

CAREER ED NEWS



APRIL 2021

YOUTH TRAIN IN TRADES APPLICATIONS

The 2022 Intake deadline of April 1 has now passed for all 7 of our Youth TRAIN in Trades Programs. We now begin the process of reviewing each application and scheduling interviews! Students can expect to hear from us over the next few weeks. Although the deadline has passed, if you are still interested, please visit your Career Advisor ASAP to see if there are still spots available in your program of choice!



WORKBC VIRTUAL HIRING EVENT – PROVINCIAL HEALTH SERVICES AUTHORITY

Part-time, Full-time, Temporary and Casual Opportunities available province wide:

- Supervisory
- Administration
- Financial
- Warehouse

Date/Time: April 13, 10:00am

Click [here](#) to register!

WorkBC
Employment Services

Maple Ridge
Langley

Online

CAREERS IN:

 **Provincial Health Services Authority**
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F/T; P/T; Casual; Temporary
Opportunities Province Wide

- Supervisory
- Administration
- Financial
- Warehouse

APRIL 13, 2021 @ 10:00AM

REGISTER NOW: CLICK HERE!

WorkBC Langley
(604) 360-4196
www.workbccentre-langley-willowbrook.ca

WorkBC Maple Ridge
(604) 466-4600
www.workbccentre-mapleridge.ca

 

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HOSPITALITY & TOURISM – CAREER SPOTLIGHT SESSION

Explore the different careers in the Hospitality and Tourism Industry. Listen to speakers as they talk about the various certifications you can earn that will help you pursue a career in this industry. Presenters include members from various backgrounds. There will be a Q & A period after each speaker. This virtual session will take place on Zoom and is open to students, parents and staff.

Date/Time: April 14, 3:00pm-4:30pm

Registration is required – please visit careered.sd35.bc.ca/css to sign up!



The image shows a social media post from SD35CareerEd. The main visual is a brown suitcase floating in blue water. The inside of the suitcase is a vibrant beach scene with a blue sky, white clouds, a sandy beach, a red lounge chair, and a red umbrella. The post includes the SD35CareerEd logo, a heart icon, a comment icon, a share icon, and a bookmark icon. The text of the post reads: "SD35CareerEd Hospitality & Tourism - Career Spotlight Session April 14, 3:00pm-4:30pm Explore the different careers in the Hospitality and Tourism Industry. Listen to speakers as they talk about the various certifications you can earn that will help you pursue a career in this industry. Presenters include members from various backgrounds. Q & A will follow each speaker! Registration is required at careered.sd35.bc.ca/css". A QR code is located in the bottom right corner of the post.

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JIBC VIRTUAL INFO SESSION – YOUR NEXT STEPS TO JIBC

Find out how you can become a JIBC student at this information session geared towards prospective applicants living in Canada. The session will feature a number of presentations on their areas of study and student services, including talks on:

- Law Enforcement Studies Diploma (LESD)
- Emergency Management Division
- Fire & Safety Division
- Paramedicine & Health Sciences
- Centre for Conflict Resolution & Leadership
- JIBC Office of Indigenization
- JIBC Student Services, Financial Aid & Bursaries and JIBC Library

Date/Time: April 8, 11:00am - 12:30pm

You will receive the link to the event content in a reminder email two days before the event date. Click [here](#) to register.

CAREER DEVELOPMENT WEBINAR FOR PARENTS TO SUPPORT YOUTH

Save the date! WorkBC.ca is facilitating a one-hour interactive webinar to help parents and caregivers support youth as they explore career options. This virtual event is designed for parents of grade 9-12 students wanting to enhance their career coaching skills and gain exposure to WorkBC.ca tools to help with their youth's career path.

