



Community Food Program Assistant

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 Programmer will be responsible for daily programming related to Good Food Organization, incorporating community gardening and urban farm programming with community partners, supporting community kitchens, and planning special events.

Responsibilities:

- 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 preservation activities in community kitchens 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
- Outreach to increase food literacy knowledge, community leadership in South Vancouver, and build networks and connections with other organizations
- Participate in and support other house-wide activities at SVNH

Qualifications:

- This position is funded by the Canada Summer Jobs. Applicants must be a full-time, post-secondary student in the current academic year and intending to return to full-time studies in Fall 2018
- Education in land and food systems, dietetics, biology, culinary, 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
- Advocate for food literacy and food system issues
- Valid First Aid/CPR, FoodSafe Level 1

Employment Terms:

- Full time term position. Monday – Friday, 7 hours per day & 35 hours per week.
- Start Date: June 25 – August 31, 2018
- Salary: \$15.04 + 4% vacation pay
- Job Type: Full-time



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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 reflects our commitment to our staff and their family. All qualified individuals are encouraged to apply, with subject line "Community Food Program Assistant - SVNH" by 5pm on Friday, May 11th, in confidence to:

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