



Okanagan Nation Alliance

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EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY Community and Business Liaison Term to March 2024

Do you have solid project management skills, an entrepreneurial approach and the ability to work collaboratively with communities, businesses, and stakeholders to create rewarding business opportunities that benefit Okanagan Nation member communities and businesses?

Who We Are:

The [Okanagan Nation Alliance](http://www.syilx.org) (ONA) is the tribal council for the Syilx Okanagan Nation. The ONA's mandate is to advance, assert, support and preserve Syilx Okanagan Nation Title and Rights. Further the ONA is charged with providing members with a forum to discuss positions of common concern.

The Position:

The successful candidate will be part of a collaborative team and work directly with the Nation, BC Hydro, the Energy Executive Committee, and Syilx member community liaisons to enhance the direct award of procurement contracts and other partnering, training or employment opportunities related to BC Hydro's operations in Syilx Okanagan Territory as committed to under the Enduring Relationship Agreement and the Procurement Sub-Agreement, which commits to supporting the ONA and member communities to build capacity for business development and procurement with BC Hydro and more generally.

This dynamic position functions as an information and relationship hub, a business activator and match-maker, a project manager, and an information resource. We are looking for someone who enjoys working collaboratively as part of a small team, knows to seek support or involve others, and who can also lead and implement the work independently. In addition, the position requires a pro-active and organized candidate, who enjoys initiating and sustaining good working relationships with Syilx communities, member businesses, BC Hydro counterparts, and regional businesses active in Syilx territory.

Qualifications and Experience:

- Bachelor degree in business, planning, social sciences, Indigenous studies, natural resource management, or other applicable fields of study or equivalent training and work experience.
- Minimum of 5 years applicable professional experience.

The full job description is available upon request. Hours: Full Time 40 hours per week, with some evenings and weekends. A market related salary, pension and benefits package is attached to this position.

Application Procedures: Interested candidates are invited to send a current resume and covering letter to: David Leroux, Human Resources Manager, ONA by email at dleroux@syilx.org or fax at (250)707-0166 by June 30, 2023 at 4pm PST.

Thank you for your interest. **No Phone Calls Please.** Only those short-listed will be contacted.

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