

ARE YOU PASSIONATE ABOUT SOCIAL JUSTICE-FORWARD JOURNALISM?
APPLY TODAY TO BE OUR JACK LAYTON JOURNALISM FOR CHANGE FELLOW
APPLICATION DEADLINE: SEPT. 23, 2022

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Are you interested in producing journalism for positive change?

rabble.ca is now accepting applications for the **Jack Layton Journalism for Change Fellowship**. Deadline for applications is Friday, September 23, 2022.

rabble.ca is Canada's original online independent progressive media source. We are a daily national news site that focuses on sharing the stories, perspectives, and insight from activists - the stories often missed in mainstream media.

In partnership with the Institute for Change Leaders and the Douglas Coldwell Layton Foundation, *rabble* is presenting the fifth year of the Jack Layton Journalism for Change Fellowship.

This four-month long fellowship supports emerging journalists who are enthusiastic about social justice forward reporting. For the first three months of this fellowship, our Journalism for Change fellow will produce weekly news hits with direction from *rabble*'s editor Nick Seebruch. In the final month of the fellowship, the fellow will produce a long-form feature story.

Guidelines:

The fellowship pays a stipend of \$5,000 for the four month period, divided in four monthly installments. The fellow and editor will determine the four month fellowship period.

Applicants will pitch a feature story which they would have a chance to work on in the final month of their fellowship, if selected. In the first three months, fellows will work on weekly news hits and stories from the editor.

During the fellowship the Jack Layton Journalism for Change Fellow will:

- Produce quick news hits for *rabble.ca*'s national audience, assigned to by Nick Seebruch, editor;
- Participate in *rabble* weekly story meetings (by Zoom) and join *rabble*'s virtual news room on Slack;

- Receive mentorship and support in creating, shaping, and editing a final feature piece;
- Receive a \$5,000 stipend for the four-month fellowship.

This is a part time position. Fellows must be based in Canada.

How to apply:

Please send a cover letter indicating why you should be the Jack Layton Journalism for Change Fellow together with your resume, feature piece pitch, and two writing samples to internships@rabble.ca.

You can learn more about how to pitch to rabble at rabble.ca/about/submit-a-story.

Entries close September 23 at midnight.

In the spirit of the virtual office, we are accepting only electronic applications.

We will not contact every application; we will only reach out to candidates selected for an interview. No calls please. Interviews for this position will take place on a rolling basis, so don't delay sending in your application.

rabble.ca is committed to equity in its policies and practices, supports diversity in its journalistic and work environments, and ensures that applications for members of underrepresented groups are seriously considered under employment equity. All qualified individuals who would contribute to the further diversification of the rabble.ca community are encouraged to apply.