

January 23, 2018

Events

► FIND YOUR FIT TOUR – A CAREER EXPLORATION EVENT

January 30, 2018, 3:15pm-7:00pm
Qualicum Beach Elementary

The WorkBC Find Your Fit Tour is an interactive student based event taking place at Qualicum Beach Elementary on January 30, 2018 from 3:15pm - 7:00pm for students/parents and community members. The event allows students to jump right in and try the skills they'll need for different careers in demand across BC. Interactive activity stations including welding, carpentry, accounting, and more will help students apply real life experiences to their career planning. Students will also be able to connect with WorkBC's labour market information, tools and services. Parents are also welcome to attend the event, as they look for ways to educate and support their children in their career exploration.

Find Your Fit is part of the provincial government's B.C.'s Skills for Jobs Blueprint commitment to re-engineer education and deliver the skilled workforce B.C.'s growing economy needs.

Drop in and explore the program and discover how to 'find your fit' for a career!

<https://www.workbc.ca/Jobs-Careers/Find-Your-Fit-Tour.aspx>

► Overnight Freight Team Associates Hiring Event

Wednesday, January 24, 2018, 7:00 pm to 11:00 pm

The Home Depot Nanaimo, 6555 Metral Street, Nanaimo,

- Must be available to work between the hours of 10:00 pm to 6:30 am
- Weekend availability required

What to Bring

- Apply on-line at www.homedepot.ca/careers
- Two pieces of government issued ID (one MUST have a photo)
- A copy of your resume
- Enthusiasm! Let us know why you want to work for The Home Depot

Attending a Home Depot career fair will provide you an immediate opportunity for you to meet with hiring managers of The Home Depot and discuss available positions in detail. For more information, please visit www.homedepot.ca/careers Job Type: Part-time

► Building Service Worker Training - Nanaimo (4 weeks) at VIU in Nanaimo, Tuesday, January 30 – Tuesday, February 27, 2018. Vancouver Island University is offering FREE training for unemployed and employed (low-skilled or underemployed) individuals. Funding provided by the Government of Canada through the Canada-British Columbia Job Fund. To find out if you are eligible visit: <https://pdt.viu.ca/> - see contract training – fully funded programs, or call (250) 740-6655, or email: client.coordinator@viu.ca



CBI HOME HEALTH

SHARE YOUR PASSION WITH US!

CBI IS ACTIVELY HIRING:

- Pick Your Own Working Hours
- Gain Valuable Experience with Competitive Wages
- Able to Work as a Care Aide After Your First Year of the Nursing Program
- Care Aide Openings Throughout the Following Regions:
Nanaimo, Port Alberni, Parksville and Qualicum

www.cbi.ca/careers

We Really Care **We Make It Happen**

careersbc@cbi.ca

We Aim Higher **We Do Great Work Together**

► February 7, 2018, 1:00 pm - 4:00 pm
Career Centre #110-198 E. Island Highway, Parksville

CBI Home Health is actively hiring Care Aides! Come meet with a HR representative and learn more about working with CBI Home Health.

► **Free Employer Info Session for Wescon Doors**

February 13, 2018, 10:00 am – 11:30 am
Global Vocational Services Inc. #301 – 80 Station Street, Duncan BC

One of the largest door manufacturers in Western Canada wants you to explore career opportunities with Wescon.

- What are the company values and how do they fit me?
- What is the hiring process? Do I need a resume?
- What skills and experience do I need? What is the work environment like?
- What are the benefits and wages?

Seating is limited so call (250) 748-9880 to register.



WESCON DOORS

Meet the Employer!
Free Employer Info Session - February 13, 2018

Open the Door to new career options at Wescon Doors!

One of the largest door manufacturers in Western Canada, boasting a production area of over 50,000ft² – not including office areas, lumber dryers, or yard space

Join us and explore career opportunities at Wescon Doors!

- What are the company values and how do they fit for me?
- What is the company hiring process? Do I need a Resume?
- What skills and experience do I need? What is the work environment like?
- What are the benefits and wages?

