

I am looking forward to collaborating with local leaders, facilitators, and youth on this project and making experiential agricultural education accessible and enjoyable for students of all ages.

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Establishing youth-centred agricultural education on local farms, Salt Spring Island, British Columbia, Canada

My initiative is centred in the belief that farms are an accessible and engaging space for youth to practice skills, consider new perspectives, connect with each other and relate to the world around them. During this Fellowship, I am collaborating with schools and youth groups to facilitate experiential learning opportunities and projects at a local farm.

I first came to Salt Spring Island in the summer of 2019 as an apprentice at Bullock Lake Farm and have been fortunate enough to continue working and growing food for this community every year since. I now manage the farm's CSA program and am working with the farm's co-owner, Molly Wilson, to establish this educational outreach program.

