

Barkerville Historic Town, the largest Historic Site in British Columbia, has a summer position available for a student that will provide exciting opportunities to learn about British Columbia's history in a unique environment.

Job Title: Curatorial Assistant – Cultural Landscape Preservation Assistant

Hourly pay rate: \$15.00 plus 4% holiday pay, 35 hours/week

Anticipated term\*: May 9 2016 to August 26 2016 (16 weeks)

Description: This is a summer position that will provide practical, hands on experience for a student. Responsibilities will include assisting with the care of natural and man-made features of a the site including archaeology sites, Chinese terraced gardens, mining features, heritage gardens, and traditional landscape components of the historic town site, as well as assisting with a restoration project on the historic Chinese cemetery.

Candidates must, as per the requirements set out by the Canada Summer Jobs program:

- be between 15 and 30 years of age at the start of the employment;
- have been registered as full-time students in the previous academic year and intend to return to school on a full-time basis in the next academic year;
- be a Canadian citizen, permanent resident, or person to whom refugee protection has been conferred under the *Immigration and Refugee Protection Act*; and,
- be legally entitled to work in Canada in accordance with relevant provincial/territorial legislation and regulations.

Preference given to students enrolled in Museum Studies, Cultural Heritage Management, Anthropology, Archaeology or History focused programs.

Priority students (students with disabilities, aboriginal students, and students who are members of a visible minority) are encouraged to apply.

To Apply: submit cover letter and resume to <a href="mailto:mandy.kilsby@barkerville.ca">mandy.kilsby@barkerville.ca</a>

Application Deadline: Applications will be accepted until the position is filled

\*Please note that the staffing of the position and its duration are conditional on the approval of a grant application submitted to the *Canada Summer Jobs* program.