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## **Youth Employment Program**

### **Temporary Opportunity**

**Exhibitions Assistant**

**Salary: \$1,128.48 bi-weekly plus Health & Welfare Allowance & 6% Vacation Pay**

**Royal BC Museum Corporation, Victoria, British Columbia**

**January 10, 2011 – April 30, 2011**

The Royal BC Museum Corporation has an opportunity for a multi-faceted, talented individual to join our creative exhibit team for a term period. This opportunity will be appealing to you if you have a desire to be an integral part of a talented group of people who are able to visually and tacitly create an environment that inspires awe and wonder in the natural and human history of British Columbia.

Under the supervision of the Manager of Exhibitions & Trades, the Exhibitions Assistant will assist with various aspects of gallery maintenance and renewal. As part of a team, the Exhibitions Assistant will be given the responsibility of maintaining a gallery following established museum procedures and guidelines.

As the Exhibitions Assistant, you will participate in the renewal of the Forest diorama, learning how to clean, create, assemble and install various components including branches and plant material. You will gain awareness of the multi-dimensional aspects of the museum visitor experience through research, staff collaboration and applying best practices. You will be able to apply your artistic abilities and demonstrate your technical skills working with a group of professionals in a creative supportive environment.

As the ideal candidate, you will have a background in fine arts enabling you to use your artistic abilities to match colours, create textures and artistic finishes. You will have some experience with design and lighting. You are able to work in a physically demanding environment, have strong attention to detail, take pride in your work, have had demonstrated experience working with hand and power tools; and are able to manage multiple tasks simultaneously. Your enthusiasm and confident nature enables you to develop and maintain a good working relationship with a variety of people. You may be expected to handle and mount artifacts and be responsible for their care and preservation in the course of your day-to-day duties (with appropriate training).

***In order to be considered for this Youth Employment Program opportunity, you must have been a full time student at an accredited educational institution within the past six-months, at a post-secondary level. Applicants MUST be Canadian Citizens or have Landed Immigrant Status.***

Selection and interview will follow standard BC Government hiring and selection guidelines. The RBCM is an equal opportunity employer as set out by BC Government guidelines. We are accepting applications (cover letter & resume) for this opportunity until **November 22, 2010**

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The RBCM is committed to reducing our environmental impact. Please consider your impact when submitting your application - **we would prefer to receive all applications via email**