Are you an undergraduate student at Memorial University looking for experience in heritage and culture? Are you interested in developing educational programs? Check out this part-time opportunity below with *O’Brien Farm Foundation*.

**About O’Brien Farm Foundation**

The O’Brien Farm Foundation was established in 2011 as a not-for-profit organization and registered charity. Its mandate is to preserve, develop and manage the historic farm. As a steward of the property, the Foundation strives to operate the property consistent with the will of the final O’Brien descendant, Aloysius (Aly) O’Brien, who died in 2008. In keeping with Aly’s wishes, the Foundation’s key objectives are to advance public education on past, present and future sustainable agricultural practices and preserve the history of Irish settlement and farming on the Northeast Avalon.

**About the position**

The goal of the Heritage Interpreter position is to aid in the preservation of O’Brien farm’s rich history and educate the public about its culture and traditions. The Heritage Interpreter will help develop relevant, engaging cultural/educational programs which align with the farm’s mandates and local school curriculums. Working closely with the General Manager and the Interpretation Committee, the Heritage Interpreter will also assist in the development of the Interpretation Plan for the Visitor/Interpretation Centre.

**Tasks/Responsibilities:**

- Develop and facilitate educational and cultural programs tailored to specific age ranges and/or special interest groups
- Organize and support the planning and execution of events and initiatives for the farm community
- Work with the General Manager and Interpretation Committee on the development of an Interpretation Plan for the newly built Visitor/Interpretation Centre
- Provide expertise on curriculum, learning standards and policy where needed
- Participate in formal and informal meetings with educators, students and the community to assess needs and satisfaction
• Research funding opportunities that can help with the hiring of tour guides who can deliver the programs and tours in the near future
• Other related tasks may be required

Eligibility requirements:
• Be duly recognized as a student of Memorial University during the time of the placement
• Be in good academic standing
• Respectfully uphold your commitments towards the community partner as prescribed by the work placement
• Complete a post-placement reflection exercise/debrief

Application Process
In one PDF document please submit your cover letter, resume, student number, and contact information for two references to socialenterprise@mun.ca. Please reference the job title in the subject line of your email. The CSE embraces diversity and welcomes all applications from eligible Memorial University students.

Applications will be sorted and sent to our community partners for their consideration. Only short-listed student candidates will be contacted for an interview. If a student is successful, the start and end dates of the placement will be confirmed.

Deadline to Apply: **August 31, 2022**

If you have any questions about the position, please contact socialenterprise@mun.ca.