



## Employers in the BSS Co-op Experience

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The Co-op employer plays a critical role in the success of the program and the development of our students. Our hope is that direct supervisors will facilitate a mentorship-style working relationship with their Co-op student to make their learning experience as valuable as possible. Supervisors can enrich the Co-op placement experience by providing training, assigning work, monitoring performance, and providing encouragement and feedback.

### Expectations of Participating Organizations

Participating organizations are expected to provide input into the development of the Personalized Placement Learning Plan (PPLP), especially outlining the expectations and assigned responsibilities of the student, provide a safe working environment, including a site orientation, provide adequate training to the student to ensure she feels confident completing the tasks assigned, and provide ongoing mentorship and feedback to foster professional development.

If you are interested in partnering with BSS and participating in the BSS Co-op Program as an organization please contact:

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BSS sincerely appreciates the participation of employers in our Co-op program, and we are proud of the value that our students bring to their placement workplaces.