SUMMER STUDENT EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY

Aanischaaukamikw is the cultural centre for the nine Cree communities of Eeyou Istchee in Northern Quebec. This major new facility is located in Oujé-Bougoumou, QC, a community of 700 persons. Aanischaaukamikw is a multi-purpose cultural entity, bringing together regional cultural programming for the Cree Nation for all to share on-site and throughout the communities. Aanischaaukamikw is presently seeking a:



Tour Guide/Interpreter (12 weeks)

ACCI is seeking an enthusiastic and dedicated individual for the position of Interpreter/Tour Guide to work alongside our Education Team for a 12 week period, starting at the end of May 2017 and finishing at the end of August 2017, to help provide Tours of our building and Exhibits. In addition, he or she is responsible for the delivery of school and public programs that interpret and preserve Cree history, culture and language relevant to the Aanischaaukamikw's programming orientations and the Education branch goals.

CORE DUTIES

- Providing guided tours of Aanischaaukamikw and of our permanent and traveling exhibits
- Greeting guests to Aanischaaukamikw and collection of tour monies
- Booking tours for individuals and tour groups
- Maintaining the tour/visitor calendar and collecting visitor statistics
- Occasionally replacing receptionist
- Handling telephone inquiries
- Photocopying, mail outs, other administrative duties as required
- Taking training offered and self-directed learning pertaining to the museum collections and Aanischaaukamikw programs

PREFERRED CANDIDATE PROFILE

- Ideal for students thinking of pursuing a degree or certificate in Museum Studies, Anthropology, First Nations / Aboriginal studies
- Intermediate computer skills required. Candidate should have basic understanding of Microsoft Office programs.
- Understanding of Cree culture and heritage, traditions and practices

- Personal Interest in learning about Cree culture, heritage, tradition and practices
- Ability to discuss both agreed-upon information as well as respond to informal questions from visitors
- Candidate should be self-motivated, with a positive approach to work.
- Candidate should have good organisational skills.
- French and Cree language skills are an asset but not required.
- Students from the 9 Cree communities of the Cree Nation are highly encouraged to apply.

SALARY AND WORKING CONDITIONS

- Full time, 35 hours a week (typically 9am-5pm, evenings and weekend hours may be
- required)
- Wage: \$18.00/hr
- Suggested start date: 5th of June 2017
- Suggested end date: 1st of September 2017

TO APPLY

To apply please send a resume / curriculum vitae via mail or email by 24th of May to the attention of:

Robert Imrie Director of Programs Aanischaakamikw Cree Cultural Institute, 205 Opemiska Meskino, Ouje Bougoumou, QC G0W 3C0 Tel: 418-775-2444 ex 2101 Email: rob.imrie@creeculture.ca

Please feel free to contact Robert Imrie by phone or email if you have any questions about the position.

This employment opportunity is made available through funding provided by Young Canada Works. All applicants must be registered with YCW and meet all eligibility requirements. This position is subject to funding.

We thank everyone that applies, but only the chosen candidates for an interview will be contacted.