

Melissa Ly

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Skills and Abilities

- Great communication and organizational skills
- Strong leadership skills
- Experienced in research analysis and report writing
- Proficient with Microsoft Office Suite

Education

Honours Bachelor of Science (Biomedical Science) | Minor in Psychology
York University 2017-PRESENT
Expected in 2022

Ontario Secondary School Diploma 2012-2017
Martingrove Collegiate Institute

Work Experience

Active Bystander Facilitator July 2021-PRESENT
The Centre for Sexual Violence Response, Support & Education

- Facilitated a safe space for sexual violence discussion
- Presented information on sexual violence, disclosures, and consent
- Recorded participant information for attendance purposes

Part-Time Manufacturer Assistant May 2021-PRESENT
Prime Health Products Etobicoke, ON

- Mixed herbal powders to form tinctures
- Bottled and labelled completed products
- Handled cash register and provided exquisite customer service

Seasonal General Helper June 2017-August 2020
Lexor Canada Mississauga, ON

- Trimmed, bagged and labelled patio cushions for customers
- Ensured orders are completed before shipments

Nurse (Cooperative Placement) October 2016-May 2017
McCall Centre for Continuing Care Etobicoke, ON

- Spoon fed seniors who are incapable of feeding themselves
- Help straighten and/or change dirty bed sheets
- Re-labelled and transferred contents from old binders and file folders
- Assisted with bed baths

Volunteer Experiences

The Kovinich Lab <i>York University</i>	November 2021-PRESENT
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Handled experiments with yeast, agrobacterium, <i>E. coli</i>, and soybean• Performed DNA fragment insertion into cloning vectors using Gateway technology• Designed primers for BIOL 2070 laboratory use• Conducted gel electrophoresis, PCR, and measured the OD of samples• Performed yeast two-hybrid and hairy roots transformation• Performed in a laboratory setting while adhering to strict biosafety and WHMIS rules	
Student Intramural Recreation Council <i>York University</i>	August 2021-PRESENT
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Worked alongside the social committee in creating fundraisers for charities	
Undergraduate Psychology Student Association <i>York University</i>	September 2021-PRESENT
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Facilitated various virtual monthly events• Edited bi-weekly newsletters	
RedPack <i>York Federation of Students</i>	August 2019, December 2021-PRESENT
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Assembled YorkFest goodie bags with promotional products• Participated in various virtual events	
Certificates & Licenses	
Workplace Hazardous Materials Information System <i>York University</i>	October 2021
First Aid & CPR/AED Level C <i>Canadian Red Cross</i>	October 2021-October 2024
Responding to Disclosures of Sexual Violence on Campus <i>York University</i>	July 2021
Sexual Violence Response & Awareness <i>York University</i>	March 2021
Respect, Equity, Diversity, Inclusion (REDI) <i>York University</i>	March 2021
Harm Reduction & Naloxone Training <i>York Federation of Students</i>	September 2019
Infection Prevention & Control <i>University Health Network</i>	January 2017