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Secretary-Treasurers

Dear Sisters, Brothers, and Friends:

Re: Getting Involved Workshops 2019
One-Day Beginner Workshop for members

HEU members are at the center of our union. Together, we are continuously working to build a stronger, more diverse union where members feel confident and ready to fight for improved wages and working conditions, safer workplaces, and for social justice in our communities.

To support broader engagement by members in the union, HEU is offering our one day workshop *Getting Involved* for members who are considering getting active in the union or in union-supported campaigns.

In the Getting Involved workshop members will:

- Deepen their understanding of how workers' rights are won and how we fight for and protect those rights
- Explore how activists' interests, strengths and passions create pathways to getting involved in the union and social justice movements.
- Learn about HEU union structure and ways to get involved more actively
- Increase their awareness of HEU's history as a fighting union

DATE	LOCATION	APPLICATION DEADLINE
April 4, 2019	Kelowna, BC	February 10, 2019
April 16, 2019	Campbell River, BC	February 19, 2019
April 18, 2019	Victoria, BC	February 19, 2019
May 7, 2019	Prince George, BC	March 13, 2019
May 9, 2019	Lower Mainland, BC	March 13, 2019
May 15, 2019	Lower Mainland, BC	March 18, 2019
May 24, 2019	Nelson, BC	March 25, 2019
June 11, 2019	Kamloops, BC	April 15, 2019
June 25, 2019	Lower Mainland, BC	May 1, 2019

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In keeping with HEU's desire to bring educational opportunities to members "closer to home" we are holding the workshops in many smaller communities in different regions. Please apply for the workshop that is closest to your worksite.

Please fill out an application form by the indicated deadline for your location and return to the Provincial Office **Attention: Lindsay Pepper**, Education and Human Rights Department. **Please return only ONE copy of the application – either by fax or email or email.**

If you do not see your region/community, please speak with your local about your desire to get training and watch for information coming soon regarding workshops being held later in the year.

Depending on the total number of applicants, there may be a selection process. We will be contacting applicants by telephone or mail once the selection process has finished.

In solidarity,

Jennifer Whiteside

Secretary-Business Manager

Attachments

cc: Chairpersons

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