Upcoming Webinars (more info to follow):

- Vancouver Coast & Mountains: April 27th, 2021 - 7-8pm PST
- Fraser Valley: April 29th, 2021 - 7-8pm PST

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LANGLEY VOLUNTEER BUREAU

Attention Future Digital Marketing Students! The Langley Volunteer Bureau has an amazing opportunity for you to develop your digital marketing skills, get connected with your community and build your portfolio in the following areas:

- Website Content Creation using WordPress
- Social Media Post Graphics
- Tutorial Videos & Promotional Videos
- Google Ad Campaigns

You will receive tutorials and access to WordPress and Canva and support from the LVB Board along the way! Contact your school's Career Advisor for more info or apply today by creating a profile at [BetterCommunity.ca](https://www.bettercommunity.ca) and register to volunteer with the Langley Volunteer Bureau's "DIGITAL MARKETING" opportunity! **Deadline to APPLY is April 30th.**



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BCIT ELECTRICAL TRADES FOR WOMEN

The School of Construction and the Environment are launching a new program to promote women in the Electrical trade! They have been given 2 seats for high school students. The high school seats will be competitive entry and include consideration of:

- GPA
- Has the student taken trades or related classes in grades 10-12?
- Related work experience?
- Personal or financial barriers?

If you are interested, please see your Career Advisor for more details. *Applications due by April 30!*



BLACK PRESS NEWS MEDIA GROUP VIRTUAL CAREER AND POST-SECONDARY EDUCATION EVENT

Black Press News Media Group, BC Division, is hosting a virtual career and post-secondary education event from May 3rd to May 7th, 2021.

Black Press hosts career and education events to assist people in the communities both on the business front as well as the public necessity. They help match employers with potential employees and potential students with educational institutions. Their Career and Post-Secondary Education Events give opportunity for people to explore all options, while allowing the employers to really promote why an individual would consider opportunity with their company. The number and diversity of participating organizations speaks to the necessity of the Career Events in today's job market space and Black Press is happy to play a significant role in changing the future landscape of the recruitment needs.

To register for the career and post-secondary education webinars please visit:
<https://events.blackpress.ca/fraservalley/>

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MYBLUEPRINT SCHOLARSHIP OPPORTUNITY!

myBlueprint is excited to announce that they've partnered with the Canadian Scholarship Trust Foundation (CSTF) to give away \$150,000 in bursaries. \$150,000 going straight to students to help them realize their dreams of going to post-secondary. CSTF is focused on supporting access to post-secondary studies for those who believe in the power of education but are struggling to access it. So, these bursaries are **designed specifically to support students who have financial need.**

Here's what you need to know:

- There are 25 bursaries, each valued at \$6,000
- The bursaries are based on financial need
- CSTF is specifically looking for students who demonstrate strong character: resiliency, community-mindedness and commitment to excellence
- Students can access the application form within their myBlueprint account (in the Scholarships tab)
- The deadline to apply is **May 7, 2021**

[We've included all the information you need to know and answers to your questions here.](#)

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\$6,000 EACH

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STEM CELL TALKS

The Vancouver Stem Cell Talks organizing committee would like to invite enthusiastic grade 11-12 students to register for this virtual educational symposium. This is a great opportunity for any students considering pursuing a career in the Science or Biomedical field. Stem Cell Talks is an outreach program run by graduate student volunteers, sponsored and founded by Let's Talk Science and Stem Cell Network. This year, due to the pandemic, this event has been moved online. The theme this year will be "Stem Cells and the Respiratory System". Students will receive a virtual workbook prior to the event with detailed information about each lecture and activity. There will be 8+ lectures and presentations during the event.

Date/Time: May 13, from 8:30am-3:00pm

Register here: <https://www.eventbrite.ca/e/stem-cell-talks-2021-virtual-vancouvercalgary-tickets-143242595459>

HART TOURISM AMBASSADOR

The Ambassador Program is for people interested in learning the skills to work in the ever growing Canadian and Indigenous Tourism industry. If you have a passion for where you live and would like to find a way to share this passion, tourism is a great way to do this. Certificates provided: First Host, Food Safe, Serving it Right. Lunch will be provided. For more info contact Kim at 604-595-1170.

