

Waste ambassador

Type of Position: Part-time (time sheet)

Start Date: 2019-08-15

End Date: 2019-05-15

Duration: 9 months.

Honorarium: \$15/hour- total depends on number of hours logged in time sheet.

Deadline to Apply: Friday, August 9th

Background: In collaboration between Concordia University and the Concordia Student Union, 7-8 waste ambassadors will be hired to go to major events at Concordia organized by the university and student associations on campus to help the participants learn how to sort out their waste. The scope covers events any time throughout the year; however, orientation will be the busiest time.

Description & responsibilities:

Waste ambassadors will be assigned to events on campus at Concordia University where food is served to help inform the community how to sort out waste.

- 1) Stand next to waste stations and help participants learn how to sort out their waste.
- 2) Ensure proper signage are present in events waste stations.
- 3) Support the Waste Not, Want Not team in the Bring-Your-Own-Mug free coffee and popcorn events. This includes setting up, clean up, serving food, and educating the community about composting and waste sorting.

These activities and schedules maybe collaboratively adjusted and prioritized throughout the internship depending on work load.

Essential Requirement(s):

- Fluency in English and French.
- Ability to commit 8 hours a week during orientation period (August 15th to September 30th) and 4 hours after. Schedules will vary significantly depending on events schedule.
- Excellent communication.
- Good interpersonal skills and comfort with public speaking.
- Autonomous.

- Flexible availability on campus.
- Ability to work well in teams, and tolerance to chaotic communication.

Asset(s):

- Involvement with the Waste Not, Want Not compost collaboration.
- Knowledge in waste management and the composting process
- Experience in educational and awareness work.

Please apply by sending your CV, cover letter, and Concordia Co-Curricular record (optional) to ILoveCompost@Concordia.ca, by August 9th. Interviews will be August 12th, 13th and 14th (Accommodations can be made; please specify preferred interview date/time in the application e_mail).

Supervisors

The Concordia Student Union and Keroles Riad (PhD Student).