Apply to be a Ktunaxa Youth Intern for the xa¢qana‡ ?itkini‡ Research Project

What it is:

The xa¢qana‡ ?itkini‡ (many ways of working on the same thing) is a research project collaborated by the Ktunaxa Nation, the University of British Columbia (Okanagan) and Interior Health to explore health and wellness through a Ktunaxa lens to provide services that align with Ktunaxa culture, language, and values. The project also explores the question qapsin ki?in ?aka‡xuniyam? (What would a healthy community look like?).

For more information about the project and its team members visit: https://manywaysofworkingonthesamething.com/



Who we're looking for:

- All interested Ktunaxa youth aged 14 and up are encouraged to apply;
- Interests in health care, research, or plans to begin or already enrolled in post secondary school are an asset.
- Ktunaxa ancestry is required; Status is not.

What you'll do:

- Helping set up for community gatherings and assisting with clean up after
- Serving elders
- Being present at on-the-land activities and assisting and engaging in cultural activities
- Watching interview video footage and providing relevant time stamps

Accommodations considered for applicants with specific needs when and where needed

Compensation and Time Commitment:

Interns will be paid \$25/h for involvement with the project in addition to potential career and training opportunities.

Up to eight hours a week, as needed and for special community events. Hours will be flexible for student's specific needs and schedules.

How to apply:

While a resume will be happily accepted, you are not limited to apply only in this fashion and any medium is accepted. Suggestions include but are not limited to: A couple of written paragraphs about yourself and why you are interested in joining the project; A short video explaining who you are and why you're interested in joining the project; An audio clip telling us about yourself and why you would like to join the project.

Send all applications and questions via email to:

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