

Committee: **Covent Garden Market Corporation**

Organization/Sector represented:

Name: **Melissa Reid**

Occupation: **Health and Safety Analyst/ HR Associate**

Work experience: **I currently work at Lawson Health Research Institute in Health and Safety. I started working for Lawson in May 2012. I conduct recruitment, training, risk assessments, lab audits, ergonomic assessments, and coordinate and resolve workplace injuries. I sit on London Health Sciences Centre's Joint Health and Safety Committee as a resource, and I am part of various health and safety committees for Lawson Research.**

Education: **I have a BA Honours in geography from Western University, I have my Occupational Health and Safety Certificate from Fanshawe College, and I have one more course until I have finished my Human Resource Management Certificate from Fleming College.**

Skills: **I have a good understanding of the occupational health and safety act and the employment standards act.**

Interest reason: **I am looking to gain knowledge on how the City of London operates and gain experience reviewing financial statements to learn how corporations operate and make strategic decisions.**

Contributions: **I have grown up in London and gone to school at Western and Fanshawe. I can add knowledge based on those experiences. I am also a new home owner (within the last 3 years) and I work for LHSC (in Lawson Research) in London, Ontario. Furthermore my educational background can help with health and safety and human resource questions.**

Past contributions: **I have not sat on a board before, this would be my first opportunity.**

Interpersonal: **I sit on various committees: LHSC's Joint health and Safety Committee, Lawson's Safety Sommittees (at SJHC, UH, and Victoria Hospital), I sit on 2 of Lawson's Biosafety Committees, and I sit on SJHC's Joint Health and Safety Co-chair Committee. Thus, I have a lot of experience exchanging views and respecting other's viewpoints.**

Interview interest: **Yes**