Job Posting: 178092 - Position: S26 NSERC Undergraduate Student Research Award Opportunities 178092

Co-op Work Term Posted: 2026 - Summer
App Deadline 02/06/2026 04:00 PM
Application Method: Through Employer Website
Posting Goes Live: 02/05/2026 05:16 PM
Job Posting Status: Approved

ORGANIZATION INFORMATION

Organization UBC Computer Science (UBCCS)
Country Canada

JOB POSTING INFORMATION

Placement Term 2026 - Summer
<b> Job Title <b> S26 NSERC Undergraduate Student Research Award Opportunities 178092
Position Type Co-op Position
Job Location Vancouver, BC
Country Canada
Duration 4 months
Work Mode To be confirmed
Salary Currency CAD
Salary Salary Not Available, 0 Major List
Salary Range $ $6,000 plus host institution contribution

Job Description

One of the most valuable research experiences for an undergraduate student is to be a research assistant. Each year, the Computer Science Department receives a number of research awards that help provide funding for an undergrad student to spend 16 weeks over the summer working full time in one of the department's research labs, often with the opportunity to publish their work (see examples of previous projects.) This kind of research experience is highly sought after by graduate programs.

See Computer Science NSERC Research Award Info

Job Requirements

The positions are available to 2nd, 3rd, and 4th year students with strong academic records. You'll find more information about the awards available, including eligibility requirements on the CS Department website/Undergrads/Research Opportunities. Watch for in-class and email announcements from the department for details and deadlines.

New Application Requirement: all applicants are required to apply with a confirmed supervisor. The list of projects and supervisors will be posted on the above web page about Research Opportunities, and you can use this to approach any of the supervisors listed. However, you aren't limited to the projects and supervisors listed below. We encourage you to directly contact professors you would like to work with to find a match. Many professors will be happy to talk to you about the opportunity to hire students at a subsidized wage. You can find the faculty directory here.

Required Steps:
1. Read the details above and the information at the links on this page

2. Determine which awards you are eligible for

3. Contact potential supervisors from the Projects and Supervisors list (see below) or by approaching Computer Science faculty members you would like to work with

4. Once you have a confirmed supervisor, submit the online application webform by the stated deadline (the webform will become available before the deadline):

• Before submitting, please ensure that you have read over the online guidelines, eligibility requirements, and webform instructions carefully

• Make sure to read all of the instruction text in the webform, there may be important details noted below each field

5. When the department is informed of how many awards are available, a departmental adjudication committee will rank the applications. All applicants will then receive a decision. If you are selected for an award, you will then receive an email with instructions to submit a new webform to provide additional information/documentation:

• When you are applying: please read the webform carefully to ensure you are prepared to accept by providing these details

• (Your supervisor will also be contacted for required information)

IMPORTANT:

• All students should complete the NSERC Form 202 on the NSERC USRA website by clicking "On-line System Login" or, if you are a first-time user, "Register"

• All students should upload a PDF of the completed NSERC Form 202 to the online application webform

• DO NOT submit the application on the NSERC website until you have been accepted for the award and instructed to do so (at the end only students awarded for NSERC USRA will submit the application to NSERC website)

• Instructions on how to complete the forms can be found on the NSERC USRA website

Questions? For further details, please visit the UBC Student Services website or the NSERC USRA website and review the information and links provided, as these will likely give you the answers to your questions. If you would still like additional assistance, please see our Advising Webform instructions to see if you are eligible to submit a webform request.

See Projects and Supervisors for Summer 2025 on their website

Citizenship Requirement　　　　N/A

APPLICATION INFORMATION

Application Procedure　　　　Through Employer Website

Cover Letter Required?　　　　No

Special Application Instructions

See full application instructions here