

Environmental Student

Kamloops, BC

About the Opportunity

Our Kamloops office is looking for a capable and enthusiastic environmental student to join our team for an 8-month co-op work term starting in January 2024!

We understand the need for you to have meaningful work terms during your co-op education, so we strive to build opportunities that are challenging, multifaceted and rewarding. Our goal is for you to come away with an enhanced skill set that will serve you well in your future career as a professional.

You will be involved in project work related to biophysical assessments, Phase 1 Environmental Site Assessments, fish habitat assessment, environmental monitoring and water resources assessments. You will have the opportunity to work with our Local Government and Indigenous communities and our Environmental, Planning and Water Practice groups.

Coupled with unmatched learning opportunities, you will have the opportunity to be involved in the following type of work:

- Phase 1/Stage 1 Environmental Site Assessments
- Environmental fieldwork, monitoring, permitting and assessment
- Fish and fish habitat assessments
- Hydrometric stream assessments
- Project support and administration
- Public engagement
- Research and review project-relevant documents
- Species at risk screening
- Technical writing and communications

About You

Our preferred candidate is currently enrolled in a natural resource, biology or environmental science degree program. Previous related experience will be considered an asset. Preference will be given to candidates who are eligible or will be eligible for registration with the BC College of Applied Biology or the BC Institute of Agrologist and to candidates who possess the following skills, strengths and interests:

- You have been exposed to fisheries/wildlife biology, environmental monitoring, and environmental assessment.
- You wish to round out your skills and knowledge with exposure to the varied aspects of environmental consulting (as listed above).
- You are a self-starter that can work independently and collaborate with others.

- You are attracted to the consulting industry with the ability to work with a variety of clients, contractors, and other consultants.
- You desire to work in a fast-paced environment with a team of professionals who are deeply committed to exceeding client expectations.

About Us

Urban Systems is an employee-owned inter-disciplinary community consulting firm with deep Canadian roots. We are united in our mission to transform communities everywhere into vibrant places where people want to live today, tomorrow, and forever.

At Urban Systems, vibrant communities are everything—including our own work community. Since 1975, we have grown to more than 700 people with 18 offices across Canada. Every day, our purpose-driven team works closely with our clients and their communities to deliver impactful work. We are proud to work with diverse clients, including Indigenous communities, all levels of government, commercial and residential land developers, and the natural resource sector.

Our Commitment to You

At Urban Systems, we make significant investments in our people, which is why we take great care to hire those who we believe will thrive in Urban Systems over the long term. We've become recognized as a workplace of choice by nurturing a unique corporate culture that sets us apart and provides:

- Meaningful rewards and recognition. **This position will have an hourly range of \$23.00 – \$25.00 an hour.** The range is negotiable based on your skillset and experience.
- Challenging and interesting project opportunities
- A fun workplace, where hard work accomplishes great things
- The opportunity to work with industry leading professionals in a collaborative environment
- Ongoing career development and learning

How to Apply

If this describes your background, skills and attributes, please visit our website for more information and submit your resume, transcript and cover letter. If it doesn't describe you exactly, but you feel you are well suited to this opportunity, we encourage you to apply.

Urban Systems is an equal opportunity employer. We strive to create an inclusive culture for all employees. Our clients come from all walks of life, and so do you. We believe that diversity and unity amongst our teams leads to building vibrant communities.

Deadline for applications: **Monday, November 6th, 2023, at 9:00 am PST**