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# **Job Board Posting**

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## **Planning Student**

B7-B8-48-13-2E-5F

Job ID Web Address Company Location Date Posted Job Languages

https://careers.indigenous.link/viewjob?jobname=B7-B8-48-13-2E-5F Urban Systems Ltd. Surrey, British Columbia From: 2021-01-26 To: 2021-02-16 Type: Full-time Category: Engineering English

#### Description

About the Opportunity

Urban Systems is currently looking for a planning student to join our South Coast practice for a four-month paid internship. The internship will run from approximately May 1st to August 31, 2021. The position will be based in our Surrey office, with the potential to work from our other South Coast offices (e.g. Vancouver) on a project-specific basis. Due to COVID-19, the opportunity to work remotely and from home does exist, although, from time-to-time, we may need assistance with client work or face-to-face meetings. Therefore, the individual would need to reside in the Lower Mainland.

We strive to create internship opportunities that are challenging, rewarding, and offer exposure to the multi-faceted nature of planning. Our goal is for you to come away with new perspectives and an enhanced skill set that will serve you well in your career as a community planner. In this position, you will find yourself in a fast-paced consulting environment, working alongside planners and other professionals on a diverse range of projects. We will aim to provide as much freedom and responsibility as you are able to handle, based on the quality of your work, your interests, and your enthusiasm. In general, you can expect to be involved in the following kinds of activities:

• Conducting research, preparing background reports, and supporting projects for local government and First Nations clients (i.e. land use reports, conceptual plans, studies, bylaws, etc.)

• Assisting in the preparation of proposals, presentations, surveys, and reports

• Attending public meetings, workshops, and open houses as required

• Having the opportunity to work with and learn from planners at a range of levels, as well as other related professionals

#### Experience

About You

This position is designed for graduate students currently enrolled in a planning program accredited by the Canadian Institute of (e.g. M.A., M.U.P., M.Sc., M.PI., M.E.S., M.U.R.P.). Preference will be given to students in between their first and second years. That being said, we are always open to considering strong candidates from other backgrounds. If your skills and interests align with what weâ€<sup>TM</sup>re looking for, we encourage you to apply.

We're looking for the following skills, traits, and interests:

• Great communications skills, and a demonstrated ability to write well, ask questions, and work on teams • Interest in research, and experience collecting and analyzing qualitative and/or quantitative data

• Interest in exploring a wide range of planning topics, including land use planning, transportation, housing, parks and recreation, economic development, community governance, and local government finance

• Interest in working with a diverse range of clients including local governments, First Nations, public corporations, private landowners, and provincial and federal governments

• Open to working on projects throughout Western Canada with communities of all sizes

• Desire to work in a fast-paced environment with a team of professionals who are deeply committed to exceeding client expectations

Work Environment

About Us

Recognized as one of Canada's top employers, Urban Systems is an employee-owned interdisciplinary consulting firm based in Western Canada. In business since 1975, we have over four decades of experience working with a variety of clients including all levels of government, Indigenous communities, commercial and residential land developers, and the natural resource sector. We have a team of 450 with offices across Western Canada that is committed to helping build vibrant communities of all sizes.

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. We've become recognized as a workplace of choice by nurturing a unique corporate culture that sets us apart:

• 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

 $\hat{a}{\in} c$  Ongoing development of professional skills and learning

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### How to Apply

If this describes your background, your skills and your natural talents, please check out our website for more information and submit your resume and cover letter.

Deadline for applications: Tuesday, February 16, 2021 at 9:00 am PST