

Job Opportunity MiꞖmaw Legal Support Network

Agency: Project Venture is a year-round prevention program comprised of a set of key components adapted for Aboriginal youth. The pilot program will engage youth actively in service as a means of investing in the community and reconnecting them with positive adult role models. The major intervention strategies include summer skill-building leadership camps and outdoor adventure activities, followed by school- and community-based programs for youth. The MLSN is a program is under the auspices of the Confederacy of Mainland MiꞖmaq of Nova Scotia.

Position: Project Venture Coordinator

Location: Eskasoni MLSN Office and site communities of Membertou, Eskasoni, Indianbrook and Pictou Landing First Nation.

Specific Requirements:

- University degree Required
- MiꞖmaq language preferred
- Experience working with youth and adolescents is preferred
- Knowledge and familiarity with MiꞖmaq culture and communities.
- Knowledge of MiꞖmaq Legal support Network and other Aboriginal Justice Programs
- Ability to work with families and youth in crisis
- Must possess good communication skills and public speaking skills
- Computer skills require
- Must pass Criminal Record Screening and Child Abuse Register

General Description:

The Program Coordinator will plan, organize and direct programming and experiential activities. The individual must be able to work flexible hours and will serve as a technical resource person, representing the organization in communicating and disseminating information on program activities to partnering communities and resources. Assist in experiential and life skills development opportunities for youth in the program in the form of initiative games, service learning projects, outdoor activities which include but are not limited to hiking, biking, swimming, rock climbing, backpacking, talking circles, etc

Salary: Upon Request

Deadline for applications is November 19, 2009

Please include a cover letter explaining your interest in this position.
Forward resumes and cover letter with two references to:

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