

# RICHARDSON

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CAREER DEVELOPMENT  
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# NEWSLETTER

Fall 2023

## TAKING ROOT

AT RICHARDSON

Be inspired by our premier Career Fair sponsor, Richardson International, as they share invaluable insights!

Starting your career at Richardson means setting a strong foundation for future career success. Each of Richardson International's employee development programs for new grads are full of opportunities to learn and grow in dynamic environments.



Merchand  
Richardson International

The **Merchandising and Transportation Development Program** at Richardson offers progressive responsibilities in global commodity movement and merchandising. Brennan, a program graduate now a Zone Merchant at Richardson's Winnipeg head office, highlighted his time spent "learning, problem solving, and practicing adaptability for any future role within the company." Starting in logistics, Brennan moved through several departments, gaining insights into trucking, marine, rail, and international contracts. He finished a country rotation and returned to the head office to contribute to the oilseed division on the rail desk, his past roles enhancing his business understanding.



Accounting Analyst  
Richardson International

Richardson's unique **CPA Development Program** suits candidates seeking a CPA designation while gaining valuable work experience. Adit chose this program due to Richardson's global reputation and its CPA networking opportunities. Through it, he aimed to "enhance my critical thinking, communication, presentation, analytical, and adaptability skills." He gained confidence through hands-on projects and interactions with executives, enriching his grasp of accounting principles. The program advances both professional and personal growth. "It pushed me to think critically. You can attain your designation, broaden your knowledge, and prepare for challenging financial roles within the organization."



Agromic Solutions  
Specialist  
Richardson Pioneer

The **Agribusiness Development Program** provides hands-on exposure across Richardson Pioneer's business, including agronomy, credit, crop inputs, transportation, logistics, quality assurance, merchandising, and sales. Focused on mentoring, the program aids participants in pinpointing a career path. For Rebecca, the Agribusiness Development Program offered flexibility post-graduation. "I wanted to continue learning and trying new things. I dipped into crop inputs, grain handling, and merchandising – even though I lacked grain experience after university." Rebecca recommends the program as it assists in identifying long-term career goals.

READY TO GROW YOUR CAREER? CONNECT WITH RICHARDSON AT UPCOMING CAMPUS EVENTS OR VISIT [RICHARDSON.CAREERS](https://richardson.careers) TO LEARN MORE.

## ASPER CAREER FAIR 2023

Mark your calendars for the most anticipated event of the semester!

**Date: September 27**

**Time: 9:30 AM – 3:00 PM**

**Location: Drake Centre**

Connect with diverse employers, explore careers for all stages. Open to University of Manitoba students!

## THANK YOU TO OUR SILVER CAREER FAIR SPONSORS!

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## CN Railway's Global Reach



[www.cn.ca/students](http://www.cn.ca/students)



For over 100 years, CN has connected communities, households, and people by delivering goods and services across Canada and the U.S.

Our team of over 24,000 railroaders transport more than C\$250 billion worth of goods annually for a wide range of business sectors, across a network of approximately 20,000 route-miles spanning Canada and Mid-America.

### CN Railway's Commitment to a Greener Tomorrow

At CN, an environmentally sustainable future means considering the interest of generations to come.

CN is recognized as a global sustainability leader through its inclusion in the Dow Jones Sustainability World and North American Indices. CN's climate leadership is recognized by CDP's prestigious Climate Change "A" List; and ranked as one of Canada's Best 50 Corporate Citizens by Corporate Knights.

### Empowering the Next Generation of Railroaders

With a 93% Internship Satisfaction Score, we are thrilled to offer our interns a positive experience. CN invites you aboard to work on exciting projects, develop your skills, foster positive connections, and get acquainted with our industry.

CN's internships, co-ops, and full-time management programs are open to full-time students and recent graduates from a variety of programs, such as namely I&T, Engineering, Marketing, Finance, Supply Chain Management, and Law.

## ASPER B.COMM CO-OP PROGRAM

Ready to elevate your academic journey? Exciting news: Asper B.Comm Co-op Program applications are now open!

Gain real-world experience, earn while you learn, explore diverse careers, develop essential skills, and expand your professional network.

Attend any of our in-person Co-op Information Sessions to learn more about the program and hear from co-op students about their experiences:

- Wednesday, September 13: 10:00-10:30am, Drake room 115
- Tuesday, September 19: 1:00-1:30pm, Drake room 138

Take a leap towards a brighter future and apply now through the [Asper Career Portal](#) by September 25th!



## RESUME BLITZ

Get ready to supercharge your resume!

Join us for a 'Resume Blitz' event where you can drop by and have your resume reviewed by experienced company representatives. It's your chance to fine-tune your resume and make it stand out in the job market. Don't miss this opportunity to put your best foot forward in your career journey!

- Deloitte
  - September 19: 11:00 am – 1:00 pm
- Grant Thornton
  - September 21: 11:00am – 1:00 pm

**INTERESTED IN HEARING ABOUT CPA AND ACTUARY RECRUITMENT? CONTACT US TODAY.**