Social sciences co-op student Andrew de la Chevrotiere Borchert worked as a mortgage administrative assistant at Peak to Peak Mortgage in Squamish, BC.
Economics Co-op

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+ bcIMC—Quantitative developer
+ CIBC Wood Gundy—Investment advisor assistant
+ Environment and Climate Change Canada—Economist and researcher
+ Financial Institutions Commission—Risk analyst

How to apply (it’s easy!)
+ Apply by September 20 or January 20
+ Must be a full-time student and have completed your first year of study
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+ Must have an overall 4.5 GPA and also meet these GPA requirements:
  • GPA 4.5 (B-) minimum in ECON 103 or 103C or 180, 104, 225 and 245
  • B minimum in one of CSC 105, 110 or 111