



The Sexual Assault Support Centre (SASC)

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The SASC Office Volunteer Application

- Applicants must be a registered as a UBC student for the 2016/2017 academic year.
- Please submit this completed application and your current **resume** by 5:00pm on Friday, September 9th, 2016 via email to sascvolunteer@ams.ubc.ca
- If you are under the age of 19, please ensure you submit the Liability Agreement and Release Form with your application and resume.
- All applicants will be notified of their application status. Successful applicants will be contacted by September 11th 2016 to set up a date for an in-person interview.

Office Volunteer Requirements

- Attendance at all of our volunteer meetings and training opportunities
- Contributing 2 hours of office work per month
- Writing 1 blog post per semester, which includes original writing and aligns with the SASC's values and beliefs
- Expectation to participate in one SASC Outreach Worker project

Given Name:

Chosen Name (if different than given name):

Address:

Mailing address (if different from above):

Student number:

Telephone number:

E-mail address:

Preferred method of contact: Telephone E-mail

Emergency contact name, relationship, and contact information:

Dietary Requirements/Allergies:



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- If you are under the age of 19, please have your parent/guardian sign the Liability Agreement and Release Form. Submit the form with your entire application.
 - Are you willing to obtain a criminal record check? Yes No

SASC's Values:

- As a feminist organization, SASC values freedom of choice and respect for all individuals.
- Everyone has the right to be treated with respect and dignity.
- Everyone has the right to freedom of choice, including choice over their reproductive health, as well as choice in a broader sense, including what type(s) of support they receive, which services they access, etc.
- Everyone has the right to ask for and receive quality services when seeking support.
- Everyone has the right to have their confidentiality respected, as a necessary condition to developing trusting relationships.
- Everyone has the right to direct their own recovery process and have the uniqueness of that process respected.
- Everyone can heal.
- Working together with others in our community is essential to ending violence and creating a healthy community: "No one is free while others are oppressed."
- A collaborative, inclusive working style is an important part of creating positive change.
- We strive to identify and remove physical, social, and attitudinal barriers that may prevent survivors from accessing support services within and outside of our Centre.
- Ally work plays an essential role in ending oppression and violence.
- Everyone has valuable contributions to make in the struggle to end violence.

1. Based on the value statements listed above, how do your values align with those of The SASC?

2. How did you choose The SASC and why are you interested in volunteering with us?



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3. The SASC is committed to recognizing and standing against oppression in all forms. How do you apply anti-oppressive principles in your life?

4. What qualities and/or characteristics do you consider essential in a sexual assault support center, its staff and volunteers?

5. Do you have any previous or current experience volunteering? If so, where and what did you do there? Examples may include feminist, political, and/or activist organizations.

6. Why do you feel you would be able to provide office services for The SASC? What does it mean to you to be an Office Volunteer for The SASC?



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7. What are some of your expectations of The SASC volunteer training?

8. Please highlight any skills or previous training you have that support your desire to become an Office Volunteer for The SASC.

9. Are you willing and able to commit to The SASC's volunteer training? Orientation takes place September 16th 5pm-9pm and training takes place September 17th 9-6pm 2016. By committing to our training you will: attend every workshop; show up and be prepared to start at 9.00am and finish at 6pm on September 17th and engage with the facilitator, your peers, and the material provided.



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10. Are you willing and able to commit to being a SASC Office Volunteer? As an Office Volunteer with the SASC you are committing to: volunteering for no less than **2 hours per month** with additional requirements between September-April 2016-2017; maintaining regular communication with SASC staff; and attending regular volunteer meetings as long as you are an active volunteer.

11. Are you able to attend mandatory monthly meetings on the first Wednesday of every month from 5pm-7pm?

12. If you answered yes to #10, please provide your availability from September-April:

Monday:

Tuesday:

Wednesday:

Thursday:

Friday:

13. Have you applied to be a volunteer with The SASC before?

14. Have you accessed The SASC support services in the past year? Individuals must wait **one year** after accessing The SASC support services before volunteering.



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15. Are there any additional comments you would like to make?

Applicant signature: _____

Date: _____

Thank you for your interest in volunteering for The SASC