



Come join our team!

Consultation Fisheries Support Officer

Do you love taking on difficult challenges and being busy (really busy)? Do you want to actively work toward the protection of Mi'kmaw Rights? Do you have a passion for fisheries and all things that happen on the water? Do you enjoy problem solving, puzzles, research and people? Are you ready to expand your toolbox, while striving for excellence & awesomeness? Are you fearless, passionate and humble in the protection of rights? If so, then this might be just perfect for you!

We are looking for someone who:

- Can assist with the planning, development and implementation of projects - including project plans, solutions and contributes to issue resolution through research, analysis, and planning and monitoring activities;
- Is not afraid of searching and will dig to find answers;
- Is passionate about the UNDRIP & Free, Prior and Informed Consent;
- Is not easily flustered (almost like you can play your favorite sport and your hair still looks great);
- Wants to play an active roll in providing the Mi'kmaw leadership with information to make decisions;
- Wants to have a dialogue with Mi'kmaw community members about information on Consultation projects;
- Has a strong interest in fisheries, Marine Protected Areas, Areas of Interest and Marine Spatial Planning and how different levels of governments works in that field,
- Has knowledge about Marine Protected Areas and wants to work with the Mi'kmaq on this important topic; and
- Wants to be part of the team who is working towards the protection of our Mi'kmaq Rights from being impacted.

**If this describes you,
YOU ARE A SUPERSTAR and we want you on our team!**

If you are good at:

- Paying attention to details
- Collecting data, defining problems, fact finding, and drawing valid conclusions to support Mi'kmaq rights
- Support streamlining and developing internal processes
- Reviewing and analyzing Federal or Provincial Environmental Assessments
- Advocating for issues of concern for the Mi'kmaq of Nova Scotia
- Being busy and balancing priorities with the ability to consistently meet deadlines

Extra awesome attributes you may have:

- Knowledge of Mi'kmaw Traditions, culture and of the Nova Scotia Mi'kmaw communities
- Strong understanding of and ability to review technical information
- Knowledge of Mi'kmaw Traditional Use and Mi'kmaw Rights

You have:

- A degree in Environmental Science, Biology, or a related field or equivalent experience
- A strong knowledge of the Provincial and Federal Environmental Assessment Acts
- A strong knowledge of Marine Protected Areas, Areas of Interest and Marine Spatial Planning

Tell us about yourself:

Let us know you are interested by sending us your cover letter and resume to our Communications Manager, Crystal Dorey, at cdorey@mikmaqrights.com or via fax at 902-843-3882.

Deadline to apply is Friday, January 22, 2021 at 4pm AST

Note: Kwilmu'kw Maw-klusuaqn hires on the basis of merit and is committed to employment equity. We encourage all qualified person to apply however, qualified Mi'kmaq and Aboriginal applicants will be given priority in accordance the Aboriginal Employment Preference policy of the Canadian Human Rights Commission.

**Only candidates selected for interviews will be contacted.
The position is subject to final budgetary approval.**