

Presbytery of Waterloo-Wellington General Presbyter Employment Listing

The Presbytery of Waterloo-Wellington is seeking an experienced, full time candidate to work with its congregations in this time of change. Having explored the possibility of paid presbytery leadership for a several years, there is deep support from its members. We believe that the Spirit is leading us into fresh possibilities within our bounds. Please send your resume along with three references to the Congregational Response Team through Kristine O'Brien director@crieffhills.com.

Presbytery of Waterloo-Wellington General Presbyter Job Description

The primary responsibility of the General Presbyter is to lead discernment processes in congregations who are vacant, exploring missional possibilities and/or are facing serious challenges.

Job details

- Full time
- Two-year renewable contract
- Start date fall 2023

Compensation

- from \$45/hour based on experience
- optional Presbyterian Church in Canada pension and benefits
- no additional housing allowance
- travel reimbursed at PCC per km rate
- additional \$2000 for general expenses

Key responsibilities

- Act as 'first responder' to gather initial assessment of critical situations
- Lead discernment processes in select congregations
- Explore and support missional opportunities within the presbytery
- Encourage relationships of mutual trust and respect within and between congregations
- Attend and participate in presbytery meetings as appropriate (on Appendix to the Roll)
- This may include serving as an Interim Moderator where necessary
- Maintain a log of time spent on all activities, functions, and tasks

Qualifications

- Member of the Presbyterian Church in Canada in good standing
- Working knowledge of the polity and culture of The Presbyterian Church in Canada
- Strong competency in time management and organization
- Excellent interpersonal and communication skills
- Ability to set short/long term goals, achieve them and evaluate results

Additional Assets

- Formal Interim Minister Training
- Conflict Management Certificate
- Qualifications in Crisis Mediation

Accountability and Collaboration

- Appointed by the Presbytery of Waterloo Wellington
- Works with and reports to the Business Committee
- Evaluated annually by the Congregational Response Team