

PRESS RELEASE

**ATTENTION JOB-SEEKERS - ABEBOOKS' CUSTOMER SUPPORT DEPARTMENT
TO STAGE OPEN HOUSE ON JULY 29**

(Victoria, BC – 22 July 2009) Job-seekers interested in working for a pioneering Internet marketplace are invited to attend an open house being staged by AbeBooks.com's customer support department on Wednesday 29 July.

Headquartered in Victoria, BC, AbeBooks Inc. is an online marketplace for new, used, rare and out-of-print books that helped revolutionize how secondhand books are bought and sold. The company was founded in 1996 and acquired by Amazon.com, Inc., in December 2008. More than 20 people are currently employed in the customer support section, which helps booksellers to sell books and booklovers to buy books.

Potential customer support employees require a deep commitment to providing exceptional customer service, excellent communication skills and the ability to work in a demanding technology-driven environment. A sound knowledge of Internet-related technologies is vital.

Visitors will be given an introduction to this award-winning global business and learn more about the skills required to work in this department of AbeBooks. There will also be a tour of the facility and the opportunity to meet Human Resources director Judy Hamza and Shaun Jamieson, Director of Sales and Account Management. Visitors are welcome to drop off resumes.

AbeBooks has been acclaimed in Macleans Magazine as one of Canada's top 100 employers for five successive years.

The open house will be staged on Wednesday 29 July from 1pm until 2.30pm. AbeBooks is located in a state-of-the-art office building at Suite 500, 655 Tye Road, Victoria, BC, V9A 6X5 – just a few minutes from downtown Victoria. Refreshments will be served. Anyone requiring further details should email hr@abebooks.com

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AbeBooks Inc. is an online marketplace for books. More than 110 million new, used, rare, and out-of-print books are offered for sale through the AbeBooks websites from thousands of booksellers around the world. Visit <http://www.abebooks.com/>

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included in Amazon.com's filings with the Securities and Exchange Commission, including its most recent Annual Report on Form 10-K and subsequent filings.