

Annabelle Le Blanc



Biography

Annabelle moved to Canada with her family in 2006. While working on her masters in social work she had a field placement in Vancouver's lower east side. That changed her life. She knows that with her education she could have a more lucrative career, but her vision of a world free of poverty drives her.

She, her partner, and her children live in the neighborhood where Annabelle works. It's challenges, but community diversity is important to her.

Age: 31
Occupation: Community Organizer
Location: Vancouver, British Columbia
Education: Masters of Social Work
Family: Married with 2 daughters

Technology

	Low	Moderate	High
IT & Internet	<input type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Software	<input type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Mobile Apps	<input type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Social Networks	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>

Motivation

	Not important	Slightly Important	Moderately Important	Important	Very Important
Incentive	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Fear	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Achievement	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>
Growth	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>
Power	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Social	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>

"I don't have time to mess around with technology. It's a tool. I have better things to do than read manuals and search for tutorials"

Goals

- Bike across Canada before she is 40
- Organize a network of cooperative housing across Vancouver.
- Teach her children to be multi-lingual
- Read Ulysses
- Annabelle wants to learn how growing food can contribute to sustainable communities

Frustrations

- bureaucracy
- left hand turns
- Those hard to open plastic packs things are sold in
- inaction on social issues