



TALL SHIPSCAN

Tall Ships Canada Association des Grands Voiliers du Canada

~ *VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITY* ~ *CANADIAN REP TO THE SAIL TRAINING INTERNATIONAL YOUTH COUNCIL*

Who are we?

Tall ShipsCAN (TSC) a national not-for-profit association, is comprised of a network of Canadian tall ship sail training operators, maritime heritage organizations and port partners established to facilitate collaboration in the tall ship sailing industry. We are committed to education and training, youth development and career opportunities, supporting regulatory frameworks and establishing best practices in the sailing and marine industry.

What's the gig?

We are seeking one youth (aged 18-27) to act as our next representative to the Sail Training International Youth Council. In this role, you will work with other international sail training representatives to create marketing material for schools and colleges and work on tall ship events with the goal to raise awareness of sail training in Canada and abroad. Typically, the appointment to the Sail Training International Youth Council is a 3-year term.

Responsibilities:

- Attend the Sail Training International Conference on Sat Mar 12, 2022. This year's conference will be held virtually; annual conferences are typically held in person, outside of Canada.
- Participate in collaborative group and solo projects throughout the year to follow through on plans made during the conference.
- Assist in the promotion of sail training at local Canadian events where available, and enthusiastically promote Canadian sail training on a national and international platform
- Respond to STI committee members in a timely manner, maintaining excellent communication with the STI executive committee
- Report on all activities monthly to the board of directors of Tall ShipsCAN, assuming a seat on the board of directors
- Liaise with the Canadian Tall Ship Youth Crew (youth council) to share best practices

Benefits?

- Delegate fee, hotel and travel provided for annual Sail Training International conferences
- Opportunities to develop experience/skills in event and project management, budgeting, marketing, social media and working collaboratively with international teams
- Network and grow sail training contacts across the globe
- When conferences are in person, enjoy several social events for the youth council

How do you express interest in this opportunity?

Send your resume & an email to Christy Griffin via executivedirector@tallshipscan.org by **Thursday March 3, 2022**. In your email, indicate which Canadian Sail Training Organization (STO) you are affiliated with, why this opportunity appeals to you and why you can best represent the Canadian youth sailor at STI. We will be meeting with candidates on Saturday March 5th or Sunday March 6th via Zoom.

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