG team targets its work on a variety of marine and freshwater management projects and participating in programs that involve youth mentorship and building Mi'kmaw capacity. The MCG also addresses issues related to species-at-risk, water quality, commercial fisheries and directed habitat restoration.

The MCG Species at Risk Outreach Coordinator will be responsible for developing and carrying out the Outreach and Education activities within MCGs Canadas Nature Fund for Aquatic Species at Risk Project. S/he will also be responsible for managing his/her own work plan; promoting scientific capacity within Mi'kmaw Communities; presenting research and outreach results to advisory committees; assisting, when possible, with field work; and adhering to safety protocols associated with field work in aquatic environments.

Position Requirements:

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- Experience working in or with First Nation communities.
- Experience with event/outreach planning and engagement activities.
- Comfortable working with youth of all ages.
- Demonstrates a passion for education and outreach of conservation in the environment.
- Strong presentation, teaching and training skills.
- Strong organizational skills.
- Ability to work independently and with minimal supervision.
- Ability to work productively as part of a team.
- Proficiency with common office software (e.g. Microsoft Office, Excel, PowerPoint, etc.)
- Must be able to travel overnight and work overtime when required.
- Must have access to a vehicle and have valid driver's licence.

Asset Qualifications:

- Completion of a post-secondary program related to public relations', communications or a related field.
- Knowledge and understanding of Species at Risk.
- Valid First Aid/CPR and WHMIS certification.

Salary/Employment Term:

Salary range: \$35,000 - \$40,000/year. This is a one-year contract with the opportunity for renewal.

Application Deadline: September 18, 2019 by 4:00 PM

Submit Resume to:

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