Tuesday February 13, 2018
10:00 am - 11:30 am
Global Vocational Services Inc.
#301 - 80 Station Street, Duncan, BC
Call 250-748-9880 to register. Seating is limited!

Canada BRITISH COLUMBIA WorkBC
Employment Services Centre

This Employment Program of British Columbia is funded in whole or part by the Government of Canada and the Province of British Columbia.

Business Buzz

► Seacliff Properties has begun work on the Fairwinds Landing site in Nanoose Bay. The lot will be developed into a 39 unit condominium building. December Vancouver Island Business Examiner Page 36

► The City of Nanaimo has received a development permit application calling for the construction of a 186-square metre, one storey Triple O's drive-through restaurant to be located at Country Club Centre. The proposed restaurant would include a patio. December Vancouver Island Business Examiner page 37

General LMI

► BC Corrections is actively hiring!

Do you want to make a positive impact in your community? Consider the career possibilities as a Correctional Officer. We are actively hiring in your community and are looking for individuals with great communication skills and life experience. We welcome applicants with related work experience in law enforcement, security or experience in construction, customer service, hospitality and other industries where the core skill sets we are looking for are compatible.



The banner features a dark blue background with white text. At the top, it reads "Be a Role Model, Be a Peace Officer... Join BC Corrections". Below this is a photograph of three individuals in BC Corrections uniforms. To the right of the photo, it says "BC Corrections is actively hiring" and "Inspiring Excellence, Changing Lives". At the bottom, there is a dark blue bar with the text "CLICK HERE TO APPLY". Logos for the Justice Institute of British Columbia, School of Criminal Justice & Security, and Corrections Academy are also present.

Here are just a few reasons why you should join us:

- We offer a variety of work schedules, providing staff coverage on a 365/24/7 basis. Correctional Officers work various shift patterns, including day, night, weekend and statutory holiday shifts. All positions are rotational
- We encourage maintaining a healthy work-life balance and we provide shifts, on average, of 70 hours per pay period
- We offer extensive training, growth and development opportunities
- We offer a competitive salary and benefits package which includes: Basic and Extended Health and Dental, Group Life Insurance, a uniform allowance, fitness training and facilities, an Employee and Family Assistance Program, subsidies for continuing education, and a Pension Plan that ranks among the best

Joining us as a Correctional Officer is not just a job, it's a career with tremendous growth potential.

ONLY APPLICANTS THROUGH THE LINK BELOW WILL BE CONSIDERED:

<https://search.employment.gov.bc.ca/cgi-bin/a/highlightjob.cgi?jobid=46820>

► The job site Indeed.ca released its first-ever list of the 25 best places to work in Canada this past August– a list which is dominated by financial institutions, airlines and health-care providers. The list was constructed based on employee reviews of over 600,000 members on Indeed’s website which scored based on five categories:

- Pay and benefits
- Work-life balance
- Workplace advancement
- Opportunities within the company
- Management and culture

In order to make the top 25 list, the company had to have had at least 50 employee reviews.

The Top 5:

1. **RBC:** Many of the reviews tell of a fast-paced environment. Many reviews also described the environment and people as “friendly.”
2. **Toronto Transit Commission (TTC):** Its Rewards and Recognition program, which helps employees grow within the company, was a hit among reviewers. Reviews also say management “takes care of its employees” and gives plenty of opportunity to raise a family and retire comfortably.
3. **TELUS Communications:** TELUS received high marks for its work-life balance and company culture among reviewers, as well as its perks.
4. **General Motors:** GM scored the highest among the top five employers for salary and benefits.
5. **The Hospital for Sick Children:** Employees commend the hospital for providing a great work-life balance and workplace culture. The work environment has also been described as “collaborative and supportive.”

