

# **Mentor Program**

SHARE your career path
IMPACT student career growth
CONNECT with TRU Campus
ENHANCE leadership & coaching skills



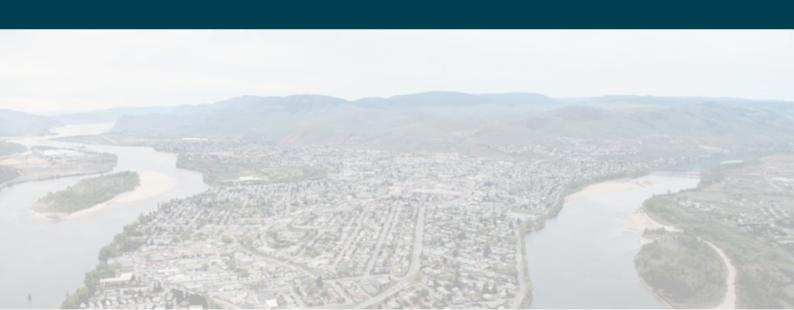
### Goal of the Mentoring Program

- · Help students connect their education and career
- · Teach and encourage networking skills
- Impart your knowledge and experiences to students
- Guide students to build meaningful careers

# 60% to 70% of jobs are found through networking.

## Why Volunteer

- Mentor relationships have been proven to help students transition from post-secondary education to meaningful careers.
- · Network with other mentors and grow your social and business circle.
- · Teach and encourage networking skills



#### Sample Questions for Students

- Tell me about yourself (education, work experience, volunteer, student clubs, etc.).
- What influenced your decision to study your current program?
- Career plans post-education at TRU.
- Any experience that might help you meet your goals?
- Do you have any questions for me?
- Are you willing to relocate or travel for your career?

#### Sample Questions Asked by Students

- How did education at TRU help in finding your career?
- What jobs and experiences led to your present position?
- What is the most satisfying and challenging part of the job?
- Why did you decide to work for your current company?
- What is the future of employment in this field?
- What can I do to upskill for a career in the XYZ field?
- What are the typical entry-level job titles and functions?
- What student characteristics stand out in a workplace?
- What is the best work-search advice you have received?
- Does volunteer work make an impact on the hiring process?

# Thank you!

Thank you for volunteering your time to attend the TRU Career Mentoring Program. This program is a result of the successful collaboration between TRU Career & Experiential Learning, TRU Alumni and participating TRU faculties and schools.