



Training Opportunity: Urban Harvest Community Leader

Application deadline: July 12th

About Urban Harvest

The Urban Harvest Program is a collaborative project with the City of Toronto and Black Creek Community Farm, supported by FoodShare, to help reduce food waste through food redistribution and preservation workshops.

Train the Trainer Opportunity

Do you love cooking and food preservation? Do you have passion to learn and teach others about food waste reduction? The Urban Harvest Black Creek, an urban food initiative with the City of Toronto to reduce waste, is looking for 12 Community Leaders to be trained in facilitating canning & preservation workshops.

Requirements

- Be at least 18 years old and a resident of Jane-Finch community and surrounding area
- Commit to attend 3 training workshops
- Willing to co-lead at least 2 canning and preservation workshops for the community

Those who successfully completed the training will facilitate engaging, hands-on, and culturally relevant community cooking and preservation workshops across 4 community kitchen sites.

Incentives:

- Food Handler Certificate training will be provided
- Receive up to \$500 worth honorarium
- Childminding provided
- Refreshments and TTC tokens will be provided
- Great opportunity to learn job-relevant skills

Assets:

- Commitment to principles of food justice and waste reduction
- Knowledge of, and experience working with people of Toronto's diverse communities
- Effective communication
- Second language relevant to the community (Vietnamese, Italian, Spanish, etc) not required but valuable asset



Location:

Main location is Black Creek Community Farm, 4929 Jane Street (Southeast corner of Jane St and Steeles Ave.), but trainings may take place in different sites in the neighborhood.

Hours: Total 15 hours of training + 2 co-led workshops (workshops run for 2-3 hours plus additional planning and prep time)

Training starts late July 2019. Specific time TBD.

TO APPLY:

To apply, please fill out this [Urban Harvest Black Creek Community Leader Application Form](#).

Contact info: For more information, email: urbanharvest@blackcreekfarm.ca or call 416-393-6381 x 100.