

## **Museum Interpreter (Bilingual or English-speaking)**

Total weeks: 12- 16 weeks (depends on grant funding)

37.5 hours a week

Hourly wage: \$15.00

Description: Culture Summerside is seeking enthusiastic and qualified student applicants for the position of Museum Interpreter to offer an exceptional museum experience to our residents and summer visitors. Duties will include providing guided tours of historic sites and museums including the Wyatt House Museum, Lefurgey Cultural Centre, the Summerside Interpretive Centre and the Bishop Machine Shop Museum. The position will also require participation in delivering cultural programming, conducting research and handling front-desk duties including greeting visitors, providing information about our heritage and cultural assets and handling financial transactions.

Ability to memorize content and comfort with public speaking are required to deliver a top-notch experience to visitors. The ideal candidate for this job should have a passion for community history, ideally with history, museum or education as their major study of focus, or with experience in these fields. They should have an above average level of communication skills not only in public speaking and presentation but as well in reading and understanding information. Candidates should have strong computer skills and a good working knowledge of social media platforms. An outgoing, friendly and diplomatic demeanor is also important for this position. Experience working with the public and with diverse audiences will be an asset. Having bilingual communication skills are an asset.

Contact Info for Summer Positions:

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