



Canadian Council
for Youth Prosperity
Conseil Canadien pour
la Réussite des Jeunes

CCYP Youth Council

- Position:** Contract- Part time
- Duration:** October 4th, 2021 – August 1st, 2022 (10 months/ 40 weeks), 10 hours a month
- # of Positions:** 10-12
- Pay:** Honorarium, \$200/month
- Program:** CCYP Youth Council
- Location:** Virtual (anywhere in Canada)

The Canadian Council for Youth Prosperity is a national, non-profit, cross-sector collaboration of community and corporate leaders, driving coordination and boosting the infrastructure that supports the youth workforce development ecosystem.

We facilitate youth integration into the labour market and support Canada's evolving sectors, the coordination of an effective, sector-informed and accessible system of resources to support partners, and implementing programming to support the youth workforce.

The Canadian Council for Youth Prosperity is funded by the Government of Canada's Employment and Social Development Canada, Youth Employment Skills Strategy.

Opportunity Summary

Our Youth Council functions as youth ambassadors for CCYP within their respective regions. As a member of the Youth Council, you will serve as an authentic means of youth engagement and voice in support of CCYP's mandate of driving coordination and boosting the infrastructure that supports the youth workforce development ecosystem. In alignment with CCYP's commitment to facilitate youth integrating into the labour market and rooted in the principles of youth advocacy and governance, the Youth Council's purpose is to provide CCYP with insight on policy, programs, partnerships, and research.

Purpose:

- To act as a positive advocate for youth and on behalf of youth
- To seek input from youth on important matters affecting youth via surveys, forums and workshops and to address these issues through presentations to CCYP and their Council Members, events or initiative
- To support events created by CCYP that relate to the mandate
- To provide a leadership experience for youth
- Ensure there is a range of opportunities youth can have their voices heard

Responsibilities:

- Consult as needed on CCYP youth engagement initiatives
- Actively collaborate on the **Youth Summit taking part in Spring of 2022**
- Collaborate with one another to develop and communicate new ideas to CCYP's Council
- Provide feedback on CCYP strategic planning towards decision-making
- Collaborate on the development and evaluation of CCYP's national initiatives (including programs, research and policy, and communications-related projects)
- Provide insight on innovative, diverse youth engagement and outreach strategies and opportunities across Canada
- Works closely with fellow YC members and CCYP staff to provide input into youth-related resources and web content produced by CCYP's Youth Engagement team
- Attend Youth Council meetings and trainings
- Build meaningful, professional relationships between council members

Qualifications:

- Be between the ages of 18-29
- Be involved in community engagement initiatives
- Be open minded and willing to work in ambiguity
- Be a team player in a dynamic environment
- Strong communication skills since job will be done virtually
- Highly motivated and willing to contribute to a collective aim

Our Youth Council Members Receive:

- Monthly Honorarium of \$200/month for 10 hours of work a month.
- Formal and informal mentorship opportunities along with opportunities to participate in CCYP programs, training and events.
- Skill-building opportunities
- Certificate of Completion upon request
- Reference Letter upon request



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Deadline:

- September 6th, 2021 @ 11:59 pm
- Information session July 21st
- Please apply by
 - a. Filling out [this](#) form OR by sending a video answering the form questions to lina@ccyp-ccpj.org
 - b. Uploading your resume on the form.
*If uploading any documentation does not work, or you have any other questions, please contact: lina@ccyp-ccpj.org

We thank all applicants for their interest, however only those candidates selected for interviews will be contacted.