
Role Description
Intermediate Intern Architect

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Everything architecture

Ryder Architecture Vancouver is part of a team of Ryder offices around the world. Our goal is simple – to improve the world around us, and in doing so, improve people’s lives. We call this approach Everything architecture, which is based on the principles of simplicity, usefulness, and elegance in design. We are passionate about our people, service, and architecture. Our pioneering and collaborative approach allows us to deliver the best return for our clients and the environment.

Ryder is dedicated to building an inclusive, diverse, and skilled industry that prioritizes social and environmental responsibility. We strive to create a workplace that fosters meaningful experiences. We are looking for an intermediate Intern Architect, AIBC to join our growing team in January of 2025 to work on a variety of project types and scales.

1.0 Job Description

Our Intern Architects gain experience in all stages of projects from start to finish. They are also involved in various aspects of the business, including proposals, supporting our work integrated learning (ACE) program, and working closely with clients and consultant teams. Our project methodology is highly collaborative and digital. In order to provide a high-quality mentoring and development experience, this position is an in-office role.

This role offers an opportunity to be part of a wide range of project scales and typologies, from very large-scale institutional to small-scale crafted tenant improvements. As part of our team, you will contribute your voice and skills to projects while receiving guidance from more experienced colleagues.

This role includes preparing schematic, design development, and construction drawings, digital and physical models, presentations, and proposals. You will assist with interpreting the building code, attending site meetings, energy modelling, dynamo scripting, engineering coordination, engagement, and other aspects of the design and construction process.

The ideal candidate is an experienced Intern Architect, about to sit, or recently passed the EXACs, who feels comfortable running a small project with oversight, or contributing to a larger project as part of a team. They are comfortable with design and construction administration and enthusiastic about going to site. They will help us maintain our positive relationships with contractors, consultants, and clients built on trust and mutual respect.

We are passionate about personal and professional development. We offer support for the registration process and will prioritize the completion of your required CERB hours. We offer a competitive starting salary and benefits package, the potential for travel and secondment to other Ryder offices around the world, and a top-notch coffee machine with endless amounts of coffee!

Disclaimer: This description is not a comprehensive listing of all activities, duties, or responsibilities that the employee may be required to perform. Additional duties, responsibilities, and activities may be assigned or modified as needed. We promise you will not be stuck in a model shop in a basement- we don’t have a basement, and we stand by our commitment to diverse learning experiences.

2.0 Qualifications

- Proficiency in Revit, and Sketchup
- Interest in Passive House and high-performance design

- Intermediate skills in Adobe Creative Suite
- Proficiency with Excel, Word, PowerPoint and Outlook
- Rhino, Grasshopper, Dynamo, PHPP are a plus
- Excellent analytical/creative problem-solving skills with high attention to detail
- Team player who can work independently when required
- Highly motivated individual with excellent interpersonal skills, and strong verbal and written communication skills
- Ability to prioritize and manage multiple tasks
- Able to quickly learn new skills and methodologies
- High attention to detail (not a typo, this is important enough to say it twice)
- Must be registered with the AIBC or eligible to register with the AIBC

3.0 Wage

\$70,000 to \$80,000

4.0 Application

We have a blind application screening process to try to reduce unconscious bias. When you send us your application, our admin team will remove your name, and other identifying material from all your application before it is reviewed by our hiring team. Ryder is an equal-opportunity employer. If you think you could be great for the job, and need accommodations let us know.

Please apply through the Join Us module found on our website:

<http://www.ryderarchitecture.com/join-us-application/>

Thank you in advance for your application, however, please note that only those chosen for interviews will be contacted.