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**Seeking Peer Reviewers**

The U.S. Department of Education, Office of Elementary and Secondary Education (OESE) is seeking peer reviewers for the FY 2015 Alaska Native Education (ANE) program grant competition. It is anticipated that the grant competition review will convene in mid-May. All peer reviewers must participate in one of the webinar trainings scheduled for April 14th or April 30th. We are seeking the best possible peer reviewers to evaluate applications for the program. Reviewers are sought from various backgrounds and professions: PK-12 teachers and principals, college and university educators, researchers and evaluators, social entrepreneurs, strategy consultants, grant-makers and managers, and others with education expertise.

One of the following selection criteria must be met in order to be considered a peer reviewer:

1. Must be from Alaska Native descent; or
2. Come from an Alaska village, tribal government, village corporation, or regional corporation; or
3. Must be able to demonstrate experience working with educational systems and programs in Alaska Native communities that include experience with a focus on Alaska Native or American Indian language and culture.

Your resume will be evaluated based on the level and broad scope of experience and expertise in the following areas (but not limited to these areas):

* Education – from Early Childhood to Postsecondary education
* Community, family, and/or stakeholder engagement program management
* Project evaluation
* At-risk Youth and Young Adults for Alaska Native or American Indian language and culture

Please submit a current resume that includes:

* Full Name
* Education (Please list all college degrees, including dates of degrees, institution, and major)
* All professional position titles, descriptions, and dates in chronological order beginning with, or going back to, your first position after receiving your B.A. or B.S.
* A full description that outlines how you met the selection criteria above. Please clearly explain why you believe you have met the criteria; include information such as - organizational information, relevant dates, and/or a description of the work you accomplished related to the Alaska Native or American Indian language and culture, as appropriate.
* A detailed description of your current organizational affiliation, and position title
* Telephone numbers (work, home, or mobile)
* Home and work mailing addresses
* Preferred E-mail address and/or telephone number(s)

**If interested, resumes should be submitted, by e-mail and in word format, along with the “Peer Reviewer Information Checklist”, to** **Alaska.Native@ed.gov** **by March 20, 2015. Please include “2015 ANE Reviewer” in the subject line.**