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Internship Description

Internship Opportunity: Global Visioneering Intern

Overview: The XPRIZE Canada Hub, in partnership with the XPRIZE Foundation is seeking a highly motivated graduate intern to work alongside the Senior Manager of Global Visioneering and the XPRIZE Prize Design team. This unique opportunity will allow the fellow to contribute to the development of prize concepts and industry insights that will shape future XPRIZE competitions.

Skills and Experience:

- Currently enrolled in graduate studies at UCalgary
- Excellent written and verbal communication skills
- Passion for solving global issues
- Strong organizational and time management skills
- Proficiency in Microsoft Office Suite (Word, Excel, PowerPoint)
- Ability to work collaboratively across teams
- Interest in innovation, global challenges, and systems thinking

Project Overview: The intern will assist in coordinating expert discussions and translating high-level vision into actionable frameworks across our core 2026 Grand Challenge areas: Food, Water, and Waste; Health; and Energy, Climate, and Nature.

Internship Activities/Tasks:

- Assist with programmatic research efforts by gathering data, analyzing trends, generating reports, and presenting your findings to support decision-making processes within the organization
- Understand and work with various internal systems, updating and reviewing as needed
- Work cross functionally to schedule and participate in brainstorming sessions and team meetings
- Review industry publications, attend virtual meetings, and participate in relevant workshops to stay informed about the latest industry trends

Learning Outcomes:

- Hands-on experience in strategic planning for innovation projects and develop ability to translate complex research and data into clear strategic recommendations, roadmaps, and presentation materials for leadership audiences
- Develop deep understanding of how XPRIZE and the XPRIZE Canada Hub, as part of the XPRIZE Global Hubs network, identifies, evaluates, and pursues large-scale innovation opportunities across multiple domains (energy, climate, health, etc.)
- Professional network development with experts. Build relationships with and learn from industry experts, thought leaders, and XPRIZE stakeholders working on global innovation challenges
- Build competency in gathering, synthesizing, and analyzing complex global trend data to inform strategic decision-making in innovation initiatives

This internship is designed for individuals who are eager to contribute to strategic research, leadership briefings, and the development of roadmaps, insights, and internal materials that support innovation and decision-making. Participants will engage in cross-functional collaboration through meetings, brainstorming sessions, and regular check-ins while producing summaries, analyses, and actionable insights.

If you are ready to take on this challenge, we look forward to receiving your application at xprizehub@ucalgary.ca.