Invites applications for the following position(s):

**COMPETITION NUMBER: 142**

**Administrative and Professional Staff (APSA)**

**Continuing Position**

**ASSOCIATE DIRECTOR, INDIGENOUS INITIATIVES, GRADE 13**

**TEACHING & LEARNING CENTRE**

POSITION NUMBER: 123030

**POSITION OUTLINE:**

The Associate Director, Indigenous Initiatives is responsible for the strategic planning, co-development, implementation, evaluation, and management of Indigenous initiatives associated with the Teaching and Learning Centre (TLC). Provides direction, vision, and goals by collaborating and chairing the TLC Advisory Committee for Indigenous Initiatives and to ensure they are appropriate and reflect the intent of the Truth and Reconciliation Commission Calls to Action and SFU’s Aboriginal Reconciliation Council (ARC) Report recommendations. Develops key stakeholder relationships with both individuals and teams across the University. Provides guidance in the planning and development related to teaching, learning and curriculum development.

**QUALIFICATIONS:**

- Masters degree in Education and seven years of relevant experience in Indigenous educational programming, curriculum development and Indigenous pedagogical methodologies with particular emphasis on higher education context or the equivalent combination of education and experience.
- Excellent knowledge in Indigenous knowledge systems, languages and or issues around language revitalization, pedagogies, nations and communities.
- Excellent knowledge in Indigenous cultures, communities, protocols and practices.
- Excellent knowledge of and respect for Indigenous cultural identities and values.
- Excellent analytical, research, problem-solving, decision-making and conflict resolutions skills.
- Excellent program development, implementation and evaluation skills.
- Excellent analytical reasoning, time management, strategic planning, project management, administrative, and organizational skills.
- Excellent oral and written communication skills, interpersonal skills, and presentation skills.
- Ability to navigate culturally sensitive partnerships across a broad spectrum of perspectives.
- Ability to integrate the diversity of Indigenous cultures, language and learning within a post-secondary environment.
- Ability to consult on processes to support institutional-level strategic directions and to liaise with and build partnerships between faculty, staff and students in different disciplines as well as community partners.
- Ability to effectively lead and collaborate on cross-functional and multi-disciplinary teams, multi-task, establish priorities, and meet deadlines.
- Ability to lead consensus-based decision-making processes.
- Ability to exercise mature judgment, diplomacy, and discretion and to maintain confidentiality.

**SALARY RANGE:** $85,767 to $102,419 per annum

**START DATE:** ASAP

A detailed resume and cover letter quoting **Competition #142** must be received in our office by **4:30 pm on April 9, 2018**, addressed to the attention of Linda Chan, Human Resources Advisor. Please follow the application instructions at: [http://www.sfu.ca/hr/prospective_employees/HowToApply.html](http://www.sfu.ca/hr/prospective_employees/HowToApply.html).

We thank all applicants for their interest; however, only those selected for interviews will be contacted.

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