Hydrology Assistant



The Lake Winnipeg Foundation is hiring for the position of Hydrology Assistant. This position is based out of Winnipeg and includes travel throughout southern Manitoba. The position is 40 hours per week, \$15.25/hr, from May 6 - Aug. 23, 2019.

Responsibilities

Reporting to the Community-Based Monitoring (CBM) Co-ordinator, the primary responsibility of the Hydrology Assistant is to collect robust and credible discharge data to support the activities of the Lake Winnipeg Community-Based Monitoring Network. Tasks will include:

- Conducting weekly discharge measurements at sites across southern Manitoba
- Maintaining field equipment and tracking equipment inventory
- Managing and analyzing hydrology data
- Assisting with sampling activities in southern Manitoba, using CBM network protocols and equipment
- Assisting with field audits of CBM volunteers
- Representing LWF in a manner consistent with its mission, vision and values
- Writing a final report on 2019 activities
- Other duties as required

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The successful applicant will have:

- A combination of education/experience in a relevant field (science; hydrology; environmental science)
- Experience conducting field work and managing data
- Exceptional organizational skills and proven attention to detail
- Strong interpersonal and written communication skills
- Ability to multi-task effectively and meet deadlines in a fast-paced environment
- Adaptable, resourceful, able to think on your feet
- Energetic and enthusiastic
- Ability to work well in a diverse team environment
- Demonstrated proficiency in Microsoft Office, especially Word and Excel
- Ability to undertake physical field work activities
- Registered drivers licence

• Knowledge of Lake Winnipeg communities and issues affecting lake health is an asset

Funding for this position requires applicants to meet the following criteria to be eligible:

- Be between 15 and 30 years of age (inclusive) at the start of employment;
- Be registered as a full-time student during the preceding academic year;
- Intend to return to school on a full-time basis during the next academic year;
- Be willing to commit to the full duration of the work assignment and will not have another full-time job (over 30 hours a week) during the work term
- Be a Canadian Citizen or permanent resident, or has refugee status
- Have a valid social insurance number and is legally entitled to work in Canada
- Have a working knowledge of both English and French, and
- Be willing to work in another region of Canada

LWF's hiring, promotion and compensation decisions are based on assessment of employee skills, ability and experience with respect to the requirements of the position. LWF does not discriminate based on sex, race, ethnicity, gender, sexual orientation, age, religion, marital status or any other factor unrelated to an employee's performance.

Interested applicants should forward their resume and cover letter by email to cbm@lakewinnipegfoundation.org (Subject: Hydrology Assistant).

Applications are due by end of day, Friday, March 29th, 2019. Thank you for your interest. Only candidates to be interviewed will be contacted.

The Lake Winnipeg Foundation (LWF) is an environmental non-governmental organization advocating for change and co-ordinating action to ensure a clean, healthy Lake Winnipeg and watershed, now and for future generations.

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