

Education and Early Childhood Development Education Innovation, Programs and Services

Statement of Project Work Position Title: Social Studies Project Lead

Overview:

We are seeking an educator with strong leadership skills, teaching experience, and expertise in curriculum and resource design in social studies, for project opportunities related to renewal of grades 7 and 8 social studies curricula, selected courses at the high school level, and the development of supporting learning resources.

Scope of Projects:

The Social Studies Project Lead is responsible for working with department staff and provincial teacher teams to review and implement the curriculum and supporting learning resources for grades 7 and 8 renewed social studies curricula. The Lead will also be supporting the redesign of selected social studies courses at high school.

Deliverables:

Monitoring and review of renewed grades 7 and 8 social studies curricula, including the development and implementation of learning resources, and support materials for grades 7 and 8 social studies
Working with teachers to review and redesign of selected social studies courses at the high school level.

Qualifications:

- □ Valid Nova Scotia Teaching Certificate
- Preference for a Master of Education degree in curriculum design
- Permanent contract teacher with employment in a Nova Scotia Regional Centre for Education or the Conseil scolaire acadien provincial
- Extensive and current related teaching and leadership experience at the school or board level
- □ Experience with current Social Studies curriculum at the Junior/Senior High levels
- Commitment to excellence and accountability in education
- □ Knowledge of current research in education with a focus on inquiry-based learning
- Strong knowledge of the Nova Scotia curriculum, classroom assessment for learning, culturally responsive practices, and inclusive education
- Expertise and experience in curricula and resource design
- □ Familiarity with Moodle, Google Apps for Education, and interactive online learning resources
- Excellent communication and presentation skills (oral, written, technology)
- Strong organizational and planning skills and the ability to deal effectively with a demanding and challenging workload
- □ Ability to work to work both independently and collaboratively with an action-oriented team.
- □ French would be an asset

Work Location:

Nova Scotia Department of Education and Early Childhood Development

Start Date: August 26, 2019 (start date negotiable) **End Date:** June 30, 2021

Names of those interested, applications are to be submitted by July 22, 2019 to contact listed below: eips@novascotia.ca

For Additional Information Please Contact:

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