

## Job Posting: 3491 - Position: Student Economist

<b>Co-op Work Term Posted:</b>	Spring
<b>Application Deadline</b>	10/29 11:59 PM
<b>Application Method:</b>	Career Bridge
<b>Posting Goes Live:</b>	10/18 6:11 PM
<b>Job Posting Status:</b>	Expired

### Company Information

<b>Organization</b>	Western Economic Diversification Canada
<b>Salutation</b>	Ms.
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<b>Country</b>	Canada

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<b>Term Posted</b>	Spring
<b>Job Title</b>	Student Economist
<b>Duration</b>	4 Months
<b>Job Location</b>	Edmonton, AB
<b>Job Description</b>	

#### Department Profile:

Western Economic Diversification Canada (WD) is the federal government's regional development agency for Western Canada. WD's mandate is to promote the development and diversification of the economy of Western Canada and advance the interests of the West in national economic policy. WD is the only federal department with its Deputy Minister and corporate headquarters located in the West.

This placement offers a unique federal government experience working in WD's Sector Policy, Analysis and Analytics Directorate within Policy and Strategic Direction in Edmonton, Alberta. Our team conducts economic research and analysis on a broad range of subjects to help shape WD's programs and to advocate for the West in national policy conversations.

#### Description of Job:

- Conduct research for sector profiles, and other analytical products.
- Identify and access statistical data and conduct analyses.

- Help prepare briefing material, including slide presentations, backgrounders, briefing notes, etc.
- Monitor news sources on national and regional economic issues, and prepare summary reports.

**Job Requirements**

Preference will be given to Canadian citizens.

3<sup>rd</sup> or 4<sup>th</sup> year Undergraduate students majoring in Economics (min 3.0 GPA)

**Qualifications:**

- Oral and written communication skills
- Ability to work independently in a team setting and meet deadlines
- Research and statistical analysis skills
- Demonstrating respect and integrity
- Knowledge and/or interest in current economic and social conditions in Western Canada
- Proficiency in Microsoft Office, including Outlook, Word, and Excel

**Condition of Employment:**

- Reliability clearance

<b>Preferred Academic Level</b>	Undergraduate
<b>All Programs</b>	No
<b>Targeted Degrees and Disciplines</b>	Bachelor of Arts (BA) Bachelor of Management (BMGT)  Economics BA Economics BMgt
<b>Projected Start Date</b>	January 01 12:00 AM
<b>Projected End Date</b>	April 30 12:00 AM

**Application Information**

**Additional Application Information**

**Application Package Requirements:**

- Resume
- Writing sample
- Copy of transcript
- Proof of enrollment

WD is committed to building a skilled, diverse workforce reflective of Canadian society. We promote employment equity and encourage candidates to indicate voluntarily on their application if they are a woman, an aboriginal person, a person with a disability or a member of a visible minority group.