

We want you! We're looking for an Associate Director, Thought Leadership to join our team

The Canadian Public Accountability Board (CPAB) is Canada's public company audit regulator charged with protecting the investing public's interests. CPAB oversees public accounting firms that audit Canadian reporting issuers. We promote sustainable audit quality through proactive regulation, robust audit assessments, dialogue with domestic and international stakeholders, and insights that inform capital market participants and contribute to public confidence in the integrity of financial reporting.

We do important work. We need remarkable people on our team.

Why you'll enjoy working here

- We are a world-class audit regulator and you'll have an opportunity to make an impact on how the future audit is performed and regulated and influence global audit quality.
- We put people first and value learning, growth and development.
- We offer outstanding health and wellness benefits.

Who are we looking for?

- You are intellectually curious and passionate about positively influencing audit quality both domestically and abroad.
- You stand out as a thought leader, taking positions based on your passion for exploring emerging issues combined with a natural tendency to challenge the status quo.
- You've spent a good part of your career as someone able to deliver outcomes, high quality projects and/or reports based on your ability to conduct thorough research, consult with the right stakeholders and focus on the important details that are relevant to the situation.

Who are you?

- You have a university degree, a professional accounting designation, eight or more years of relevant work experience (six or more years of audit experience preferred), and knowledge and/or experience working in a regulatory environment.
- You understand the complexity of a regulator and its role in protecting the public interest.
- You are an excellent writer and have strong verbal communication skills.
- You are fascinated by emerging issues affecting audits, governance and capital markets. You have a forward-looking view of the impact emerging technologies could have on audits of the future.
- You've been successful at communicating complex issues, publishing professional reports, managing stakeholders and fostering positive relationships.
- Time management and meeting deadlines are never an issue for you. You're able to balance competing demands while maintaining your professionalism. You aren't scared to ask colleagues for help when things get busy. You thrive in and like to contribute to an intellectually stimulating environment. You're comfortable with change and are happy to share your ideas and thoughts on ways to improve.

What you will be doing:

As a valued member of the Stakeholder Engagement and Thought Leadership team, you will:

- Understand, research and prepare reports, opinion pieces and/or projects relating to critical audit quality issues and topics.
- Project manage key deliverables ensuring deadlines and quality standards are met.
- Cultivate a network of internal and external stakeholders, subject matter experts and professional opinion makers.
- Research ad-hoc topics and/or issues and summarize your findings for the applicable audience.
- Prepare high quality written reports and engaging public presentations.
- Foster relationships with professional accounting bodies and arrange of other stakeholders locally and nationally.

Sound right for you?

If you'd like to make a difference to the future of the profession in Canada while taking your career to the next level, we should meet. Submit your resume to careers@cpab-ccrc.ca.

We invest in our people. As regulators, we need to stay on the leading edge of what is happening in our profession. We encourage team members to develop their careers by marrying their interests with the continuous improvement of our organization and the profession.

Canadian Public Accountability Board is committed to workplace diversity and provides accommodations to applicants with disabilities throughout our hiring process