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As a Summer Law Student, Olivia is assisting lawyers on a wide variety of tasks within our Business and Disputes groups.

As a law student, Olivia completed an internship where she joined the in-house legal department at one of Canada's largest family-operated and vertically integrated real estate companies. She also served as a Student Case Worker with the Queen's Business Law Clinic.

Prior to attending law school, Olivia received an Honours Bachelor of Commerce degree from the UBC Sauder School of Business and interned on the Marketing team at one of Vancouver's premier real estate development, construction, and asset management companies.

Olivia is drawn to BLG because of the firm's commitment to excellence, diverse client base, and friendly atmosphere.

In her spare time Olivia enjoys trying new restaurants in Vancouver, walking the seawall with her dogs, and playing pickleball.

Insights Rollup

- Author, "Build Canada Homes' first moves: 4,000 direct-build units and a controversial B.C. condo conversion push", BLG Article, August 2026

Beyond Our Walls

Community Involvement

- Peer Tutor, Queen’s Law, 2025-Present
- Mentee, CREW Network, 2025-Present

Education

- JD, Queen's University, 2027 (expected)
- BCom, Sauder School of Business, UBC, 2024

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