## **Learning Demonstration Statements and Potential Evidence**

**Course:** SOWK 380 – Social Work and Community Development

Learning Outcomes	Experience, Skills and	Potential Evidence
Describe the diverse nature of communities in Canada, including Aboriginal, Francophone communities and identify their strengths and the challenges facing them	<ol> <li>Worked for over 10 years with first nations/aboriginal communities I NW BC. First as regional program director, then as regional Aboriginal Health Program Coordinator, then as Consultant</li> <li>Worked for 5 years with the new Nunavut government focusing on community development, capacity development, social change and empowerment of communities (including the Iqaluit Francophone community)</li> <li>Currently have been working for 3.5 years with rural Saskatchewan communities to help them develop into "Welcoming Communities" for new immigrants including visible minorities and immigrants from</li> </ol>	<ul> <li>Narrative and pictures of working with Tlingit Nation in 2000 to facilitate a strategic planning session</li> <li>Personal Narrative with Pictures of developing a training manual for Stikine Region</li> <li>Employment and reports related to Business Manager/Volunteer Manager position of the Nunavut Internship Program</li> </ul>

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	over 25 countries with 16 languages and a complex variety of cultures. Focus is on empowering communities	
Apply community development processes to better understand local communities	<ol> <li>In working with Dze I k'ant Friendship centre I regularly used stakeholder meetings and strategic planning to assist staff, board and stakeholders to take charge of their community issues</li> <li>Capacity development was a large part of my work in Nunavut including working with CESO to access the expertise needed to address capacity issues of communities, Hamlet staff and Mayor and Council</li> <li>Used interactive workshops working through a translator (and while training young Inuit staff) to help communities identify their core issues and develop action plans to address them.</li> </ol>	<ul> <li>Narrative and pictures of working with Tlingit Nation in 2000 to facilitate a strategic planning session</li> <li>Take River Tlingit Project Summary</li> <li>Stikine Health Centre Cultural Awareness Project Summary</li> <li>Application package: Manager of Community Government and Transportation Cape Dorset</li> <li>Nunavut Internship Review and Reflection (MSW author)</li> <li>Cape Dorset: Summer Student Community Development Project</li> <li>Four requests for funding to the Community Government and Transportation Department of Nunavut</li> </ul>
Plan effective strategies for community change	As a consultant I worked with a number of small northern and isolated communities (Lower	<ul> <li>Narrative and pictures of working with Tlingit Nation in 2000 to facilitate a strategic planning</li> </ul>

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	Post. Good Hope Lake, Atlin) to help the communities identify community need and then to plan effective strategies for community change.  2. Current work with Saskatchewan government involves development of an internal government and external stakeholder process to address community change needs.	session - Narrative and pictures of working with Tlingit Nation in 2000 to facilitate a strategic planning session - Personal Narrative with Pictures of developing a training manual for Stikine Region - Employment and reports related to Business Manager/Volunteer
Organize and work with the community to eliminate oppression and encourage demographic process and social justice	<ol> <li>Work with Aboriginal and Inuit communities included addressing oppression and coaching communities to address their capacity needs so that they would address oppression on their own.</li> <li>Work with immigration includes addressing racism in small communities, oppression and access to services to new immigrants.</li> </ol>	- Stikine Health Centre Cultural Awareness Project Summary - Cape Dorset: Summer Student Community Development Project reflection with pictures