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## **KISSM Assistant Faculty Member**

### **Funded by the Government of Canada**

**Contract Term:** We have requested 7 week contracts, however this will depend on approval from the Government of Canada.

**Number of positions:** We have requested 6 positions

**Deadline** to be considered in the first round of applications is January 17th, 2020. We will accept applications on an ongoing basis until all positions are filled.

**Notification of offer:** Offers will be emailed to successful candidates upon notification of an approval amount being sent to the Kamloops Music Collective by the Federal Government. Please note that we do not have control of the timeline for approval.

### **About the Kamloops Interior Summer School of Music:**

Each summer the Kamloops Interior Summer School of Music (KISSM) draws hundreds of local youth who all have one thing in common, a love for music. Young musicians are challenged, guided and given the opportunity to excel in their creativity. If this is “music to your ears” than a contract position at KISSM might be right for you!

- KISSM is a trusted summer music program that will serve over 250 youth this summer.
- At KISSM, excellence in music education is delivered by a team of highly qualified educators and musicians.
- Young Musicians who take part in KISSM find more than music. They find mentorship, friendship and a pathway to their future.
- KISSM offers an inspiring atmosphere for young musicians to follow their passion for music. Youth are challenged, guided and given the opportunity to excel in their creativity.

### **About the Canada Summer Jobs Program**

#### **Objectives of the Canada Summer Jobs Program**

Canada Summer Jobs is an initiative of the Youth Employment Strategy, which is the Government of Canada’s commitment to help young people between the ages of 15 and 30, particularly those facing barriers to employment, get the information and gain the skills, work





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experience and abilities they need to transition successfully into the labour market.

The program provides wage subsidies to employers from not-for-profit organizations, the public-sector, and private sector organizations with 50 or fewer full-time employees, to create quality summer work experiences for young people aged 15 to 30 years.

### **What has changed for Canada Summer Jobs in the past few years?**

New expanded eligibility now includes all youth aged 15-30, **and is no longer restricted to students.**

To improve program delivery, 2020 CSJ-funded employers and youth participants will be asked to complete a survey prior to the end of the work placement.

### **Responsibilities include but are not limited to:**

#### **The successful candidates will:**

- Assist with planning and implementing music programs
- Work independently and as part of a team to deliver music education
- Collaborate with other staff to organize performances and activities
- Be a positive force within KISSM for the staff and the students
- Ensure all KISSM students feel welcome, accepted and supported
- Work to ensure the safety of all KISSM Students
- Attend staff meetings and ensure that you are reading all communications sent by the Executive Director
- Assist with after hours events
- Help with setting up the school and with equipment retrieval and organization
- Regularly review the Faculty Portal on the website to keep up to date with important information

### **Requirements**

#### **The successful candidate must:**

- Have a strong music education background





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- Work well independently, and as part of a team
- Have experience working with school aged children
- Have the ability to manage time well
- Must be willing to work as part of a team
- To be successful in this role, you must be organized and flexible.
- Be between 15 and 30 years of age at the start of the employment;
- Be a Canadian citizen, permanent resident, or person to whom refugee protection has been conferred under the Immigration and Refugee Protection Act for the duration of the employment\*
- Have a valid Social Insurance Number at the start of employment and be legally entitled to work in Canada in accordance with relevant provincial or territorial legislation and regulations.
- A degree in music education is an asset but not required.

### Working Conditions

- Classroom setting. On your feet most of the day.
- Indoors and outdoors
- High volume and energy environment
- Some evening and weekend commitments will be needed for concerts and other activities. Dates and times to be determined.

### Compensation

- Hours per Week: 35
- Rate of pay: \$14.60 per hour
- Number of weeks: to be determined

### To Apply:

- [Click this link](#)
- New applicants to the Kamloops Interior Summer School of Music **should email** a resume that highlights your experience as a music educator
- Returning Faculty members **do not need to email** in a resume
- New applicants to KISSM can email their resume to *Kim@KamloopsMusicCollective.ca* with the **subject line: KISSM Assistant Faculty Member Resume**

Only shortlisted candidates will be contacted for an interview.

