

Accessibility Information for Students

University of Manitoba Student Accessibility Services – SAS

The Student Accessibility Services Centre at The University of Manitoba provides support for students with disabilities. If you require assistance and support as a student, SAS has information and resources to assist you. Please see the following link to Learn how to register or access accessibility resources below.

<https://umanitoba.ca/student-supports/accessibility>

Canadian Council on Rehabilitation and Work - CCRW

The CCRW is a federally funded organization which provides individuals with disabilities the necessary tools to educate and market themselves. They help to identify and implement workplace accommodation solutions tailored for each individual.

UM Law students may access the many services provide by CCRW free of charge. You do not need to provide a doctor's note setting out your disability, physical or mental to set up an appointment. CCRW can assist you in determining what accommodations you might require for an interview and/or legal workplace, and if certain items are required for accommodation purposes, CCRW will provide them to you at no cost. Should you wish to disclose your need for accommodation in a cover letter, CCRW can assist you with the wording for same.

To make an appointment with the Manitoba branch of CCRW, please contact Chris Marchand, CCRW Employment Facilitator, at cmarchand@ccrw.org . After February 1, 2022, please contact Jennifer Swanson at jswanson@ccrw.org. It is advised that you make an appointment well in advance of any application deadlines. To learn more about CCRW, please visit their website at www.ccrw.org

Other information/Articles of Interest

The Law Society of Manitoba published an article on Ableism in the Legal Profession in their December Communique newsletter. Please see the link below (pg12)

<https://lawsociety.mb.ca/wp-content/uploads/2021/12/Communique-December-2021.pdf>