



YCW at Building Careers in Heritage, International Component

Has your organization partnered with a museum in another country? Could your international project benefit from the skills and enthusiasm of a recent post-secondary graduate?

The Canadian Museums Association (CMA) accepts applications from eligible Canadian museums and heritage organizations for Young Canada Works (YCW) at Building Careers in Heritage, international component. YCW project proposals for this component must have an international focus requiring the recent graduate to live in another country for a portion of the YCW internship.

Online applications can be submitted at www.youngcanadaworks.gc.ca

As a Canadian employer, your responsibilities would be to:

- Design an international project that contributes to your organization's mandate, and is suitable for an eligible recent graduate;
- Recruit for the internship through a fair and open job competition;
- Support the internship through additional cash and/or in-kind contributions;
- Ensure health and travel insurance for participants while outside Canada;
- Arrange for the participant's international travel;
- Pay a living allowance sufficient to maintain an equivalent standard of living to that in Canada, based on local conditions (participants must receive wages while working in Canada and a living allowance while abroad);
- Monitor the intern's progress using electronic and telephone communications while abroad;
- Provide job search support upon the conclusion to the internship.

The international host organization's responsibilities are to:

- Provide assistance in arranging safe and affordable local accommodation;
- Provide daily supervision and guidance to the intern while abroad;
- Offer opportunities to build upon the graduate's skills and professional networks;
- Monitor the intern's progress and communicate results to the Canadian employer and YCW.

Up to \$15,000 of financial assistance is available per YCW project.

For more information, including deadlines, please visit:

http://www.museums.ca/Sevices/Young_Canada_Works/YCW_at_Building_Careers_in_Heritage/

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