

## Sexual Health Resource Centre (ASU) Volunteer Application Form



The Sexual Health Resource Centre (SHRC) is a student-funded organization and a service of the Acadia Students' Union that works to facilitate students' advancement, growth, and development of sexual health knowledge and practices. We provide sexual health education, referrals, resources, support and access to products for the Acadia community. Our centre, located in the Students' Union Building, is a safe space and during open hours functions as a drop in centre where students can access resources, products, and speak with our manager or volunteers in person. In the centre, we offer free safer sex products, pregnancy tests, and menstrual products to anyone who needs them and have free borrowing Resource Library. We provide at-cost gender affirming gear and have a variety of affordable sex toys and accessories for purchase. The SHRC also facilitates educational programs, workshops, and information sessions to groups across the Acadia Community.

The SHRC is an inclusive, confidential, non-heterosexist, non-judgmental, sex-positive, and pro-choice organization. We believe that every individual has the right to access accurate, up-to-date, unbiased, evidence-informed information and services when it comes to sexual and reproductive health. We require that all our volunteers abide by our values, conduct themselves in a professional manner, and respect confidentiality. There are a variety of different roles and responsibilities student volunteers can assist with, which are listed in the form below. We welcome applications from individuals who will be **Acadia students** in the Fall 2022 semester. **Please contact our SHRC manager at [SHRC.ASU@acadiau.ca](mailto:SHRC.ASU@acadiau.ca) with any questions.**

### **HOW TO APPLY**

1. Fill out the Mandatory Information Form (*Below, page 2*)
2. Respond to **3 of the 4** questions below (*space given at end of application, pages 3-4*).. Responses should be up to 750 words or 1.5 pages single-spaced total.

- 1) Why are you interested in volunteering with the SHRC?**
- 2) Discuss a service that the SHRC provides to the Acadia student community and why it is important.**

Please answer **one of the two** questions below:

- 3) Choose one of the SHRC's values (*inclusive, confidential, non-heterosexist, non-judgmental, sex-positive, and pro-choice*) and discuss what it means to you and the importance of said value.**

**OR**

- 4) The SHRC aims to serve student needs and deliver student-focused programming. What is an idea of an event or program you would like to see the SHRC offer in the 2022-2023 year, and why?**

3. Application format: Please email your completed information form and your responses to the questions above to SHRC.ASU@acadiau.ca.

4. Deadline: The deadline to apply for the **Fall 2022 Semester is May 20<sup>th</sup>, 2022.**

### **TRAINING PROCESS**

***Mandatory volunteer orientation/training will take place in early September 2022.***  
Exact dates to be announced. Training will occur on one weekend day (approximately 6 hours).

### **INFORMATION FORM —\*Please complete all fields\***

**Name:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Personal Pronouns:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Email:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Phone:** \_\_\_\_\_

**How did you learn about the SHRC?** \_\_\_\_\_

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**Can you attend training in early September 2022?** \_\_\_\_\_

**Do you have any accessibility concerns for which we can accommodate?**

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***There are a variety of different roles and responsibilities student volunteers can take on. Below, indicate which role(s) you would be interested in as a volunteer. Please check all that apply.***

- Facilitate workshops with campus/community groups
- Planning events and programs (Sex Week, Trivia Nights, etc.)
- Social media coordination (Educational content, promotion)
- Marketing/outreach (posters, emails, flyers)
- Information sessions/booths at club fairs and campus events
- Resource creation/design (Pamphlets, posters, infographics, buttons)
- Office hours/Drop-in hours (may include some evenings)
- Library organization and book catalogue maintenance
- Programming for Welcome Week 2022
- Other: \_\_\_\_\_

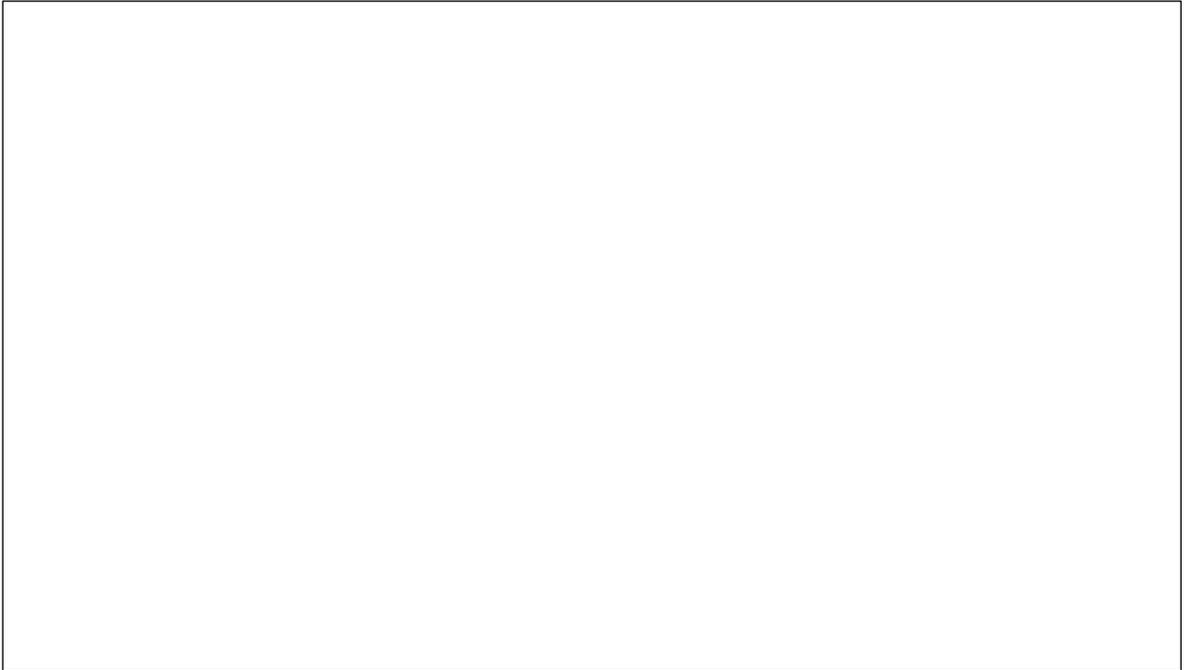
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