## **Part-Time Employment Opportunity**

## Mad Scientist Club Instructor

Destination Exploration, the U of L's leading youth science program, is seeking a part-time Youth STEM Club Instructor. This position requires someone with a high level of enthusiasm, a great deal of creativity and a passion for science & technology education. The ideal candidate must be available to lead our **Mad Scientist club**, which run on **Friday's**, **1:30-4:00** from **February 1 – March 29**, **2019**. This is a great opportunity for a student to gain experience developing STEM education materials for grade K - 2 students and to gain practical program coordination and teaching skills. The main duties and minimum qualifications are summarized below:

## **Main Duties**

- Prepare weekly science and/or technology club lessons for our Friday afternoon mad scientist club
- Work with other staff members to coordinate activities and engage all club members.
- Maintain club space and program materials.
- Assist children with activities as needed and encourage a safe, team atmosphere.
- Ensure that all participants conduct themselves safely within a safe environment.

## Minimum Qualifications

- Current Standard First Aid (or proof of completion by January 31, 2019).
- Clean current criminal record check (including vulnerable sector).
- Experience working with school aged children.
- A strong background or knowledge in a scientific or technology field
- Ability to work independently and in a team setting.
- High aptitude for technology would be an asset.

This position reports to the Program Coordinator of Destination Exploration and will be required to work 5 hours per week at \$16/hr. Hours allocated to program planning are flexible but applicants *must be* available Friday afternoons 1:00 pm-4:30 pm. Start date is January 19, 2019. For more information on our programming, please visit our website <a href="http://www.uleth.ca/destination-exploration">http://www.uleth.ca/destination-exploration</a>.

Applications (resume with cover letter) can be sent to Valerie Archibald at Valerie.archibald@uleth.ca by **4:00 PM, Friday, November 16<sup>th</sup> 2018**. In your cover letter, please outline a potential science-based activity that would be suitable for a group of students aged 6-10.