



CHRR Student Research Assistant ([Work Study Program](#))

Temporary Summer Position (May 4 – August 28, 2026)

Hours: 5-8 hours per week | **Location:** Fort Garry Campus / Remote

The [Centre for Human Rights Research](#) (CHRR) at the University of Manitoba is looking to hire a Student Research Assistant as part of the Work Study program. The CHRR was established in 2012 to bring together people and organizations – both within and outside the University of Manitoba – to enhance interdisciplinary and collaborative research capacity, create richer training opportunities for students, and facilitate the fusion of research-driven knowledge, public policy and intellectual debate on issues related to human rights and social justice. This includes research on the Centre's theme reproductive and bodily justice.

The Work Study Student Researcher will assist the CHRR in research related to **human rights, harm reduction, menstrual justice, and reproductive justice**. This may include the development of literature reviews, policy briefs, or plain language summaries. The Student Researcher will also promote the Centre's initiatives and research on social media; and assist in the organization of the Centre's events and outreach activities.

We are looking for 3rd or 4th year undergraduate student or graduate student with an interest in human rights and social justice. Salary range is \$19-\$22.00/hour depending on qualifications.

Competencies

SOCIAL RESPONSIBILITY

- Demonstrate engagement and actions towards a more compassionate and sustainable world.
- Encourage and engage in reflection and inclusion of diverse perspectives.
- Recognize the positionality of other people and foster ethical and collective action for an overall positive impact.
- Support and respect Indigenous Peoples in reclaiming and revitalizing diverse Indigenous languages, cultures, and worldviews

RESEARCH

- Gather relevant secondary data and organize information in a logical manner

COMMUNICATION

- Actively listen to others with the conscious effort to verbally communicate in a respectful and appropriate manner.
- Present basic information to one or more people using appropriate resources and vocabulary
- Explore and interact with knowledge, information, and imagination to generate and express ideas

COLLABORATION

- Is open and supportive of the thoughts, opinions, and contributions of others.
- Actively contribute to team projects/tasks

- Fulfill required roles, participates in discussion to improve effectiveness.

Student Eligibility

Student applicants for the Summer Work-Study term must meet the following requirements:

- Be a full-time student during the 2025-2026 school year (9 credit hours each for Fall/Winter terms unless there is an accommodation)
- Must plan to return to full-time study in Fall 2026 - Winter 2027
- Student may not hold more than 1 active Work-study position during the term

Application Procedures

Please submit your resume and a cover letter telling us a little about yourself and your interest in the position to chrr@umanitoba.ca. Please add "Work Study Application" in the subject line. The deadline for applications is **April 17, 2026 at 4:00pm**.