



SOUTH VANCOUVER NEIGHBOURHOOD HOUSE

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Community Food Program Assistant (Internal/External)

South Vancouver Neighbourhood House is looking for an enthusiastic, responsible and creative individual who is passionate about food literacy and food system issues to support children, youth, and seniors in food programming and capacity building for 3 BC Housing Sites (Culloden, Orchard Park and Champlain Heights). The Community Food Program Assistant will be responsible for daily programming related to Good Food Organization, incorporating community gardening and urban farm programming with community partners, and providing support for community meals and community kitchens.

The successful candidate will be responsible for:

- Coordinate food system activities with garden programming for children/youth/seniors, promoting awareness and knowledge of growing and preparing/preserving food, and good food principles.
- Support food preparation and activities in community kitchens/meals and food skills workshops, with guidance from program coordinators
- Evaluate activities and write final reports on the successes and challenges of the activities; provide recommendations on how to incorporate further sustainable food programming into programs
- Participate in and support other house-wide activities at SVNH

Skills and Qualifications:

- **This position is funded by the Canada Summer Jobs and to be eligible, youth must be:**
 - between 19 to 30 years of age at the start of the employment;
 - a Canadian citizen, permanent resident, or person to whom refugee protection has been conferred under the Immigration and Refugee Protection Act for the duration of the employment*; and,
 - have a valid Social Insurance Number at the start of employment and be legally entitled to work in Canada in accordance with relevant provincial or territorial legislation and regulations.
- Education in land and food systems, dietetics, biology, culinary, social work or health related field
- Relevant experience volunteering/working with children, youth, and seniors
- Experience working in a non-profit setting an asset
- Able to obtain a clear criminal record check
- Ability to work in a multi-cultural setting
- Ability to work as part of an inclusive team
- Valid First Aid/CPR, FoodSafe Level 1

Employment Terms:

- Monday to Friday, 7 hours per day & 35 hours per week
- Start Date: June 3, 2019
- End Date: August 30, 2019
- Salary: \$16.81 per hour plus 4% vacation pay

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- Job Type: Full Time Term Position

To Apply:

The Association of Neighbourhood Houses of BC is an equal opportunity employer. We place a high value on diversity and encourage qualified individuals from all backgrounds and identities to consider applying for the position. Our total compensation and benefits package reflect our commitment to our staff and their family. All qualified individuals are encouraged to apply, with subject line "Community Food Program Assistant" by 5pm on Friday, May 17th, in confidence to:

Shelley Jorde, Director of Seniors and Food Programs
6470 Victoria Drive
Vancouver, BC, V5P 3X7
Email: shelley.jorde@southvan.org

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