

## PBSC Manitoba 2021-2022 Student Application Form

Please complete each area of this form. **The deadline for submission is Thursday, September 16<sup>th</sup> 2021 by 11:59 pm. Completed applications must be submitted to [probono@umanitoba.ca](mailto:probono@umanitoba.ca)** along with a copy of your CV and a brief letter of interest detailing any particular project(s) you are interested in.

Pursuant to the *Rules of the Law Society of Manitoba*, PBSC volunteers will be required to register with the Law Society and the cost is covered by the school. More information and registration forms will be available at the General Training session taking place on September 28, 2021. For information on the rules, please visit the Law Society website.

### CONTACT INFORMATION

*Please see privacy statement at the end of application:*

Name	
Year in Law School	
Section (if 1L student)	
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Phone	

Considering all of your other commitments (school, other volunteer work, part-time job, etc.) are you willing to devote 3-5 hours per week to a PBSC Placement (excluding December)?

Yes

No

All student volunteers must attend out mandatory PBSC General Training Session. Please indicate if you are able to attend on September 28<sup>th</sup>, 2021 12:00 pm – 1:30 pm via Zoom:

Yes

No

All first year volunteers must attend the PBSC Westlaw Legal Research Introductory Training. Please indicate if you are able to attend in October 5<sup>th</sup>, 12:00pm – 1pm via Zoom:

Yes

No

All upper years volunteers placed on research projects must attend the PBSC Westlaw Legal Research Advanced Training. Please indicate if you are able to attend on October 12<sup>th</sup>, 12:00pm – 1pm via Zoom:

Yes

No

Some PBSC projects require a point person for communications to the Organization and Lawyer supervisor, referred to as a 'Communications Lead'. If you would like to be considered to be a Communications Lead, please indicate below:

- [ ] Yes  
[ ] No

**PROJECTS**

A list of projects for the 2021-2022 Academic Year is available on our website, <https://law.robsonhall.com/programs/jd/clinical-learning/pro-bono-students-canada/> or by request. Please read through them and rank your top 5 choices in order of preference (1 being your most preferred project).

*NOTE: Clinical PBSC Placements are highly competitive. Particularly for 1L students, we highly recommend including research-based projects in your top 5.*

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We will do our best to match you with a project that suits your interests; however, we cannot guarantee that every application will result in a placement. All PBSC Project have been carefully developed to ensure they provide a valuable legal experience to students.

**GIVEN THE SIZE AND NATURE OF OUR PROGRAM WE CANNOT GUARANTEE THAT EVERY APPLICATION WILL RESULT IN A PLACEMENT.**

*PBSC respects your privacy. The information on this form is collected and used for the purpose of administering PBSC, which may include the operation and development of PBSC programs through the local and National offices, communication with and reporting to PBSC members, law schools and funders, evaluating our program and program publicity. PBSC will protect the information in accordance with any and all applicable privacy legislation. Any questions can be directed to the University of Manitoba Program Coordinators, Ashley Bains and Kevin Tabachnick, at [probono@umanitoba.ca](mailto:probono@umanitoba.ca).*