

CANDIDATE PROFILE

NAME: LORNA BOWDEN

POSITION BEING SOUGHT: DELEGATE AT LARGE

LENGTH OF TIME WITHIN THE UNION: 32 yrs.

UNION EXPERIENCE:

Shop Steward (current), Chief Shop Steward, Regional Director, Unit Chair/Co-Unit Chair-Secretary, CEP Atlantic Rep Woman's Committee, 2289 Local Woman's Committee, Unifor AWOC Committee Member, attended several Woman's and AWOC Conferences along with CEP/ Unifor (Founding) Convention. Anti-Harassment & Diversity Awareness, Mental Health First Aid Canada, Working Toward Bully-Free Workplaces Certificate and Harassment Investigation Training.

WORK HISTORY:

Administrative Clerk II, Union Co-Chair OHS Committee EON Square, Financial Rep I, Dispatch Clerk, AP Clerk and Operator. Also was a member on the OHS Policy Committee.

COMMENTS:

Sisters and Brothers – These conventions are a great opportunity to network and be proud you are part of a union. I ask for your vote because for me, in going you will give me the wonderful opportunity to represent you to raise and speak up on issues that matter to the membership and the ever-changing labor movement. Canada is living in a “new normal” and needs a strong voice to stand up for NS Telecommunications. We are a diverse union and our voice has to continue to speak on important issues like mental health, racism, etc. Unifor National does a great job in recognizing the need for inclusiveness and I have represented all equity groups by attending caucus's, roundtable discussions, having a voice and being a true ally.

Thank you for taking the time to read my profile and also much appreciation and thanks for your support!

In Solidarity
Lorna Bowden

