UNDERGRADUATE RESEARCH OPPORTUNITIES

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NSERC UNDERGRADUATE STUDENT RESEARCH AWARDS

• **Position Type:** Paid, Full-time (35 hours per week; min. 16 consecutive weeks)
  • Summer: May – August
  • Fall: September – December
  • Winter: January – April

• **Student Eligibility:** Canadian/domestic undergraduate students; certain eligibility requirements apply

• **Application Information:** Opens annually in January; apply directly to your Faculty
  • For LFS - deadline typically early March

• **Additional Information:**
  • **Website:**
    • students.ubc.ca/nserc
  • **Contact:** nserc.usra@ubc.ca
WORK LEARN INTERNATIONAL UNDERGRADUATE RESEARCH AWARDS

- **Position Type:** Paid, Full-time (35 hours per week; min. 16 consecutive weeks)
  - Summer: May – August only

- **Student Eligibility:** International undergraduate students; certain eligibility requirements apply

- **Application Information:** Opens in November; work with a faculty member to submit a research proposal on UBC CareersOnline (employer portal) by January 2021

- **Additional Information:**
  - Website: students.ubc.ca/wliura
  - Contact: worklearn.iura@ubc.ca
MULTIDISCIPLINARY UNDERGRADUATE RESEARCH CONFERENCE (MURC)

A conference for UBC undergraduate students to showcase their research

• Get involved with MURC 2021 (March):
  • Present: Call for Abstracts open in November 2020
  • Volunteer: Applications open in late January 2021
  • Attend: Registration opens in early March 2021

• Additional Information:
  • Website: students.ubc.ca/murc
  • Contact: undergraduate.research@ubc.ca
WHAT YOU NEED TO KNOW

- 4 to 8 months of part-time paid work experience on campus
- 10 to 20 hours per week
- Average salary is $16 per hour
- Open to all UBC-Vancouver students

TWO SESSIONS PER YEAR

Summer
- May 1 to August 31
- Up to 20 hours per week
- Apply in late March

Winter
- September 1 to April 30
- Up to 10 hours per week
- Apply late August to early September

WHY A WORK LEARN JOB?

Earn money while attending classes.

Find a balance between work and your studies.

Gain professional experience and develop workplace skills.

Apply your knowledge in a practical setting.

Expand your network of connections at UBC.

Make the connection between your academics and future career.

Give back to the campus community.

students.ubc.ca/worklearn
UBC CAREERSONLINE
People in your major are interested in

- **Oxford Learning**
  - Vancouver, British Columbia
  - Part-Time Teaching Positions
  - Paid (Part-time) (29 hrs/wk or less)

- **Private**
  - Vancouver, British Columbia
  - Tutor / Mentor
  - Paid (Part-time) (29 hrs/wk or less)

- **Sunshine Coast Community Services**
  - Sechelt, British Columbia
  - Infant Development Consultant

- **Make**
  - Surrey
  - Translation or Support Work
GRADUATE AND POSTDOCTORAL STUDIES

• Undergraduate Research: https://www.grad.ubc.ca/research/undergraduate
  This list shows researcher who have indicated interest in working with undergraduate students on research projects.

• Researcher lookup tool: https://www.grad.ubc.ca/researcher-search

• Supervisor directory: https://www.grad.ubc.ca/prospective-students/research-supervisors
  • Search by name, program, role and keywords

• List of open projects: https://www.grad.ubc.ca/prospective-students/research-projects
FINDING REMOTE RESEARCH OPPORTUNITIES
RESOURCES

• Opportunities for Student Research Experiences: https:// facultystaff.students.ubc.ca/sites/facultystaff.students.ubc.ca/files/ Undergraduate%20Research%20Opportunities-Student%202020-21.pdf

• Multidisciplinary Undergraduate Research Conference (MURC): students.ubc.ca/murc

• UBC CareersOnline: https://ubc-csm.symplicity.com/index.php/pid079812

• UBC Vancouver Library Public Events: https://libcal.library.ubc.ca/calendar/?cid=-1&t=g&d=0000-00-00&cal=-1&audience=207&ct=33914&inc=0
  • Open Educational Resources from UBC Library Research Commons

• GoinGlobal: http://www.goinglobal.com/
Career & experience

Your future starts now. Make the most of your time at UBC and get a head start on your career.

Networking
Career Events
Job Search Strategies

Career Exploration
Interview Preparation
Resumes, Cover Letters & Curricula Vitae

Informational Interviews
LinkedIn
Advising

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QUESTIONS?