

CO-OP + CAREER

Biology Co-op

Join Biology Co-op to try different jobs, meet employers, earn a salary and gain relevant work experience! During your degree, you'll complete co-op terms working for exciting employers in positions related to your field of study.



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Biology co-op student Bryn Armstrong worked as a wildlife assistant with the BC SPCA Wild Animal Rehabilitation Centre (Wild ARC).



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Program format options

Co-op work terms begin in January, May and September and are typically 4 months long. Several program options are available to fit your schedule:

- + Co-op Program: 4 work terms
- + Co-op Internship: 12 or 16 months
- + Work Experience Program: 1–3 work terms
- + Post-Study Internship: 1–3 work placements

Past biology co-op job examples

- + Assistant wildlife biologist—Parks Canada
- + Biological weed and pest control assistant—CABI
- + Camp instructor—Science Venture
- + Environment regulatory and sustainability co-op—Devon Energy
- + Eulachon assessment/pelagic ecosystems—Fisheries and Oceans Canada
- + Junior wildlife rehabilitator—BC SPCA Wild Animal Rehabilitation Centre
- + Naturalist/guide—Marine Science Centre

How to apply

Visit uvic.ca/biocoop to learn more and apply online.

You will need:

- + Full-time student status
- + Second-year standing
- + A minimum B average

Application deadlines

- + **August 31** for early intake (first work term in January)
- + **September 30** for regular intake (first work term in May)

Learn more about co-op and how it can help you launch your career!

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