



Right To Play

Look After Yourself, Look After One Another

OISE Intern – Canadian National Office

Close date: February 1, 2012
Department: Canadian National Office
Work location: Toronto, ON

ORGANIZATION PROFILE:

Right To Play uses specially-designed sport and play programs to improve health, build life skills, and foster peace for children and communities affected by war, poverty and disease. Working in both the humanitarian and development contexts, Right To Play has projects in more than 20 countries in Africa, Asia, the Middle East and South America. Right To Play takes an active role in driving Sport for Development and Peace research and policy and in supporting children's rights. Right To Play has developed important implementing and operational partnerships with numerous organizations, including UNRWA, UNICEF, and WHO.

The Right To Play Canadian National Office is responsible for facilitating fundraising across Canada to support our programming around the world. The Canadian National Office works directly with the general public, schools, partners of the community and corporate Canada.

JOB SUMMARY:

This individual will assist with the Youth To Youth Coordinator and the Manager of School and University Partnerships in delivering presentations, workshops and school-wide events to inner-city schools throughout the Toronto District School Board (TDSB). An organized, adaptable person comfortable with public speaking and youth coaching and/or teaching experience is best suited to this position.

RESPONSIBILITIES:

- **Presentations and Play Days-** Leading presentations and Right To Play events at schools. Assist the development of workshops and presentation resources.
- **Curriculum development** – Work with teachers to enhance current curriculum-based subjects with Right To Play programming.
- **Monitoring & Evaluation** – Complete program evaluations and compile data and media collections.
- **Independent Project** – Complete a personal project based on inspiration and information gained through the internship term.

Other Duties as assigned.

MINIMUM EXPERIENCE REQUIREMENTS:

Experience Level:

Applicants must be a Concurrent Teacher Education student or enrolled in OISE's Consecutive Teacher Education B.Ed./Dip in Tech. Ed.

Knowledge of child development, teaching practice and strategies

Desired asset:

- Proficiency in French
- Experience and/or interest in ESL and special education classrooms
- Enrolled in OISE Inner-city option
- Previous experience in teaching and/or coaching youth
- Criminal Background check
- Must hold an interest in public speaking



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CONTACTS/KEY RELATIONSHIPS:

External:

- Various stakeholders
- Members of the general public
- Representatives of schools

Internal:

- All members of Canadian National Office and International Headquarters

MINIMUM EDUCATION LEVEL:

- Applicants must be a Concurrent Teacher Education student or enrolled in OISE's Consecutive Teacher Education B.Ed./Dip in Tech. Ed.

TECHNICAL SKILLS:

- Excellent interpersonal skills
- Ability to liaise with members of the general public in a professional and courteous manner

LANGUAGE SKILLS:

- Speaking, reading and writing fluency in English
- Ability to work in a second language (French) is an asset

Salary: Unpaid internship

Employment Start Date: April 30th 2011

Contract Duration: 4 weeks (full time) [April 30th 2012 – May 31th 2012]

How To Apply:

If you are interested in applying for this position, please send your resume and cover letter to: Kendra Kerr at kkerr@righttoplay.com and kindly include the job title in the subject line. While we thank all applicants for their interest, only those selected for interviews will be contacted.

Right To Play - Human Resources Philosophy

Right To Play is an international humanitarian organization that uses the power of sport and play to improve the lives of children in the most disadvantaged areas of the world. We believe that all children have the right to play.

Right To Play's human resources philosophy reflects the spirit that drives the organization. The philosophy influences the kind of people who are interested in working for us, the kind of people we recruit and how we treat our people.

Right To Play's culture is entrepreneurial, where employees are encouraged and empowered to perform in the context of rapid international growth, and to aim for the highest quality and adopt global best practices in delivering our programs.

Our employees are global citizens who are passionate about improving the world we live in through value-based grassroots activities. We work on the ground with and through people in the communities we serve to improve the lives of their children. By having a constant presence in these communities and helping them develop the resources and skills they need to help themselves, we aim for sustainable, long-term development.

To translate our vision into action, our philosophy for delivering our programs is "LOOK AFTER YOURSELF, LOOK AFTER ONE ANOTHER". Our employees are the backbone of this delivery, and the philosophy supports them by defining the desired outcomes of our human resources philosophy. This means that we pay competitive salaries, provide comprehensive benefits, encourage employee social events, provide development opportunities and a great work environment.

We measure the success of this philosophy by indicators such as employee satisfaction surveys and staff turnover rate, as well as the overall success of Right To Play.