STUDENT JOB DESCRIPTION

POSITION IDENTIFICATION
Position Title: Research Assistant (Electronic/Mobile App Creation)
Classification Title: Undergraduate Academic Assistant
VP/Faculty: Medicine
Department: School of Population and Public Health
Pay/hours: $20/hour, 10 hours per week
Duration: 4 months
Positions Available: 1 (or 2 split positions)

JOB SUMMARY
The Research Assistant will create a supportive decision making mobile application that will be piloted by health care providers in guiding patients and families in making complex health care decisions.

ORGANIZATION STATUS
This project operates out of the W. Maurice Young Centre for Applied Ethics, which is an interdisciplinary research unit within the School of Population and Public Health (SPPH), Faculty of Medicine, at the Vancouver Campus of the University of British Columbia.

RESPONSIBILITIES
The Research Assistant will perform the following duties:
• Create an electronic/mobile application based on the research team’s prior work
• Contribute to the evaluation of stakeholder experience
• Refine the application based on stakeholder feedback
• Participate in team meetings

SUPERVISION
The Research Assistant will report to the Dr. Anita Ho, Associate Professor in Bioethics at the Centre for Applied Ethics. Errors made could influence the timely completion of work and compromise the results of research projects, impacting the credibility of the research team.

WORKING CONDITIONS
The Research Assistant will be located in the Leonard S. Klinck building. The Research Assistant will need to have his/her own computer equipment. A workstation can be provided as necessary.

QUALIFICATIONS
• 3rd or 4th year Undergraduate major in Computing Science or relevant field
• Experience with creating or designing mobile applications
• Ability to work independently

To apply, please forward your cover letter and resume to Dr. Anita Ho at anita.ho@ubc.ca by 5pm on February 9, 2018.