

JOB TITLE: Admissions Specialist **DEPARTMENT:** Admissions **LOCATION:** Union Campus

REPORTS TO: Director, Admissions

FLSA: Non-Exempt

LEVEL: 103

DATE: 8/23/18; 12/1/14

POSITION SUMMARY: Perform a variety of duties to assist the Admissions Department with student admissions in regards to processing applications, student inquiries and communication.

EDUCATION, EXPERIENCE, and LICENSES/CERTIFICATIONS: (A comparable amount of training, education or experience may be substituted for the minimum qualifications.) Completion of Associate's degree; one year work-related experience

ESSENTIAL TASKS: Employee must be able to perform the following functions to the satisfaction of the employee's supervisor.

- Assist with new student intake and respond to inquiries from both prospective and current students.
- Process incoming student documents and acceptance letters for all new and returning students
- Assist with recruitment events both on and off campus. (College Fairs, Orientations; Open Registrations)
- Facilitate campus visits, tours and personal contact between program faculty and prospective and current students.
- Prepare new student packets for recruiting activities.
- Assist with student workers and Student Ambassadors' assignments.
- Perform office duties to include filing, data entry, word processing, composing letters, processing daily reports and incoming/outgoing mail, and process high school transcripts.
- Assist with placement test procedures for prospective students and faculty/staff.
- Initiate Criminal Background Procedure by communicating with the Office of Student Development.
- Conduct college business in a professional and ethical manner that includes the College's core values of integrity, excellence, dignity, accountability, environmental responsibility and global citizenry.
- Communicate effectively in a professional, tactful and courteous manner with students, employees, faculty, and the general public.
- Ensure that all activities are conducted within the established College policies, FERPA guidelines and other applicable laws pertaining to employment and education.
- Perform assigned responsibilities, duties, and tasks according to established practices, procedures, techniques, and standards in a safe manner and with minimal supervision.

KNOWLEDGE, SKILLS AND ABILITIES: Knowledge of college and department policies, procedures, and practices with the ability to answer work related questions; knowledge of the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act (FERPA), and other applicable laws pertaining to employment and education; ability to plan, organize and implement assigned responsibilities and to work well under pressure to meet deadlines; excellent organizational and planning skills; ability to participate as a team member, ability to adjust to change; ability to handle confidential material judiciously; ability to work accurately and efficiently in a fast paced environment with frequent interruptions; ability to use independent judgment and discretion; ability to manage multiple tasks and projects; ability to perform all essential functions using safe work methods and following safety regulations relating to job.

LEADERSHIP and **COMMUNICATION SKILLS:** Ability to respond meaningfully to the needs of individuals with respect and sensitivity; ability to exchange ideas, information, and opinions with others; arrive at decisions, develop conclusions, or develop solutions; ability to communicate effectively with a diverse workforce, student population and individuals with disabilities; ability to prioritize tasks and projects; ability to meet timelines and follow-through; ability to handle interpersonal conflict situations; demonstrate ethical conduct and professionalism; establish and maintain effective working relationships with faculty, staff, other departments, students, and the public.

DECISION-MAKING and ANALYTICAL SKILLS: Ability to follow policy and established methods and procedures; ability to analyze situations accurately and effectively problem solve; ability to mediate conflict and resolve effectively.

EQUIPMENT AND SOFTWARE: Utilize current College and/or department information technology equipment, software and programs; standard office equipment and department specific equipment.

PHYSICAL DEMANDS AND WORKING ENVIRONMENT: The conditions herein are representative of those that must be met by an employee to successfully perform the essential functions of this job.

Environment: Work is performed primarily in a standard office setting with frequent interruptions and distractions; extended periods of time viewing computer monitor; may work evenings and/or weekends;

Physical: Primary functions require sufficient physical ability and mobility to work in an office setting; to stand or sit for prolonged periods of time; to occasionally stoop, bend, kneel, reach; to lift, carry, push, and/or pull light to moderate amounts of weight; and/or to operate office equipment that may require repetitive hand movement

POSITIONS SUPERVISED: None

Employee Signature/Date

SIGNATURES: I have read the above job description. This job description has been designed to indicate the general nature and level of work performed. It is not designed to contain or be interpreted as a comprehensive inventory of a duties, responsibilities and qualification required for the job.

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