

Inner City Work Study program

Seeking students for 2022 Spring & Summer

UWinnipeg students! You have a unique work & study opportunity May to August of 2022.

The Work: 450 hours @ \$22/hr at an inner-city organization for practical work experience that you will bring into the classroom.

The Study: 1 day week, 6 credit hour 3000 level. Focusing on community practice and theory with a reconciliation lens. This unique course will expose you to a variety of effective community based practices in economic, social, and community development. You will explore the everyday realities and context of community based programs and services. You will apply what you learn in the classroom to your work in the community.

In the spirit of Reconciliation the curriculum explores the root causes of divisions in contemporary Canadian society, which are often based on fear, ignorance and lack of exposure to people from different backgrounds and experiences.

Elder Support: Is available to provide mentorship and guidance to students and to the program.

Location: Depending on pandemic restrictions this course may use a roving classroom model where students visit different locations in the inner city.

It will not always be comfortable.

Apply today: Submit your cover letter and resume. Tell us about:

- Your interest in the Inner-City Work Study program,
- Your understanding of the strengths and challenges faced by inner-city communities
- Why you are a strong candidate for this program
- Include and unofficial transcript

You too can be part of this program.



Information and Application: uwinnipeg.ca/urban-inner-city-studies/index.html

Or contact Kerniel Aasland: k.aasland@uwinnipeg.ca

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Why Study in Winnipeg's North End?

We offer an exciting, innovative and relevant curriculum!

Urban and Inner-City Studies is situated on Selkirk Ave, in the newly renovated Merchants Corner. We aim to bring students from diverse backgrounds and experiences together to learn about urban and inner-city issues in a North End neighbourhood setting. We offer small class sizes and facilitate learning through shared experience. We foster a warm, personalized environment to ensure you have the support you need to succeed.

Our students can earn:

- **A Bachelor of Arts Degree** with a Major in Urban and Inner-City Studies
- **A Certificate in Urban and Inner-City Studies**
- **A Certificate in Community Advocacy**

We offer an urban studies focus through a critical lens with an emphasis on the dynamics in Winnipeg and other inner cities.

Some areas include :

- Community planning, organizing, development and advocacy
- Colonization and Indigenous People
- Poverty, the law and public policy
- Women and the Inner City

"My Urban and Inner City Studies experiences have supported my healing from trauma and moving forward from the past. I've grown so much because of the family like atmosphere at the Selkirk campus where there is amazing and inspiring staff, instructors, guest speakers and students. Meegwetch"

-Chantell Quill,

UIC BA Graduate



Merchants Corner

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