Students must:

- Identify as Indigenous, Métis or Inuit
- Be at least 15 years of age
- Be unemployed or underemployed

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RISE – ROOTS OF INDIGENOUS STRENGTH AND ENTREPRENEURSHIP

The RISE Program guides individuals on how to start-up their own business. Individuals will work one on one with professional mentors to achieve an in-depth knowledge of marketing, industry standards and complete the program with a professional business plan ready for founders, grants, loans and start their business! For more info contact Kim at 604-595-1170.

Participants must:

- Be at least 15 years of age
- Be unemployed or underemployed
- Commit to complete training and work full time or launch your business at program completion

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FRACA – FRASER REGION ABORIGINAL FRIENDSHIP CENTRE ASSOCIATION

Key to Employment - Job Readiness Course

Why not use this challenging time to upgrade your job readiness skills and receive coaching to help obtain to help obtain meaningful employment? This exciting course will focus on developing your career goal plan, updating your resume and preparing for an interview. Students will also be introduced to a range of potential employers and given the necessary support to succeed. This course will introduce you to a one-on-one job coach to help you navigate the job market.

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TRADE BUILDERS PROGRAM FOR YOUTH

The Trade Builders Program is intended to increase the labor force participation of young adults aged 17-29, who are generally employment ready. The Program is designed to support Participants over the weeks through the exploration of different trades and ultimately choosing a career path in the development and implementation of an Occupational Training Plan, and in the successful completion of the training and certification required to attain meaningful, sustainable employment in the Tech/ITA Trades sector. The program's duration for Pre-Employment **online** workshops is 10 weeks then participants will receive an industry specific training from either BCIT/KPU or another BC Institution for any **ITA approved Trade** like: Plumbing, Electrician, Culinary, Hair Dressing, Welder and many others!

To register or if you have any additional questions, please call **604-596-7722 Ext:126** or email rhythm.gupta@pics.bc.ca

Trade Builders Program for Youth

Attain Meaningful, Sustainable Employment through Skills Training



Key Features

- Essential Skills for Building Trades
- Soft Skills and Occupational Specific Training
- Short-Term Skills Training
- Building Trades Career Exploration Training
- Job Search Assistance and Shadowing/Placement
- Job Sustainment and Education/Training
- Follow-Up and Post-Employment Supports

Financial Supports

- Child Care Supports
- Transportation Supports
- Training Manual
- Work Clothing
- Other Financial Supports

Eligibility

- Aged Between 17-29
- Citizen/PR/Conventional Refugee
- Not in Full-Time School or Work

Expected Outcomes

- Substantive Education or Training in Building Trades
- Employment in Building Trades
- Combination of Substantive Education or Training and Employment in All Trades

Next Start Date: April 26 2021

Registration Information

Contact: 604-596-7722; Ext. 150/160 /166/126

Navjot Bains (navjot.bains@pics.bc.ca)

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Surrey, BC V3W 3A6

Services are available via phone, email, and Zoom video meetings in place of in-person appointments



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WAVE BOARD

Similar to sites like Indeed.com and Monster.com, the WAVE Board is where we will post placement opportunities for students across the district to apply for. We have some new opportunities available. Check them out at:

careered.sd35.bc.ca -> Students -> WAVE Documents and Forms.

EDUCATION & CAREER FAIRS

This year the ECF is going virtual! ECF is an event that provides opportunities for individuals to connect with universities, colleges, career training institutions, employers and industry associations. Registration is now open! To register please click [here](#).

The official dates for ECF British Columbia are:

Series 3:

Western Region: Thursday, May 6, 2021 9am-3pm

Eastern Region: Tuesday, May 11, 2021 9am-3pm

*Western Region includes Lower Mainland, Vancouver Island, and Vancouver Coast

*Eastern Region includes Surrey, Fraser Valley, the Interior, and Northern BC



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