

## **Caribbean Solidarity Network**

### **Community Research and Outreach Assistant**



#### **Overview:**

The Caribbean Solidarity Network (CSN) is a Toronto based community organization that focuses on community based political education. We are currently looking for a community research and outreach assistant to help deliver our programming and broaden our reach.

#### **The placement:**

The Caribbean Solidarity Network is an organization committed to the principles of Caribbean Liberation and Unity across the region as well as throughout the Diaspora. The Caribbean Solidarity Network's platform is one rooted in an anti-imperialist internationalism, anti-capitalist and anti-patriarchal struggle.

The four primary objectives of the CSN are 1) to build community power and through the development of public education and outreach in Toronto, 2) work with and support progressive forces and organizations in the Caribbean, 3) to build an internal community of comradeship and mutual support, and 4) challenge the Canadian state and corporate policies which seek to keep the Caribbean region and its peoples in a dependent position.

#### **The position:**

As a community research and outreach assistant, you will be responsible for assisting CSN in the organization of its monthly Caribbean Community Study Circle sessions, including logistical help and promotion/outreach (online and in person). Community based research will consist of gathering, analyzing and disseminating information about the history of the Caribbean Community in Toronto, as well as communicating the importance of notable moments in Caribbean history that demonstrate the importance of unity and organization.

#### **The opportunity:**

This placement offers candidates the opportunity to apply theoretical knowledge to real-world experience in community-based research, community outreach and event logistics. Candidates will also gain valuable insights into local needs and challenges, fostering a deeper understanding of community dynamics within the Caribbean Diaspora.

#### **The ideal candidate:**

The ideal candidate will possess:

- Excellent research, analytical, written and verbal communication skills, with the ability to present findings clearly and effectively.
- Ability to work independently and as part of a collaborative team.

- Familiarity with social media and graphic design platforms (i.e. Instagram & Canva)
- Ability to communicate and share research findings through social media content, pamphlets, etc.
- Previous experience in community-based research and familiarity with the Caribbean/Diaspora will be considered an asset.

**How to apply:**

For information about the application process, go to: <https://www.newcollege.utoronto.ca/cel-courses/cel-how-to-apply/>

***Application deadline: Thursday, July 10, 2025***

For more information about the course, please visit: <https://www.newcollege.utoronto.ca/cel-courses/>

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