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Student employment opportunity to support Microsoft Translator Initiative

Start Date: July 13, 2023
End Date: July 21, 2023
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The Departments of Culture and Heritage (CH) and Community and Government Services (CGS), Information Management / Information Technology (IM/IT), continue to collaborate with Microsoft to preserve and promote Inuktut through technology.

To date, text-to-text communication has been implemented in the Microsoft Translator and we are working to build the data required to develop text-to-speech and speech-to-text language models.

CH and IM/IT invite Nunavut Inuit and Nunavummiut students who can read and speak Inuktitut or Inuinnaqtun to apply to the summer student program to be part of this exciting initiative. Participants will have the opportunity to learn new skills and gain valuable work experience.

The Summer Student Employment Equity Program (SSEEP) is offered every year to secondary and post-secondary students to encourage continuous learning and foster skill and career development. Employment through the SSEEP runs from April 1 to September 30, 2023. Applications can be submitted until July 21, 2023.

For eligibility requirements and application assistance, visit The Department of Human Resources website.

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