

International Student Assistant (ISA) Dal AC International Faculty of Agriculture, Truro, NS

Dalhousie University is Atlantic Canada's leading research-intensive university and a driver of the region's intellectual, social and economic development. Located in the heart of Halifax, Nova Scotia, with an Agricultural Campus in Truro/Bible Hill, Dalhousie is a truly national and international university, with more than half of our 19,000 students coming from outside of the province. Our 6,000 faculty and staff foster a vibrant, purposedriven community, that celebrated 200 years of academic excellence in 2018.

The Faculty of Agriculture offers technical, undergraduate and graduate programs in agriculture, environment and related life and social science disciplines. The Faculty of Agriculture educates future leaders and generates knowledge and innovative solutions for healthy, sustainable societies.

International at the Faculty of Agriculture in Truro, Dalhousie University (Dal AC) is responsible for carrying out internationalization initiatives. This includes development and management of international projects and global education and student mobility opportunities in cooperation with faculty and staff. The team provides support for international curriculum and research, and coordination of information on internationalization activities to the campus and community. As part of this learning opportunity, the incumbent will assist International office staff with the following duties:

Duties:

- Develop, refine and maintain promotional communications materials: website content for International including global education activities, projects, newsletters, social media releases, student targeted brochures, development project profile sheets etc.
- Support global education initiatives including student mobility and global community activities
- Present mobility and International opportunities to Dal AC students in their classrooms, study abroad fairs, open house, community day and other related events
- Provide administrative and logistical support to international projects including supporting international visitors attending training at the Faculty of Agriculture
- Provide support to global reach 2025 activities
- Assist with development, coordination, and delivery of International Education Week (IEW) and International Development Week (IDW)
- Coordinate and assist with public engagement activities and other events that increase the profile of the Faculty of Agriculture, International on campus, in the community and within the greater Dalhousie University
- Coordination of other activities as assigned

Qualifications:

- Must be a current university student in any discipline of undergraduate programs within the Faculty of Agriculture
- Be legally entitled to work in Canada in accordance with Nova Scotia legislation and regulations
- Strong English verbal and written communication skills are required, competency in public speaking/presentation an asset
- Must demonstrate cross-cultural competency, international experience is an asset
- Must be proficient with the use of Social Media platforms including Facebook, Instagram, Twitter (X), TikTok
- Must have strong computer skills, including competency in Microsoft Office Suite (especially EXCEL). Graphic design, web design and multi-media editing skills are considered an asset
- Must be flexible and have strong organizational skills
- Driving license and own vehicle is considered an asset
- Must be knowledgeable of the Dalhousie University Faculty of Agriculture and the agricultural

industry in Atlantic Canada

• First-Aid/CPR, WHMIS, Occupational Health & Safety training and international experience are assets

This position is casual and part time - 10 hours per week over the school year, including some weekends and evenings. Work schedule is flexible, and a desk will be provided at the International office on the Dal AC campus, DeWolfe House. Some work may be done remotely. The incumbent will be paid as per the Dalhousie student wage rates; and this position falls within student employment regulations.

<u>Tentative start date 13 August 2024. Applications will be accepted until 06 August 2024. Forward resume and cover letter to Intdalac@dal.ca</u>

We thank everyone for their interest; and a short list of applicants will be contacted for interview.