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## Temporary Research Representative, CUPE Saskatchewan Regional Office

CUPE has a temporary opportunity for a Research Representative working from the Saskatchewan Regional Office from July 2, 2013 – August 16, 2013.

Responsibilities will include providing technical assistance to CUPE representatives, CUPE local unions and CUPE Saskatchewan as instructed by the Regional Director in consultation with the National Director of Research, Job Evaluation and Health and Safety.

The successful applicant may be required to:

- Conduct qualitative research regarding strategies to improve hiring and retention of aboriginal workers;
- Conduct research and provide materials concerning the political, social, economic and collective bargaining needs of CUPE staff and members;
- Prepare wage and benefit surveys and reports;
- Assist with material for regional and sectoral bargaining conferences
- Prepare and submit legislative and policy briefs to government.

### Candidates must

- Have knowledge of, experience in and commitment to the trade union movement;
- Be familiar with issues that unions face;
- Possess excellent oral and written communications skills;
- Be able to work effectively with people at all levels within the union, government, and other organizations.

### Candidates should

- Have extensive knowledge of and experience in various research methodologies;
- Have a university degree or certification in the related field, or a combination of relevant education and direct work experience;
- Be free to travel and able to work weekends, as required.

Please send your resumé to Shelly Gordon, National Director of Research, at [sgordon@cupe.ca](mailto:sgordon@cupe.ca) with a copy to Aina Kagis, Regional Director, CUPE Saskatchewan at [akagis@cupe.ca](mailto:akagis@cupe.ca) no later than April 30, 2013.

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