



Unama'ki Institute of Natural Resources

Employment Opportunity

GIS Nature Mapping Technician

Full time, term ending March 2026, with possibility of renewal

UINR is a non-profit natural resource management organization that works on behalf of Cape Breton's five Mi'kmaw communities toward a sustainable Unama'ki. UINR strengthens Mi'kmaw research and governance while maintaining traditional Mi'kmaw values and worldviews.

UINR is looking for a dynamic individual to assist in ensuring the responsible and sustainable use of our natural resources. The successful candidate will work with UINR in developing an on-the-land natural resource monitoring program based on Etuaptmumk. This will include mapping regions of Unama'ki, map creation as program tools, as well as collaborating with all of UINR's initiatives.

Key Responsibilities

- Assemble and maintain GIS data, and perform basic data analysis and spatial queries;
- Conduct field assessments, and assist with research and monitoring projects;
- Communicate with private landowners and partner organizations, and liaise with groups and organizations for the purpose of establishing partnerships and collaborating on projects;
- Assist with community education and outreach programs;;
- Collection, interpretation and incorporation of MEK into research and stewardship activities;
- Other duties that emerge as requested by management.

Qualifications - *We recognize and value Mi'kmaw lived experience!*

- Post-secondary education with experience in GIS
- Experience using ArcGIS
- Ability to work on projects independently with strong technical skills with field experience
- Strong organizational and time management skills, communication, interpersonal, and teamwork skills
- Experience working with Mi'kmaw communities and / or organizations
- Must be willing and able to work in all weather conditions, and some evenings and weekends as required

Salary Range: Starting at \$48,709

Deadline for application: March 22, 2024 at 4pm AST

To apply, send cover letter and resume with two references to:

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