Education Assistant/Summer Camp Counselor- Young Canada Works Position

The Vancouver Maritime Museum is seeking a motivated, enthusiastic and energetic individual to develop and deliver summer day camps and assist the programs department in hosting and presenting maritime-themed educational programs to the public. Responsibilities will include organizing and delivering summer day camps in July and August which includes leading daily activities and supervising camp attendees. As well as, assisting the programs department in hosting and presenting events to the public for World Oceans Day, National Indigenous Peoples Day, Canada Day and BC Day. The successful applicant will be an organized, outgoing team player that is comfortable working with children and speaking publicly. This temporary, full-time position is funded in part by the Young Canada Works (YCW) employment initiative of the Department of Canadian Heritage.

Employment term: May 10, 2021 – August 27, 2021 (16 weeks); 35 hours per week including some weekdays, weekends, holidays, and evenings. **Position is subject to grant funding.**

Remuneration: \$16.00 per hour + 10% in lieu of benefits and statutory holidays.

Responsibilities:

- Research, develops and delivers maritime themed day camps to children ages five to twelve.
- Assists programming staff in organizing and hosting virtual and/or in person summer public programming and events.
- Prepares virtual presentations for Canada Day and BC Day or attends outreach events if in person programs are permitted.
- Works with museum staff and volunteers involved in educational programs.

Qualifications:

- Organized team player with excellent interpersonal and communication skills.
- Experience working with children and family groups.
- Background and/or interest in history, humanities, education, communications, fine arts, theater and/or museum studies programs
- Eligible candidates must meet requirements for the YCW program and be a full-time student (16-30 years old) or returning to full-time studies in the fall.

How to apply: Apply with a cover letter and resume by Friday, April 22nd by email to: Kanchan Lal, Programs Coordinator at education@vanmaritime.com

The Vancouver Maritime Museum Society is an equal opportunity employer and the Government of Canada's job equity groups are encouraged to apply. No phone inquiries please. Please note that only short-listed candidates will be notified.