



MICHAEL SATURNINO

Michael joined the Government of the Northwest Territories in 2002 and has more than 13 years of senior management experience, most recently serving as Assistant Deputy Minister, Labour and Income Security with the Department of Education, Culture and Employment (ECE) since February 2020.

In this role, he has been responsible for the oversight and development of labour market, apprenticeship, immigration, employment standards, post-secondary education and income security programs. Other senior manager positions held have included Director, Labour Development and Standards and ECE Regional Superintendent, North Slave Region.

Most recently, Michael has been responsible for overseeing a redesign of labour market programs, introducing a legislative framework within the post-secondary education system, and launching improvements to the Student Financial Assistance and Income Assistance programs.

Michael holds a Bachelor of Business Administration Degree with specializations in Human Resources and Accounting, as well as a Chartered Professional in Human Resources designation.

Michael began his career in Inuvik and relocated to Yellowknife in 2007, where he now lives with his wife and three children.