



# Campus United

## Campus United 2024

**Position:** Community Connector

**Report to:** Campus United Ministry Chaplains

### Purpose and Scope of the Work

Community Connectors connect students and young adults with Campus United with emphasis on students and young adults affiliated with Mount Royal University (MRU), University of Calgary (UofC), University of Northern British Columbia (UNBC), Simon Fraser University (SFU), Selkirk College, University of British Columbia (UBC), and University of Victoria (UVIC).

Connectors work 30 hours per week for eight weeks in the summer to build leadership skills, create a strong staff team and plan for the fall and winter school terms. Connectors work part time in the fall and winter terms to support the campus ministry as designed.

Community Connectors work directly with the Campus Chaplains for Campus United. Successful candidates will bring a positive attitude, a curious open posture to the Christian faith and spirituality, a passion for social justice and building an inclusive community where all students are welcome, and a willingness to work as part of a team.

### Roles, Responsibilities and Tasks:

#### Engagement

- ⌘ Discern or create opportunities to engage with students in person (and online) at the post-secondary institutions they represent
- Participate in wider church and community events to network with post-secondary institution students looking for community
- Support work of the chaplains

#### Program Support

- Understand and interpret to the staff team the needs of students and young adults
- Work with the staff team in the delivery of existing programs
- Collaborate with the staff team in the creation and development of new programs

#### Orientation to Ethos of UCC Communities of Faith

- ⌘ Engage with all activities, workshops, leadership development and planning throughout the summer.
- ⌘ Share experiences and learning with those in the wider United Church of Canada by building a relationship with their assigned host community of faith
- ⌘ Attend UCC gatherings, including worship at local communities of faith, and educational events as requested

### **Gifts, Skills Experience and Qualities:**

- Experience in collaborative team leadership.
- Open to people of all faiths, sexual orientations and genders
- Able to design, organize and conduct programming
- Gift of hospitality
- Can articulate and share their own faith story in an authentic manner
- Ability to keep healthy boundaries and confidentiality
- Networking, community and relationship building
- Willingness to work as a team

### **Schedule and Commitment:**

- Provide certification or willing to certify (as part of the summer hours) in the following:
  - Mental Health First Aid for Adults who interact with Youth – Mental Health Commission of Canada
  - Emergency First Aid with CPR-C/AED
  - Commit to Kids – Canadian Centre for Child Protection
  - FoodSafe Certification
- Willingness to work irregular hours including some weekends and holidays
- Available for onsite training from June 30 until July 5, 2024,(inclusive)
- Able to work 30 hours per week from June 30 – August 23, 2024 (please note, there is one week of paid vacation in lieu of the extra hours from June 30-July 5, this week will be chosen in collaboration with the Campus Minister)
- Able to work 120 hours per term for the Fall term (September – December 2024) and Spring term (January – April 2025)

### **Compensation:**

- \$20 per hour
- Onsite Training – Accommodation, Travel, Food and Program Expenses will be paid for by Campus United.
- Please Note: Candidates must qualify for the Canada Summer Job Grant Funding which means the candidate must be 15-30 years of age and a permanent Canadian resident, citizen, or refugee