



SHERBROOKE VILLAGE RESTORATION COMMISSION
Internal Job Competition

Senior Interpreter (Rovers)

Full time seasonal position

Roving Interpretation is a unique way to bring the daily events of Sherbrooke Village to life. Strong interpretation of characters and of historically accurate events are depicted as an average day in rural 1860's Nova Scotia. This group is highly engaged with visitors and interacts with Living History, Artisan and Hands on History interpreters. The Senior Interpreter will lead by example, and inspire and hold accountable the others in the group to ensure consistent offerings are being made to our visitors. The Senior Interpreter will work closely with management to ensure the vision for the museum is kept top of mind and implemented among the group. It is expected that the person in this senior role also assumes leadership in the development of story content ideas, new daily experience offerings, and ongoing character development within the group.

Position: This is a full time seasonal position, normally 17 weeks in duration.

Salary: \$18.19/hour.

Start Date: Spring 2019, TBD

Reporting to: Supervisor of Interpretation (Living History)

Application Process: Your cover letter should highlight how the applicant clearly meets the Statement of Qualifications listed below. Cover letter and resume may be sent to robin.anderson@novascotia.ca or delivered in person to the Sherbrooke Village Administration Office by 4pm on Friday, March 1, 2019 (Attn: Director of Visitor Experience). We thank all those that apply. Only those selected for further assessment will be contacted. Please be aware that Selection Board knowledge of the candidate's knowledge, abilities, and personal suitability may be used as part of the assessment process.

This position will be staffed for a one season term in 2019 with the possibility of change in status to an indeterminate seasonal position in the future.

Statement of Qualifications:

Education:

- High School Diploma or equivalent.

Experience:

- Demonstrated experience in delivering memorable "in character" experiences with visitors
- Demonstration of leadership attributes
- Demonstrated experience in the development of interpretive programming and special events

Knowledge:

- Knowledge of all Sherbrooke Village offerings and daily operations
- Knowledge of current and emerging trends in interpretation techniques and approaches

Abilities:

- Ability to inspire staff in the delivery of amazing 1st person visitor experiences
- Ability to interpret Sherbrooke Village life in the 1860s
- Ability to collaborate with other functional areas within the organization
- Ability to inspire colleagues to collectively strive for excellence

Personal Suitability:

- Exercises sound judgment.
- Makes things happen.
- Strives for excellence
- Takes responsibility
- Personally connects with others