

BGDISC

Bruce Grey Data Information Sharing Collaborative

Autumn 2018

What's new?

In Summer 2018:

- We added more data and information to the holdings
- We continued to improve the website: <https://bgdisc.ca>
- We hired an Open Data Analyst co-op student from the University of Waterloo
- We created a readiness survey for prospective data contributors to BGDISC
- We have begun making an open data and information policy
- We continued to reach out to local agencies to join the collaborative, delivering presentations at local agency meetings

What's Next?

In Autumn 2018:

- We are actively encouraging new membership and the posting of new data holdings to the website
- We're adding new content and finding new ways of sharing information through Data Stories

Events



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If you wish to learn about some of the Open Data initiatives from municipalities around Canada, check out the Canadian Open Data Summit. There are workshops, along with an awards ceremony for Open Data achievements over the last year. This year the summit is being held in Niagara Falls, and is being run from November 7th to 9th. For more information check the website: <https://opendatasummit.ca/>

Vision

Data assists well-informed decision-making, contributing to prosperity and well-being for the Community of Bruce Grey.

What Are We About?

BGDISC is a collective of not-for-profit, social-service, government, health, and education organizations that seek to mobilize community decision-makers to share vital local rural data to better inform regional programming, policies, funding, and social services to support prosperity, sustainability and the well-being of the community.

Visit the site at:
<https://BGDISC.ca>

Join our mailing list for updates and newsletters.
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What's been added so far?

- Grey County Trails
- Grey County Official Plan GIS Data
- Grey County Roads Data
- Grey County Rural Business Listing
- Grey County Children's Services Overview
 - Grey County Early Development Instrument Results
 - Grey County Children's Services Overview
- Child Care Waitlist
- Alcohol Vendors Grey Bruce
- Food Security Assets
- EmployerOne Summary Report
- Backpack Program – United Way of Bruce Grey
- Utility Assistance Program – United Way of Bruce Grey
- Census 2016 Results
 - Population by age and sex
 - Dwellings and Housing
 - Families, Households, Marital Status
 - Income, Labour, Commute to Work
 - Mobility, Migration
 - Immigration, Ethnocultural Diversity, Aboriginal Identity
- Grey County 211 Statistics for 2017
- A Profile of Child, Youth and Family Health in Grey and Bruce Counties

NEW SINCE SUMMER:

- Census Municipal Profiles
- Substance Abuse Trends Grey Bruce
- Canadian Community Health Survey Reports

BGDISC Open Data Topics

1. Business & Economy
2. Government & Finance
3. Demographics
4. Education
5. Environment
6. Health
7. Infrastructure
8. Land Use & Development
9. Recreation, Culture & Tourism
10. Community & Social Services
11. Transportation

BGDISC Open Data Analyst Co-op Student

My name is Liam Anjos and I'm the new Open Data Analyst hired by BGDISC. I'm a third year student at the University of Waterloo, studying in the Honours Geomatics program. I grew up in Vancouver, British Columbia, and moved to Ontario for university. I am excited to be in this position with BGDISC because it is a great learning opportunity in the very fast growing field of Open Data. In the four months that I'll be here, I hope to help BGDISC achieve their goals for the end of 2018, so they can continue to have success in 2019.

BGDISC Introduction & Readiness

If your organization would like an introduction to BGDISC, contact Gemma at 519-881-2725 x122

If your organization would like to become a member of BGDISC, complete the readiness survey:

Google Form

<https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSfQej3wEpV9X2moR2TvuQiltc2DEBdietydJ-ZLiPbtNEhOFA/viewform>

PDF

<https://bgdisc.ca/dataset/resourc/ca418f78-5206-41ed-97a1-9c0b59fa427f>

