PLANNING FIELD PLACEMENTS

FROM CLASSROOM TO WORKPLACE

Our planning students are interdisciplinary thinkers eager to contribute to more sustainable, inclusive and vibrant communities. The Field Experience Program is a requirement for students to participate in field placements and further develop their skills while accumulating credit towards their degree.

OUR STUDENT COMPETENCIES INCLUDE

- Critical thinking and ability to assess complex planning situations
- Ability to evaluate planning challenges from multiple perspectives
- Knowledge of planning law, local government and legislation
- Understanding of environmental design and place-making approaches
- Professional report writing and presentation skills
- Experience with research design, data collection and analysis
- Ability to develop scenario-based planning alternatives and solutions
- Understanding of policy development tools
- Commitment to working ethically, responsibly and energetically in teams and individually

YOUR COMMITMENT AT A GLANCE



Paid or unpaid

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12-16 Weeks Part-time or Full-time Flexible Schedule



Workplace orientation Supportive environment Feedback







OUR GRADUATE STUDENTS ARE LOOKING FOR OPPORTUNITIES IN PUBLIC, PRIVATE & NON-PROFIT SECTORS IN AREAS SUCH AS:

- community planning
- urban development
- municipal and regional governance & administration
- public involvement

- social policy & planning
- environmental planning & design
- food systems
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- transportation planning
- land-use planning
- community energy planning
- environmental and social impact assessment

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CREATE A JOB DESCRIPTION

POST YOUR POSITION FOR OUR STUDENTS

HIRE - YOU GET THE FINAL SAY

You have the option of having us screen applications to narrow down applicants with the skills you're looking for.

No fees and no pressure to hire a student when you post with us.

REQUIREMENTS



Comply with federal & provincial standards and human rights codes

NEXT STEPS

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