

CAREER CORNER

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Career Program Interviews:
April/May 2025



YOUTH TRAIN IN TRADES, ACADEMIC DUAL CREDIT AND FIRE INTERVIEWS

Thank you for submitting your applications! Once all applications have been reviewed, selected students will receive an invite to a program interview in **April/May**. Stay tuned!



**SKILLS CANADA BC
COMPETITION
APRIL 16, 2025
TRADEX ABBOTSFORD**

8:30 AM – 3:00 PM – Open to the public for spectating, Try-A-Skill Booths, & Pathways to Careers Showcase

4:00 PM – 6:00 PM (Judging)

5:30 PM – 6:30 PM (Provincial Medals Award Ceremony)

Admission is free to the general public.
Learn more [HERE](#)



April 23, 2025
6:00PM
Online

CAREER PANELIST CHAT **FOR TEENS AND PARENTS**

Join us for a panel chat where you'll hear inspiring stories, explore diverse career paths, and get insider tips to turn passions into a career you'll love. Experts from science communication, nurse, BCEHS, Olympian/Wealth Advisor and CEO - AI-based Creative Technology.

PANEL SPEAKERS **JABC PICK MY BRAIN**



Kalene Lillico
Education
Manager at Dino
Lab Inc.



Adam Woodhouse
CEO - XR / AI based
Creative Technology



Madison Mailey
Wealth Advisor and
Olympic Champion



Mehdi Kargar
Nurse, Health
Educator



Courtney Harrison
Indigenous Talent
Acquisition Advisor, B.C.
Emergency Health
Services

Highlights include:

- ✓ Interactive panel
- ✓ Diverse career perspectives
- ✓ Skills, education and journey
- ✓ Advice from panelists

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RESEARCH & TRENDS

Navigating careers in a digital economy: What young Canadians need to succeed

“Keeping up with how quickly technology changes is difficult, especially for those with less digital literacy.”

In an era of rapid technological advancements, young Canadians face unique challenges and opportunities in navigating their career paths. In a recent study published in the Canadian Journal of Career Development, we highlighted how young adults between 25 and 35 are navigating career decisions in an increasingly digitized labour market. Through the lens of their experiences, participants reported helping and hindering factors in career development, the challenges of equitable access, and the growing divergence between education and labour market demands.

What Students Are Saying About A.I. and the Future of Work

[NewYorkTimes.com](https://www.nytimes.com)



We asked teenagers, Are you worried about A.I. taking human jobs? They shared their hopes and fears about an increasingly technologically-driven future.

How Managers Can Become Career Development Champions

The Career Support Matrix: What Kind of Career Support Does Your Employee Need Right Now?



Career Trek Videos

WorkBC's Career Trek video library allows you to browse through its entire collection of videos in one place. Scroll through the categories or use the search feature to find videos to support your career journey.



Are you looking to help your teen explore potential career paths? Check out these videos and try some online quizzes designed to match careers with their skills and interests!

<https://www.workbc.ca/plan-career/career-trek-videos>

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Tips To Pass The Interview

- Bring a copy of your resume
- Dress to impress (no hats, no gum, clean clothes) & be on time!
- Firm handshake & SMILE!
- Be confident & promote yourself
- Be prepared to answer questions about yourself
- Ask questions about anything you are unsure about
- Be aware of body language & how you speak
- Thank the interviewer



LEGACY SCHOLARSHIP 2025

Fully Funded BCIT
Carpentry Apprenticeship



Official application window opens: March 1st 2025

BUILDING THE FUTURE: CARPENTRY APPRENTICESHIP

Bosa Construction is searching for 4 passionate high school graduates looking to pursue their Carpentry Apprenticeship through BCIT.

Come experience expert mentorship, industry excellence, and a shared passion for construction. This scholarship isn't just about our collective mission; it's a toolkit to carve your own path in the construction industry, leaving a lasting impact.

SCHOLARSHIP HIGHLIGHTS:

- ▶ **Assured Employment at Bosa Construction**
Our apprentices become valuable team members, a commitment that extends beyond the program.
- ▶ **Continuous Full-Spectrum Support**
From day one, our dedicated team is here to assist you throughout your educational and professional journey.
- ▶ **Expert Industry Mentors**
Learn from the best in the business as they guide your development.
- ▶ **Smooth Program Progression**
Partnered with BCIT, we ensure timely advancement through apprenticeship levels.

Visit www.bosaconstruction.com/careers

*Become a Red Seal
Certified Carpenter!*

IMPORTANT SCHOOL CONTACTS

TO HELP GUIDE STUDENTS!

CAREER & POST SECONDARY ADVISORS

Are available to help students with:

- *Exploring Post-Secondary Options & Pre-Requisites*
- *Post Secondary Application Assistance*
- *Scholarships & Bursaries: Information & Application*
- *Financial Aid Information*

Book an appointment! They are there to help!

CAREER PROGRAM FACILITATORS

Are available to help students with:

- *High school apprenticeship programs*
- *High school work experience*
- *High school dual credit programs*

Book an appointment for more info!