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Uplift - Women in Specialized Technology Reskilling Training Program in Eastern Ontario Registration is Open – APPLY NOW!

The YWCA Canada's Uplift Program provides women and non-binary people the opportunity to enhance and acquire skills and knowledge to enter the information and cybersecurity fields through certification training with a provincially recognized educational institution and supports related to job development and pre-employment skills. Training fees for participants are covered by FedDev Ontario. The YWCA Canada Uplift staff will assist program participants to achieve better employment outcomes and navigate traditionally male-dominated workplaces.

PROGRAM START DATE: August 30, 2022

Eligibility

- Women (cisgender or transgender) or non-binary
- Bachelor's Degree, diploma, or relevant experience
- Canadian Citizen or Permanent Resident residing in Ottawa, Peterborough, Kingston, Cornwall
- Canadian Language Benchmark levels 7-8
- Must have IT, Science, Engineering, Criminology, Psychology, Business, HR, or Finance background or transferable skills/work experience
- Able to commit to a part-time 18-week training program, August to December, 10 hours a week; program will require participants to complete the 5 core and 3 elective specialty curated courses

Benefits and Gains

- You will obtain an Information and Cyber Security Management Advanced Certificate from the University of Ottawa, Professional Development Institute
- Instructors include industry experts with application and implementation experience

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- Become familiar with the technical core competencies that cybersecurity employers are looking for in employees to fast-track employment
- Essential skills training for employment and job-readiness
- Develop an understanding of employer expectations and labour market trends in cybersecurity
- Hands-on experience with real work projects
- Improved earning potential

Training Schedule

University of Ottawa, Information and Cyber Security Management Advanced Certificate
Professional Development Institute

Online/ 18 weeks

Two different daily training schedules available:
August 30, 2022, to December 1, 2022, Tuesday and Thursday
August 31, 2022, to December 2, 2022, Wednesday and Friday

28 half-day online sessions from 9:00a.m. to 12p.m.

Additional 4 hours a week – dates and time to be announced

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