

## **WORK STUDY JOB POSTING**

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**JOB TITLE:** CFAR1 - Research Assistant (CARBC)

**DEPARTMENT NAME:** Centre for Addictions Research of BC

**CONTACT NAME:** Dr. Scott Macdonald

### **JOB DESCRIPTION:**

A research assistant is required to assist Dr. Scott Macdonald (Assistant Director, Research) with various research activities in the area of alcohol and illicit drug use. This will include assisting in the preparation of literature reviews, editing and reviewing papers as well as creating graphs, tables and presentations using Excel and Power Point. Depending on experience, it may also involve quantitative data analysis. In addition, the research assistant will be responsible for updating and maintaining the Centre's research library as well as other duties as directed by the supervisor. The current project that the student will be most heavily involved in is a SSHRC-funded study investigating youth experiences with the police. The research assistant will likely carry out interviews with participants to aid in data collection.

The student will develop and strengthen various research and analytical skills. The research assistant will also be provided with opportunities to acquire statistical skills and will be encouraged to participate in various statistical and analytical tasks.

### **QUALIFICATIONS:**

We are looking for a student with an interest in the area of addictions research. A background in health sciences and/or psychology would be an asset, but any students enrolled in social or health sciences are encouraged to apply.

**JOB LOCATION ON-CAMPUS:** Technology Enterprise Facility Room 273  
2300 McKenzie Avenue

**WORK STUDY WAGE:** \$12.00/hour (including 4% vacation pay)

**HOURS AVAILABLE:** 340

**HOW TO APPLY:** Please email a cover letter and resume to Dr. Scott Macdonald  
[scottmac@uvic.ca](mailto:scottmac@uvic.ca)

Applicants must be eligible for Work Study Program  
For details go to: <http://www.uvic.ca/registrar/safa/work-study/index.php>