

JOB DESCRIPTION TITLE: Graduate Assistant, Graduate Admissions and Outreach Coordinator

DEPARTMENT: Graduate Admissions, Enrollment Services Responsible to: Assistant Director of Graduate Admissions

Organizational Classification: Graduate Assistant

FLSA Classification: Non-exempt

The following statements are intended to describe the general nature and level of work being performed. They are not intended to be construed as an exhaustive list of all responsibilities, duties, and skills required of personnel so classified.

- Summary of Responsibilities: The Graduate Admissions and Outreach Coordinator coordinates activity related to graduate admissions outreach and events, virtual and on-campus, at Geneva, implement orientation program for incoming graduate students, and assist with recruitment of graduate students in assigned programs. This person must be of high energy and able ensure a welcoming and hospitable experience for all students when they visit the on campus or virtually. This person will also assist the undergraduate admissions staff, as needed. This position reports to the Assistant Director of Graduate Admissions.
- **II) Essential Responsibilities**: (These essential responsibilities are those the individual must be able to perform unaided or with the assistance of reasonable accommodation.)

#### A. Outreach and Events

- Schedule and coordinate all on-campus graduate recruiting events, in conjunction with Geneva's Calling & Career Center. This includes, but is not limited to creation of event, registration, promotion, confirmation (calls/emails), and event follow-up. Events include, but are not limited to, Cokes & Connections, Snack Thursdays, annual Geneva Career Fair, etc.
- 2. Schedule and coordinate all virtual graduate recruiting events via Zoom and/or Teams. This includes, but is not limited to creation of event, registration, promotion, confirmation (calls/emails), and event follow-up.
- 3. Assist with graduate admissions marketing and social media content
- 4. Build and maintain inter-office communication and relationships for crossover events with other campus offices (Athletics, Alumni, Calling & Career, Crossroads, etc.)
- 5. Potential for travel to off-campus events

# **B.** Student Recruitment

- Assist Graduate Admissions Counselor and Assistant Director of Graduate Admissions with recruiting of select programs
- 2. Utilize CRM system, Slate, to contact inquiries and monitor comm flow between the college and prospective students
- 3. Maintain clear communication with campus constituents (faculty, coaches, staff, etc.) regarding contacts with prospective students
- 4. Coordinate campus visits for prospective graduate students

### C. Orientation Coordinator

- 1. Develop and implement orientation program for incoming graduate students
- 2. Serve as a concierge to assist prospective students navigating enrollment and financial aid

#### D. Materials Coordinator

- 1. Maintain inventory of Graduate Admissions supplies and related materials
- 2. Maintain all Graduate Admissions signage used at campus fairs, job fairs or campus events
- **E.** Other: Performs other duties as assigned



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## III) Exhibits behavior that is consistent with and supportive of Geneva's mission, vision, and core values:

- **A. Geneva Mission Statement:** Geneva College is a Christ-centered academic community that provides a comprehensive education to equip students for faithful and fruitful service to God and neighbor.
- **B.** Vision Statement: Geneva College will inspire students to integrate faith in Christ into all aspects of life in the real world, and to serve faithfully within their callings for Christ and Country.

## C. Core Values:

- 1) Serve with grace
- 2) Pursue Godly wisdom
- 3) Foster academic strength
- 4) Engage culture faithfully
- 5) Inspire vibrant hospitality
- 6) Honor one another

# IV) Job Requirements – Administrative:

- **A. General:** Individuals must possess the knowledge, skills, and abilities listed or are able to explain and demonstrate that they can perform the essential responsibilities of the job, with or without reasonable accommodations to safely perform the essential responsibilities of the job.
- **B. Physical:** Must be able to perform the following: talking, hearing, and seeing. Must have sufficient manual dexterity to be able to operate all office equipment including, but not limited to: computers, fax machines, copy machines, modems, and telephones.
- **C. Confidentiality**: Individuals must recognize that management of data, including personal information, grades, budgets, programs, and policies is necessary to the operation of the College. Such information must be kept private and confidential for the protection of the College and to obey Federal and/or State laws. Should there be doubt as to whether a certain matter is to be protected, it should be discussed with your supervisor before making a disclosure.
- D. Mental: Must be able to reason, analyze, prioritize, conceptualize, make judgments, and solve problems.

## V) Qualifications:

#### A. Minimum:

- 1. Must be enrolled in Geneva's Master of Arts in Higher Education program or Master of Business Administration program
- 2. Education/Certification: Bachelor's Degree
- 3. Experience: 1-2 years of experience related to event planning, especially as it relates to the responsibilities as specified above. Exceptional hospitality skills. Strong written and verbal communication skills. Organized.
- 4. Skill/Abilities:
  - a) Articulate your personal relationship with Jesus Christ.
  - b) High level of professionalism and attention to detail.
  - c) Positive attitude and strong communication (written and oral) skills.
  - d) Able to communicate effectively using electronic forms of communication such as email, text, etc.
  - e) Maintain complete and accurate files and records on prospects.
  - f) Operate a PC, proficient in Microsoft Office products including Outlook.
  - g) Relate easily to college students and professionals seeking career development opportunities.



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5. Christian Commitment: eligible candidates must be a thoughtful and articulate Christian and an active member of a Protestant evangelical Christian church. Preference will be given to candidates who support and have an articulate understanding of the Reformed faith. The individual must understand and support the College's "Foundational Concepts of Christian Education" by expressing an evangelical Christian profession of faith and demonstrate the ability to integrate a Christian perspective in their work.

#### B. Preferred:

- 1. Education/Certification: Bachelor's Degree
- 2. Experience: 3-4 Years; experience with event planning, coordinating volunteers and staff.
- 3. Skill/Abilities:
  - a) Familiarity with Jenzabar CRM products, Slate technologies and/or other data management related software
  - b) Experienced in planning, organizing, and managing virtual and in-person events

**EOE Statement:** Geneva College does not discriminate in hiring or in terms and conditions of employment based on an individual's race, color, sex, age, disability, or national origin. As a Christian college rooted in the evangelical and Reformed tradition and governed by the Reformed Presbyterian Church of North America, compliance with Geneva's Christian views is considered a bona fide occupational qualification under Sections 702 & 703 of Title VII of the 1964 Civil Rights Act as amended and will have a direct impact on employment consideration.

**Application Process:** Interested applicants should send a cover letter, resume, statement of faith, and names with contact information for three references to ATTN: Judy Willson, Graduate Admissions, Geneva College / 3200 College Avenue / Beaver Falls, PA 15010 or jlwillso@geneva.edu.