



**VANCOUVER
URBAN FARMING
SOCIETY**

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About the Vancouver Urban Farming Society

The Vancouver Urban Farming Society (VUFS) works to strengthen urban farming through education, networking, advocacy and business support towards our mission of growing urban farming in Vancouver and beyond. We do so through programming and events, maintaining a strong network, working with policymakers, as well as public education and engagement. We are a six-year-old non-profit society that was largely founded and continues to be governed by urban farmers. Vancouver's local food movement is dynamic and exciting as various urban farming organizations develop different approaches to growing food in the city. Learn more about the different urban farm organizations and VUFS at www.urbanfarmers.ca.

About the Position

The VUFS Board of Directors is currently recruiting new Members-at-Large, with a particular focus on candidates with expertise in the areas of **Fund Development, Law, and Policy**. The ideal candidates would have a background in one of the fields listed above, strong professional connections, an interest in urban and/or small-scale sustainable agriculture, and the desire to strategically apply their expertise to supporting our organization.

Time Commitment

The Member-at-Large position is a 2-year term with an approximate time commitment of 5 hours per month. Please note that while VUFS currently convenes monthly for board meetings, we are moving toward a committee structure where we will be meeting less frequently as a board, and more in small groups.

How to Apply

Send an e-mail indicating your interest with a resume and a brief summary of your experience to hello@urbanfarmers.ca. Applications will be accepted on a rolling basis until the positions are filled.