

*pos* **Abilities**  
**Employment Service**  
**IMPACT**  
**Youth Employment**  
**Research Project**



Are You a Youth with a Diverse Ability Who Wants to Work?

- ✓ Come learn about this exciting new initiative for youth ages 14 – 19 who are currently enrolled in high school, and searching for career opportunities
- ✓ Go on a journey of self-discovery, and check out part-time employment opportunities
- ✓ Build your confidence and leadership skills at a series of workshops
- ✓ Teach us about the kinds of support you need to be successful as you explore the world of work
- ✓ Meet new people and develop a circle of connections.

The **IMPACT Youth Employment Research Project** will partner researchers from the Canadian Institute for Inclusion and Citizenship of the University of British Columbia with *posAbilities* Association of British Columbia and several other community living organizations that support youth and adults with intellectual disabilities.

*"We're excited to participate in this collaborative research project. As a specialized employment service, the IMPACT project will allow us to provide youth with the knowledge, tools and experiences to be better prepared for their future careers."*

- Kalena Kavanaugh  
Manager of *posAbilities* Employment Service

The IMPACT Project will run three one year cohorts.

Contact us to learn more about the project and how you can get involved:

**Call: 778-238-6703**

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## About *posAbilities*

*posAbilities* Employment Service assists job seekers with diverse abilities to prepare for, secure and maintain competitive employment. In addition, the team offers workplace Diverse Ability training, Head Start skill development camps for youth, and the Triple Tuesday Job Club for those who are interested in further career development.

Visit [www.posAbilities.ca](http://www.posAbilities.ca) to learn more about these services and how we aspire to support good and full lives, for everyone.