



Come Join Our Team!!

Operations Youth Summer Student (2 Positions available)

ʔaqam is located in the beautiful, sunny center of *Ktunaxa* Traditional Territory in the southeast corner of British Columbia. If you love the outdoors, the mountains, fresh air and the sun, this is the place for you. We are here to work towards achieving *ʔaqam*'s Vision: "A vibrant, healthy community, speaking our language, governing effectively, and maximizing our lands and resources for the benefit of future generations and all living things, in a manner consistent with qanikitç'i (our values and principles)." Be a part of an excellent team, perform meaningful work that will realize long term benefits, share in worthwhile accomplishments, celebrate successes, join in the camaraderie, build strong relationships, and enjoy lifelong learning!

POSITION SUMMARY

The operations summer student is an opportunity for ʔaqamnik and/or Ktunaxa youth to gain early experience and skills working in the facility operations and maintenance department. Under the supervision of the Operations Coordinator, the operations summer student will assist with projects focused on the operation and maintenance of ʔaqam community infrastructure.

KEY RESPONSIBILITIES

- Complete routine ground maintenance including operations of lawn care tools including lawn mower, trimmer etc.
- Complete training on tools and equipment.
- Assist with custodial duties.
- Assist with the collection of water samples and learn how to report results
- Assist in the development and maintenance of the ʔaqam Community Garden
- Assist with the collection of data from housing renovation projects.

The Successful candidate must be capable of working for full workdays in the field performing physical labor, as well be capable of travelling to and from the ʔaqam Band Administration Office for scheduled shifts. Strong focus on safety and the ability to follow safe work procedures. Must demonstrate the ability to work with people with different backgrounds and demonstrate knowledge of Ktunaxa people and culture.

To see the [full job description](#) of this position please visit our website: www.aqam.net under [Employment Opportunities](#)

Please submit your cover letter and resume marked "Operations Summer Student" to:

Recruiting at *ʔaqam*

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email: jointheteam@aqam.net

Applications will be accepted until May 29, 2022

Preference will be given to candidates of Ktunaxa or other First Nations ancestry and ʔaqam encourages applicants to self-identify within your application. Thank you to all those that apply, however only those selected for an interview will be contacted.