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LOCAL GOVERNMENT MANAGEMENT ASSOCIATION OF BRITISH COLUMBIA

Local Government Internship Program

A rewarding career in local government is calling you!

Do you want to make a difference in a community? Are you interested in challenging yourself to grow in a rewarding profession with opportunity for advancement? Then a career in local government might be for you!

Local government is the level of government that most closely affects the daily lives of residents. Local government staff utilize diverse skillsets and educational backgrounds to work in varied roles serving communities across B.C.

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Local Government Internship Program ⟶ Interns

1 Year Paid Internship

Eligibility

- **Finished or will finish a post-secondary degree or diploma between January 1, 2023, and April 30, 2025**
- **Legally eligible to work in Canada**

Important Dates

- **Apply from January 8 to February 15, 2025**
- **Host local government information available January 8, 2025**
- **Internship begins May 2025**



The Local Government Internship Program is a 12-month paid internship to work under the mentorship of a senior local government professional, gain a broad understanding of local government, and develop skills and competencies to kick start a career in the field.

The internship is a great opportunity for new and recent post-secondary graduates to gain hands-on practical experience and mentorship opportunities to build a network in local government. Interns will learn about policy development, management, operations, administration, and gain understanding of multiple areas of local government rotating through various departments in their host local government.

Perks of a local government internship include:

- Local governments will provide hands-on work experience, professional development, and mentoring to successful interns.
- Interns will receive a strong foundation for a career in local government.
- Work under the mentorship of a senior local government professional.
- Interns receive a salary and financial support for professional development.
- Develop an extensive network in the local government field.
- Fast track a career in the field given the mentorship and professional development opportunities provided.

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NORTHERN DEVELOPMENT

Thank you to Northern Development for partnering with LGMA to deliver the Northern internship position