Job Posting for Imam BC Muslim Association, Burnaby Branch

Position Title: Imam

Location: BCMA Burnaby Branch (Masjid Al Salaam & Education Centre)

Employment Type: Full-Time

Position Overview

The BC Muslim Association (BCMA) is seeking a dedicated, knowledgeable, and dynamic **Imam** to serve the spiritual, educational, and social needs of our growing community at Burnaby Branch.

This pivotal role involves leading religious services, fostering community engagement, and supporting the development of Islamic programs across age groups.

Key Responsibilities

- Lead the five daily prayers and Jumu'ah (Friday) prayer
- · Lead Taraweeh prayers during Ramadan
- Develop and deliver Islamic education programs, halaqāt, and lessons for all age groups
- Engage with local Muslim Student Associations (MSAs) and youth organizations to offer religious guidance and programming
- Enhance the Masjid's presence on social media to strengthen community outreach and engagement
- Support the organization of community events, workshops, and forums addressing contemporary issues
- Provide religious leadership and guidance for the Masjid's Islamic School
- Maintain regular office hours to provide spiritual counseling and community support

Qualifications

- Commitment to the creed of Ahl al-Sunnah wa al-Jamā'ah
- Hifdh of Qur'ān
- Fluency in Qur'ānic recitation with proper tajwīd
- Degree in Islamic studies from a recognized institution
- Minimum of 4 years of experience leading a congregation in North America
- Strong understanding of Islamic teachings with the ability to apply them in modern, multicultural contexts
- Collaborative and team-oriented approach with strong interpersonal skills
- Effective public speaking and communication abilities

- Fluency in English, both spoken and written
- Candidates raised or educated in Canada or the USA are preferred

Compensation

The salary range for this role is C\$60,000 to C\$85,000 with a generous benefits package and opportunities for growth.

Application Process

Interested applicants should submit the following to religious@thebcma.com:

- A detailed resume
- A cover letter outlining your experience, qualifications, and vision for serving the community

Application Deadline: Wednesday, Jan 7, 2026

Early applications are encouraged. Suitable candidates may be contacted prior to the deadline

Equal Opportunity Statement

The BCMA are an equal opportunity employer committed to diversity, inclusivity, and a safe, respectful workplace. All qualified candidates will be considered without regard to ethnicity, or background.