The Rest:

- | | | |
|-----------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------|
| 6. WestJet Airlines | 12. Enbridge | 19. SNC-Lavalin |
| 7. H&R Block | 13. National Defence | 20. Amec Foster Wheeler |
| 8. TD Canada Trust | 14. Fiat Chrysler Automobiles | 21. IBM |
| 9. Sun Life Financial | 15. Bank of Montreal | 22. CIBC |
| 10. Desjardins | 16. Ledcor | 23. Shaw Communications |
| 11. Air Canada | 17. PwC | 24. Enterprise Holdings |
| | 18. Scotiabank | 25. Husky Energy |

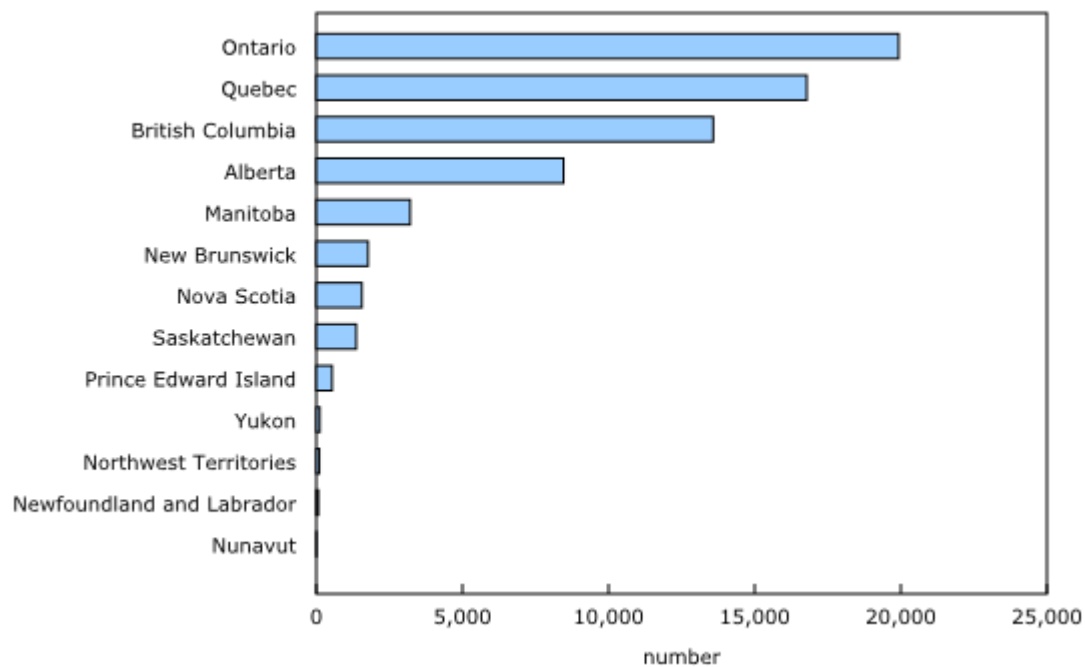
► A recent [CBC article](#) indicated that for the film and television industry in British Columbia, 2017 was a tough year to beat. A record-breaking \$2.6 billion streamed into the province last year, much of it coming from international productions....There has been tremendous growth in the industry in the past few years and it won't slow down anytime soon. Locally, Chesapeake Shores, announced this week on Facebook the family drama series had been approved for a third season. Film locations for the first two seasons included Qualicum Beach, Parksville and Nanaimo, standing in for the state of Maryland. Joan Miller, the commissioner of the Vancouver Island North Film Commission, said the economic boost from the Chesapeake Shores production is in the millions of dollars for the area. Providing accommodation for roughly 120 members of the crew and cast represented a boost to local businesses, Miller said. Optimism about film industry opportunities for locals has also spurred the development of new training programs at North Island College for film industry jobs. <http://bit.ly/2mSVUfn>

► The Regional District of Nanaimo board of directors gave 3 readings to a recent bylaw to develop a service to provide funds to the Vancouver Island Film Commission (INfilm). Once approved, the RDN will

enter into a 3 year agreement with INfilm to provide funding of \$50,000 to promote the region as a prime location for film, tv and commercial productions. December 2017 Vancouver Island Business Examiner page 39

► Job vacancies in British Columbia were up by 14,000 (+18.8%) in the second quarter of 2017 compared with one year earlier. The provincial increase was concentrated in two of the seven economic regions of the province: Lower Mainland, Southwest (+10,000) and Vancouver Island and Coast (+1,900). These were also the economic regions where the job vacancy rate increased within the province.

