

Young Canada Works funding opportunities for heritage organizations

The Canadian Museums Association (CMA) in partnership with the federal government's Department of Canadian Heritage announced the launch of their Young Canada Works (YCW) programs for 2009-10.

Two options are available for hiring summer students and for creating graduate internships - Young Canada Works in Heritage Organizations, or Young Canada Works at Building Careers in Heritage. Applications for both programs will be accepted until February 1st, 2009.

NOTE: Additional funding has been made available specifically for small and medium-sized museums.

For further information, visit the updated Young Canada Works program websites for application procedures, updated employer and student eligibility criteria, at YCW in Heritage Organizations www.museums.ca/en/funds/ycw_in_heritage_organizations/ and YCW at Building Careers in Heritage www.museums.ca/en/funds/ycw_at_building_careers_in_heritage/.

Note: Applications must be submitted online at www.youngcanadaworks.gc.ca.

To contact the Canadian Museums Association, send email to ycw@museums.ca