



Unama'ki Institute of Natural Resources

Employment Opportunity

Administrative Assistant

(Full time, permanent position)

Unama'ki Institute of Natural Resources is Unama'ki's Mi'kmaq voice on natural resources and the environment. UINR works with Netukulimk with traditional and conventional ways of understanding on aquatic research and stewardship, species management, traditional Mi'kmaq knowledge, conserved and protected areas, water quality monitoring and environmental partnerships.

This Administrative Assistant assists the organization by performing clerical, secretarial and stenographic duties.

Key Responsibilities:

- Screen telephone and personal callers
- Provide information to assist callers or refer them to appropriate contacts
- Attend and take minutes of meetings for various meetings, including Board meetings, staff meetings, Elders meetings, Workshops and partnership meetings.
- Operate office equipment such as photocopiers, facsimile machines, computers
- File correspondence and other records
- Receive and process incoming and outgoing mail
- Prepare agendas and programs for meetings
- Book and confirm meeting spaces and hospitality for meetings
- Send out meeting notices to appropriate parties for meetings, events, workshops etc.
- Organize inventory and order office supplies
- Assist with registration for workshops or conferences when needed
- Other duties as pertaining to the role as required.

Qualifications:

- Completion of administrative professionals course or equivalent experience
- Able to work accurately and neatly
- Good language skills, both written and spoken
- Sound organizational and interpersonal skills
- Able to work under pressure and meet deadlines
- Able to work independently
- Aptitude for working with computers
- Professional and pleasant manner
- Able to act with tact and discretion
- Fluency in the Mi'kmaq language an asset

Salary Range: Starting at \$36,650 annually, dependent on qualifications and experience

Deadline for application: December 13, 2023

Only potential candidates will be contacted for interviews. We encourage all qualified persons to apply; however, qualified Aboriginal applicants will be given priority in accordance with the Aboriginal Employment Preference policy of the Canadian Human Rights Commission.

**Send resumes and cover letter to:
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