British Columbia continued to have the highest job vacancy rate among the provinces at 4.0%, up from 3.5% one year earlier. In many sectors, British Columbia had a job vacancy rate above the national average, notably in accommodation and food services (6.4%), administration and support services (5.9%) and construction (5.2%).



<http://bit.ly/2DNhWqZ>

Local Job Leads and Postings

Parksville and Area

- Administrative Professional (Financial) - Qualicum Beach <http://bit.ly/2CT6E6N>
- Animal Care Attendant - Casual; on-call – SPCA – Parksville <http://bit.ly/2mK19hq>
- Customer Service Representative – CIBC – Parksville <http://indeedhi.re/2mKG0nn>
- Tour Operator/Recreational Guide - School District #69 – Qualicum/Parksville <http://indeedhi.re/2ENE9Vb>
- Carpenter/ Renovator/Laborer – Oceanside <http://bit.ly/2EO1q9F>
- Experienced Landscaping position – Parksville <http://bit.ly/2DkRwQB>
- Sushi Lead- Qualicum Foods - Qualicum Beach <http://bit.ly/2mQdyAm>
- Childcare Workers - Paradise Childcare Centre – Parksville/Qualicum Beach <http://bit.ly/2DJMCcP>
- Health and Wellness Coordinator - School District #69 Qualicum – Parksville <http://indeedhi.re/2Dp0Sd9>
- Kindergarten - School District #69 (Qualicum) – Parksville <http://indeedhi.re/2DgRwgf>

- ▶ Concrete Labourer – Parksville/Nanaimo <http://bit.ly/2DtN01u>
- ▶ Carpenter’s Helper - The Whole Show Restorations – Parksville <http://bit.ly/2DsnZDK>
- ▶ Assistant Manager –Black Goose Inn – Parksville <http://indeedhi.re/2rglTCg>
- ▶ BC BC Parks is currently accepting applications for seasonal Park Rangers (PA11) or seasonal Senior Park Rangers (STO15). More information can be found at <http://www.env.gov.bc.ca/bcparks/aboutBCParks/employment/ranger/>

Nanaimo

- ▶ Western Forest Products – <http://www.jobs.net/jobs/westernforest/en-ca/all-jobs/>
- ▶ BC Public Service - Job Opportunities <http://bit.ly/2tnsQSA>

Department	Req #	Job Title	Location	Open Date	Union	Close Date
Attorney General	46767	DEP SH 18R - Deputy Sheriff	Nanaimo	12/15/17	GEU	01/23/18
Public Safety & Sol General	46820	Correctional Officer - Applicant Inventory	Nanaimo	01/02/18	GEU	01/28/18
Min of Trans & Infrastructure	47037	Technician Entry Level Program (TELP) - PROVINCE WIDE	Nanaimo	01/05/18	GEU	01/28/18
Social Dev & Poverty Reduction	47102	ADMN O 21R - Ministry Investigator	Nanaimo	01/04/18	GEU	01/25/18
Public Service Agency	47355	Band 2 - Occupational Safety Specialist	Nanaimo	01/12/18	Non	01/28/18

