

## Co-op Confirmation Form (DOMESTIC WORK TERM)

Congratulations on your job offer! To register this co-op experience please **submit this form within 10 business days of accepting your offer** and no later than the employment start date indicated in your employment contract. Once you accept an offer and submit this form, you must **conclude your job search efforts** and **decline any interview requests** for positions taking place during your contracted employment.

To finalize this offer, please:

- Complete and sign this form and review the conditions listed on page 2.
- Submit the following documents to engcar@mcmaster.ca
  - 1. Completed Co-op Confirmation Form
  - 2. Signed offer of employment letter (note: unsigned electronic offers require employer confirmation)
  - 3. Job posting or an official description from employer. If no official job description is available, please have the employer complete this form (note: not required if an OscarPlus Job ID is identified below).

| Is this an extension of your current verified co-op work experience? | ? YES | NC |
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- If "YES," what was your original end date?
- What is your extension end date?

Is this a research position? YES NO

If yes, please indicate if this research position is funded by any awards/grants, as follows (select if applicable)

- Engineering Research Experience Award (EREA)
- Other funding source (i.e. NSERC, CNL, etc.)

| Student Information   |  |   |  |  |
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| Student First and Last Name:  |  |   |  |  |
| McMaster Email:   |  | Phone Number:   |  |  |
| Student Number:   |  | Program & Level:  |  |  |
| Co-op Employment Offer Details                                      |  |   |  |  |
| OscarPlus Job ID (if applicable):                                   |  | Job Title:  |  |  |
| Co-op Employer/Company Name:  |  | Start Date & Work Term Duration (i.e. # of months):   |  |  |
| Co-op Employer/Company<br>Address (city, province, postal<br>code): |  | Wage Per Hour:  |  |  |
| Are you working remote, hybrid, or in-person?                       |  | Hours Per Week:<br>(note: a minimum of 420 hours is   |  |  |
| Student Work Address (if working remotely or hybrid):               |  | required for each 4-month work term<br>to meet eligibility requirements for co-<br>op credit) |  |  |
| Co-op Employer/Company Information                                  |  |   |  |  |
| Manager Name:   |  | Manager Email:  |  |  |
| Human Resources or Recruiter Contact Name:                          |  | Human Resources or Recruiter Contact Email:   |  |  |
| Full Company Mailing Address (city, province, postal code):         |  |   |  |  |
| Co-op Employer/ Company<br>Website:                                 |  |   |  |  |

## Please select each tick box to indicate your understanding, acceptance and agreement to the following conditions.

- I confirm that I am registered as a full-time co-op student before I begin working and will return as a full-time student after completing
  the co-op (min. 9 units/academic term for undergraduate students or 3 units/academic term for graduate students) in my current
  program plan to fulfill co-op graduation requirements. In accepting this offer, I confirm that I am in good academic standing, have
  successfully completed the co-op pre-employment course (one of ENGINEER 1EE0, IBEHS 1EE0, ENGTECH 1ET0 or ENGINEER
  701) and have paid all outstanding fees on my account.
- 2. I acknowledge that supplementary part-time employment while engaged in this co-op work term is strongly discouraged and that it is likely that I may have to suspend any part-time employment for the duration of my co-op work term. Should I see a need to continue in a part-time position, I will discuss this with my Career Educator so that I have a plan for workload management.
- 3. I acknowledge that I will NOT be permitted to resume full-time academic studies until the end of my co-op work term. I understand I am eligible to enroll in 4 academic units while on a co-op. Requests to enroll in more than 4 units (up to an allowable maximum of 6 units) may be granted with approval of my employer and ECCS. In the spring term, 6 units of study refers to 1 spring course and 1 summer course or 2 multi-term courses that total 6 units. Requests to take capstone courses while on co-op will require additional levels of review and approvals are rare.
- 4. I understand I am able to register a maximum of 16 months of continuous employment at one time and a total maximum of 24 months (for 4-year programs) or 28 months (for 5-year programs) of co-op experience within my degree.
  - I agree to complete all procedural requirements of the Engineering Co-op program including: providing and updating contact information in my work term details, completing all required check-ins and reflections, and regularly checking my McMaster email for co-op communications.
- 5. I understand a co-op course will be added at the beginning of each work term (January/May/September) to my student record. Each course added represents 4 months of co-op work experience. When the course is added, the co-op fee will be charged directly to my student account, if applicable. Late approvals of co-op work terms or payments of fees may result in late payment/interest charges.
- 6. Should the co-op work term duration be modified (extended, shortened or terminated), I agree to notify the ECCS office immediately. For extensions, a new contract or other formal notice from the employer with new end date must be submitted to ECCS prior to the extension start date. I agree to register all qualifying subsequent work terms and pay the additional co-op fees.
- I agree to follow McMaster University's Student Code of Conduct and the Faculty of Engineering Co-op Policies and will
  demonstrate high standards of workplace professionalism and ethics as befitting a representative of McMaster University's Faculty
  of Engineering.
- 8. I will comply with applicable workplace legislation and policies and procedures of my employer including those covering workplace safety, confidentiality and intellectual property, employer-provided devices (e.g., phone, computers, etc.).
- 9. I understand that an unsatisfactory evaluation could result in my termination from both the co-op work term and the Engineering Co-op program. If I encounter on-the-job issues, I will contact my Career Educator to seek guidance on appropriate solutions prior to taking action on my own.
- 10. Under no circumstances will I institute or authorize legal action against this employer without obtaining prior approval from Engineering Co-op & Career Services. I understand that such approval will not be unreasonably withheld.

## [ORIGINAL SIGNATURES REQUIRED; Typed names will not be accepted]

| Student Signature: | Date |
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