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Job Announcement

Position: Water Safety and Program Leader

This is a Service Canada **summer job** commencing in late April or early May and ending not later than Sept 2, 2017. Maximum duration is 16 weeks. To be eligible, **students** must:

- be between 15 and 30 years of age at the start of the employment;
- have been registered as full-time students in the previous academic year and intend to return to school on a full-time basis in the next academic year;
- be a Canadian citizen, permanent resident, or person to whom refugee protection has been conferred under the *Immigration and Refugee Protection Act*; and,
- be legally entitled to work in Canada in accordance with relevant provincial/territorial legislation and regulations.

Work tasks and responsibilities: This job has multiple tasks. The key and initial responsibility will be water safety for school field trips on the water. In addition, on-going native plant restoration consistent with BC Parks' management plan is carried out. Finally, this person will work with an interdisciplinary team to upgrade the facilities located at Tod Inlet for restoration, cultural and education programs.

Qualifications: In addition to the Service Canada criteria at the top of this page, we will be looking for a student with the mix of experience and education that best meets the job duties. Bronze Cross or higher water safety certification is required. Students with runabout power boat and manually powered small craft experience and/or environmental education experience will have an advantage. Familiarity with Coast Saalish culture would be an asset. We are looking for a competent person who can be part of a team that will work independently once trained. Communication skills in oral, written and public presentation forms are all needed.

Hours and pay: 35 hours per week at \$16 per hour plus vacation payout. Holidays are off without pay because of the short period of employment. No overtime.

To apply: Please send a letter of interest with a resume of your experience, education and skills to Sarah Versteegen at either of the below addresses.

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