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The Edmonton Space & Science Foundation Science Presenter Part-Time Up to 5 positions

Join TELUS World of Science – Edmonton (TWOSE) as we embark on our 40^{th} trip around the sun! Situated in the heart of amiskwacîwâskahikan $alpha \Gamma^{0} + \dot{\nabla} \dot{\nabla}^{0} + \dot{\nabla}^{0} = 0$ in Treaty Six Territory and the Métis Homeland, we are the destination to engage Albertans' hearts and minds in science, with a mission to ignite curiosity, inspire discovery, celebrate science, and change lives.

We take pride in building a culture that is diverse, equitable, and inclusive. Science is for everyone, and the Science Centre team is as diverse as our guests. We encourage Black, Indigenous, and racialized peoples, persons living with disability and neurodiversity, women, sexual and gender minorities, and members of all minority groups to apply.

Be part of an organization that values diverse perspectives, identities, abilities, and expressions. From cosmic discoveries through telescopes to 'Aha!' moments under microscopes, join the Science Centre as we celebrate the endless possibilities of science for the next 40 years!

THE OPPORTUNITY:

TELUS World of Science – Edmonton is looking for outgoing and enthusiastic communicators, who can turn even the most ordinary of moments into ultimate experiences for TWOSE guests.

We are looking for Science Presenters for the following areas: CuriousCITY, Science Garage, our Feature Exhibition Hall (Currently: *Our Climate Quest*), Arctic Journey, S.P.A.C.E., Health Zone, and the Syncrude Science Stage. In your letter of application, please highlight which location best suits your skills, knowledge, and experience and why.

POSITION SUMMARY:

Under the direction of the Director, Science Experience, and through the TELUS World of Science - Edmonton, the Science Presenter is primarily responsible for inspiring and communicating with visitors to create meaningful connections between guests and a science or knowledge related theme or message.

As a Science Presenter, this individual will inspire all visitors by initiating conversation and other presentation formats including talks, demonstrations, hands-on science opportunities, and exhibit interpretation. This individual must approach their work with a feeling of excitement, curiosity, and wonder.

The Science Presenter reports to Director, Science Experience with supervision by the Staff Scientists.



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DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES:

The Science Presenter will:

- Lead inquiry and skills-based activities and programs;
- Be responsible for the care and safe use of activity materials and exhibit spaces;
- Ensure program components are set up and all areas are cleaned appropriately;
- Operate various computer and electronic equipment used in the galleries and theatres;
- Provide superior customer service for all programs and respond to visitor inquiries about TELUS World of Science - Edmonton, our programs, and general science related questions;
- Be a positive role model for TWOSE volunteers and thrive as part of a team of people with diverse backgrounds.

QUALIFICATIONS:

Knowledge and Abilities:

- Strong working knowledge of scientific developments in one or more of the following areas: Arctic science, climate science, environmental studies, ecology, geology, indigenous knowledge, health sciences, space, astronomy, childhood development, engineering, chemistry, knowledge of First Nations, Metis, Cree, Inuit, or Gwich'in languages or cultures.
- Strong public speaking or presenting skills with the desire to share, collaborate, create, and experiment with others.
- The ability to work independently and in a collaborative team environment; with an
 outgoing personality and the desire to share, collaborate, create, and experiment with
 others.
- Excellent interpersonal and communication skills, and the ability to adapt quickly and readily to learn new skills.

Education/Experience:

- High School Diploma supplemented by post-secondary education. Degree/certificate in Education, Science, Science Communication or similar field is considered an asset. Combinations of other education and experience will be considered.
- Experience working with general public in an interpretive/educational setting preferred.
- Multilingual ability is an asset.

Note: A clean Police Information Check including the vulnerable sector is a condition of employment for successful candidates. The check must be completed prior to commencement of work and is the financial responsibility of the candidate.

Wages: \$18.32-\$22.59 per hour based on 2023-2024 Collective Agreement (PT140).

Hours of Work: 5-15 hours per week, based on operational demand. Must be available weekdays, weekends, and holidays.



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Opening Date: November 4, 2024 **Closing Date:** November 11, 2024

How to Apply: hr@twose.ca

Please include cover letter and resume in one document. We thank all applicants and advise that only those selected for an interview will be contacted.