

Join Our Team!

About AYEDI

AYEDI is a grassroots organization led by Afghan-Canadian youth, for Afghan-Canadian youth. The first of its kind in Canada, AYEDI is a non-partisan organization that works to build civic engagement and social development amongst Afghan-Canadian youth. We were founded on a belief that Afghan youth can play an active role in creating short- and long- term change for our diaspora. Our mission is to build community capacity, provide enriched programming activities and opportunities, and support inclusive engagement and advocacy.

AYEDI's programs and initiatives are rapidly growing. We are seeking motivated and passionate individuals to join our Executive Board to further amplify our impact.

This is a great opportunity for you to contribute towards building a powerful movement of young Afghan-Canadians creating sustainable change in our diaspora.

All positions are remote and volunteer.

Deadline to apply

Friday, February 12, 2021 11:59pm

Interviews will be taking place on:

- Thursday, February 18
- Friday, February 19
- Saturday, February 20

How to Apply

Please submit your application for the position that you are interested in by completing [this form](#). You will be asked to submit a resume and answer specific questions depending on the position.

Contact

Please email team@ayedi.ca with any questions.

Graphic Designer (1 position)

The Graphic Designer will be responsible for curating visual content for distribution through various communication channels, including our website, social media, and occasionally print. The required time commitment is approximately 3 hours a week, with an increase in hours during peak program and project times.

What can I expect to do in this role?

Independently and as part of a team, you will:

- Execute print and digital design products in support of AYEDI's mission and vision, working to uplift our brand and amplify our impact
- Design and produce graphics for social and digital media, brochures, presentations, annual reports, program journals, templates, event materials, and more
- Collaborate with AYEDI Executive Board members to understand the goals and target audiences for specific initiatives and projects, and develop creative concepts and directions that advance those goals; take initiative to develop proposals for different types of material, design directions, and creative concepts
- Maintain the highest standards of design principles across all work
- Liaise with external print vendors to ensure that all materials are of very high quality, reflect and advance the organization's goals, is delivered on time, and adheres to AYEDI's principles
- Articulate ideas and present work professionally internally and externally
- Manage multiple assignments at the same time
- Contribute to a full-team effort in developing and executing a branding strategy in line with AYEDI's identity and priorities

How do I qualify?

- 1+ year of work/volunteer experience in graphic design
- Advanced knowledge of design software (examples: Adobe Creative Suite with specific focus on Illustrator, Indesign, Photoshop, and Acrobat)
- Working knowledge of Microsoft Office
- Experience with social media is considered an asset
- Strong attention to detail and typography
- Strong creative instinct and storytelling ability
- Positive, can-do attitude, willingness to jump in
- Must be a strong communicator, conscientious, and highly motivated. Should be a problem-solver inclined toward innovation and invention
- Professional approach to deadlines and occasional fast turnaround times
- Passionate about supporting and making change for the Afghan-Canadian community