



# Katherine

MANAGER, HEALTH SAFETY &  
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Health, Safety & Environment

## 1. What is your role and how long have you worked at Maritime Electric?

I am the Manager, Health, Safety and Environment and I have been with Maritime Electric for 5 years.

## 2. What would you tell an aspiring engineer or student about working in the utility industry?

With electrification, and the growing demand for and reliance on electricity, it is a very stable yet innovative and exciting industry. What I particularly enjoy, is that you get to see the direct impact you have with the customer, especially in PEI. There is a real sense of community working here. Another unique note is that you are not in competition with other utilities, so there a lot of knowledge sharing and group work as we face similar challenges across the country and throughout North America.

## 3. Are there opportunities for regular professional development?

Yes. The Company is very supportive about growing its knowledge base and investing in its employees. Myself, I will have completed my MBA through the University of Prince Edward Island in April 2023, and the Company has supported me throughout. There are lots of examples, from small sessions to masters degrees that the company supports.

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All the time.

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