



# Student Activities Graduate Coordinator

## Office for Student Life & Leadership

### **Carolina Union:**

The Carolina Union creates safe, inclusive and educational experiences that enable students to maximize their time at Carolina. The many co-curricular programs, services and facilities supported by the Union are developed and operated with a focus to serve the students whose fees fund our organization and therefore are intended to impact the intellectual and experiential climate of the University and provide opportunities for campus members to engage in debate, conversation, interaction, and learning. Managed by 44 full-time staff and over 185 student employees, the Carolina Union builds a sense of community as a unifying force on campus and provides students the space and resources needed to put theory into practice.

### **Student Life & Leadership:**

The Office of Student Life & Leadership (SLL) consists of Carolina Leadership Development (CLD), Student Organizations Office, Student Activities that includes the Carolina Union Activities Board (CUAB), Assessment & Student Development, and serves as the primary advisors to Student Government. SLL consists of eight full-time staff, 3 graduate coordinators, and a number of undergraduate coordinators. Our vision for the Office of Student Life & Leadership of the Carolina union is to empower & transform students, staff, and faculty to create positive sustainable change within our communities.

### **General Description:**

The Graduate Coordinator is responsible for working with the Carolina Union Activities Board on the organization and implementation of group development exercises/workshops as well as assisting in the planning of their programs and activities. The coordinator will actively develop their teaching, facilitation, and consultation skills with organizing team development exercises, along with expanding their leadership development and training skills. The coordinator will actively promote program planning, management/implementation, and evaluation skills with students. Specifically, the Graduate Coordinator will work with retreat planning and implementation, and committee development for the twelve Activities Board committees. The Graduate Coordinator is expected to develop and employ a working knowledge of the resources, services, programs, and activities available at a large, public university, to facilitate co-sponsorships, shared resources, and reduce duplications of programs and services.

### **Primary Responsibilities Include:**

Advising Carolina Unions Activities Board:

- Advise and support student staff in the planning, implementation, and evaluation of a broad variety of programs.
- Provide leadership to and advise student volunteers in the planning of events officially sponsored by CUAB.
- Serve as a member of the CUAB Advising team.
- Support the programming board in marketing both campus programs and the organization's image.
- Promote and encourage recruitment of new members and help facilitate retention efforts of the organization.

Supervision and Management

- Work with the Program Coordinator and other professional staff to select, advise, and evaluate the student staff that comprises the leadership of the organization
- Support, plan and attend weekly team meetings, retreats and trainings.



- Assist with over-all assessment of CUAB (quality of on-campus programming, programming trends at other institutions, effectiveness of UNC programming, types of programs students need and want to see on campus, etc...).
- Assist in continuing development and maintenance of a long-term vision for a growing programming board while advising student staff and volunteers in the timely implementation of that vision.

#### General Student Life & Leadership Responsibilities

- Participate as an active member of the Student Life & Leadership team; attend meetings, retreats and trainings, and provide support to major department-wide programs.
- Represent CUAB at various trainings, involvement and resource fairs, etc. as requested by other campus offices and organizations.
- Perform other duties as identified with supervisor to enhance professional development and/or support the success of program areas/department.

#### Qualifications:

- An undergraduate degree and enrolled as full-time status in a graduate program for Fall 2015.
- Experience organizing and managing multiple tasks with changing deadlines and priorities
- Demonstrated experience managing and tracking projects independently
- Understands concepts of multiculturalism and diversity and how they impact the campus community
- Demonstrated personal qualities: sound decision making, creativity, organization, time management, diplomacy and integrity
- Evidence of drive and initiative as demonstrated by personal experiences and previous employment (must be a self-starter)

#### Terms of Employment:

Period of Employment – August 1<sup>st</sup> through May 31<sup>st</sup>

Time Commitment – **20 hours per week.** Graduate Coordinators must be willing to commit a significant portion of time to their position. It is expected that Graduate Coordinators maintain office hours equaling 20 hours per week with flexibility allowed for weekend and evening programs.

Remuneration – \$12,000/10-month contract with potential for summer employment. Leave time to be discussed and planned with supervisor.

#### How to Apply:

- Email the following as one document in Microsoft Word or PDF format:
  - Cover Letter
  - Resume
  - 3 Professional Reference
- Letter and email can be addressed to:
  - Brian Lackman  
Student Activities Program Coordinator  
2501K FPG Student Union  
Chapel Hill, NC 27510-5210

Applications should be emailed to [brian.lackman@unc.edu](mailto:brian.lackman@unc.edu). This position will remain open until filled. Priority deadline date for full consideration is Monday, August 31<sup>st</sup> at 5pm.

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