- ▶ Experienced Landscaper/Arborist - Nanaimo Tree Service – Nanaimo <http://bit.ly/2Ddd4dT>
- ▶ Office Manager - Vancouver Island University Faculty Association – Nanaimo <http://bit.ly/2rfbVRs>
- ▶ Youth/Family Counsellor - NARSF Programs – Nanaimo <http://bit.ly/2DF8beF>
- ▶ Landscaper/Operator/Dump Truck Driver - Bully's Landscaping – Nanaimo <http://bit.ly/2Dn6SmE>
- ▶ Welder -Coast Industrial Machining Ltd. – Nanaimo <http://bit.ly/2rdrKbo>
- ▶ Customer Service Representative - Budget Car & Truck Rental – Nanaimo <http://indeedhi.re/2Dkk7Fu>
- ▶ Retail Event Coordinator - Cabela's Inc. – Nanaimo <http://indeedhi.re/2mE7J8m>
- ▶ Foot Passenger Ticket Agents - BC Ferries – Nanaimo <http://indeedhi.re/2m00tpJ>
- ▶ Guest Services Representative - Nanaimo North Town Centre – Nanaimo <http://indeedhi.re/2mKR3Np>
- ▶ Terminal Attendants - BC Ferries – Nanaimo <http://indeedhi.re/2Dg1q5P>
- ▶ Deckhand / Bridge Watchman - BC Ferries - Nanaimo <http://indeedhi.re/2DDeiQw>
- ▶ Administrative Assistant - Omni Foods – Nanaimo <http://indeedhi.re/2Dg3OKa>
- ▶ Nanaimo Seasonal Merchandiser – PepsiCo – Nanaimo <http://indeedhi.re/2r9s5fi>
- ▶ Youth Program Leader - Boys and Girls Clubs of Central Vancouver Island – Nanaimo <http://indeedhi.re/2FHxQUx>
- ▶ Mechanics - Licensed/Apprentice – Lock Search Group <http://bit.ly/2FO31hc>
- ▶ Receptionist/Office Admin - Nanaimo <http://bit.ly/2FJRpvz>
- ▶ Nurses needed to instruct our Health Care Assistant (HCA) Program – Discovery College – Nanaimo <http://bit.ly/2mJOgmS>
- ▶ Receptionist/Administrative Assistant - Houle Electric – Nanaimo <http://bit.ly/2DeRmGt>
- ▶ Receptionist/Administrative Assistant - Estevan Denture Clinic – Nanaimo <http://indeedhi.re/2rn44BB>
- ▶ Clinical Sleep Assistant - VitalAire Canada Inc – Nanaimo <http://indeedhi.re/2DsulCy>
- ▶ Office Administration - Budget Glass – Nanaimo <http://indeedhi.re/2DlqjgP>
- ▶ Administrative Assistant - ABC Water Systems Inc. – Nanaimo <http://indeedhi.re/2Dhu4Qob>
- ▶ Looking for Carpenters, Helpers and skilled Labourers – Nanaimo <http://bit.ly/2BcEzT2>
- ▶ Farm Hand - Deep Roots Farm – Cedar <http://bit.ly/2ESIMxk>
- ▶ Administrative Assistant - Lifestyle Health and Fitness – Nanaimo <http://indeedhi.re/2FU1lwT>

► Design Consultant - La-Z-Boy Furniture Galleries – Nanaimo <http://indeedhi.re/2DOcFj5>

Port Alberni and Other Areas

- Skidder Operator - Fall River Logging - Port Alberni <http://indeedhi.re/2DEczuo>
- Civil/Structural Engineer - McGill and Associates Engineering Ltd. - Port Alberni <http://bit.ly/2D7diD9>
- Assistant Forest Engineers - Generous Forest Services (Genfor) Port Alberni <http://bit.ly/2B4LT38>
- Senior Forest Engineers - Generous Forest Services (Genfor) Port Alberni / Cowichan Operations <http://bit.ly/2B6wiQA>
- Office Assistant - Job Number #17376 - Local Employer - Port Alberni <https://avemployment.ca/>

Camp Jobs

- Full-Time Experienced Heavy Duty Mechanic - K-Tech Heavy Metal Repair BC <http://bit.ly/2EqLc62>
- ACP EMR - CIS Safety and Rentals - Grande Prairie <http://bit.ly/2DhhOTP>
- Welders Helper/ run rig - Camp work ASAP CWB TICKET - Grande Prairie <http://bit.ly/2rdN7Jy>
- Highway log truck driver required immediately - Hartwood Holdings Ltd - <http://bit.ly/2mBjix2>
- Coil Tubing and Picker Services - B & T Spooling Ltd. - Fort McMurray <http://bit.ly/2DEt4Xk>
- Contract Buncher - Martushev Logging Ltd – Fort McMurray and Swan Hills <http://bit.ly/2DLM9XK>
- Security Guards - All Peace Protection -Camp Setting in various parts of Alberta <http://bit.ly/2DmSVq0>
- Hydrovac Operators and Assistants – Badger Daylighting - <http://bit.ly/2CR2oI2>

Job Search Tips

- How Your References Can Cost You the Job <http://bit.ly/2mTkrkr>