

ii' taa'poh'to'p

The University of Calgary plays a key role in the Calgary community as it is a hub of curious inquisitive and civic-minded students, faculty and staff. Our campus community is foundational to fostering an environment that is respectful and inclusive of Indigenous peoples as demonstrated by the development of ii' taa'poh'to'p, the University of Calgary's Indigenous Strategy. ii' taa'poh'to'p is a commitment to deep evolutionary transformation by reimagining ways of knowing, doing, connecting and being. Walking parallel paths together, "in a good way," UCalgary is moving toward genuine reconciliation and Indigenization.

The Indigenous Summer Student Program is an opportunity for Indigenous post-secondary students to contribute to our Indigenization, while also gaining valuable work experience. This program is in partnership with Community Futures Treaty 7 and the Rupertsland Institute. As per funding rules, these roles are only available to First Nation treaty-status or Métis students.

Job Title: Alumni Programs Ambassador

Department/ Unit: Alumni Engagement Programs and Services, Office of Advancement

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Reporting to the Associate Director, Alumni Programs, the Alumni Programs Ambassador will be part of the Alumni Engagement Programs and Services Team.

Our goal is to provide meaningful orientation to the work of the Alumni Engagement and Partnerships team, with a focus on supporting Alumni Programs. Our ambition for the 2020-2021 academic year is to develop programming for UCalgary alumni aligned to the goals of the Indigenous strategy, and to initiate more meaningful engagement with UCalgary's Indigenous alumni.

We are committed to activating dialogue with our Indigenous community to surface their interest in alumni programs and services including life-stage content, career programs and mentorship.

Qualifications/Expertise Required:

- The ideal candidate would be in their third or fourth year of study, or could be a graduate student
- Must be returning to full-time post-secondary studies in Fall 2020.
- A student with a creative and curious mind who enjoys building relationships, asking questions and seeing projects through to completion
- Strong writing skills and/or program planning skills would also be an asset in this position
- Existing engagement in the university and broader community is an asset, but not a requirement
- Students studying a variety of programs would be a welcome fit for this role
- To be successful, a friendly, studious and energetic nature would be appreciated

Accountabilities/Tasks and Duties: *(Results and outcomes expected when roles are carried out successfully, with supporting details on how results are accomplished):*

- Design a plan for engagement of current Indigenous students (future alumni), Indigenous alumni and the broader Indigenous community.
- Advise on the indigenization of current alumni programming
- Research and connect with Indigenous alumni strategies of similar post-secondary institutions