

VACANCY ANNOUNCEMENT

Title: Study Abroad Coordinator

Position Summary: Reporting to the director of the International Center, the study abroad coordinator markets, develops, and implements education abroad programs including semester, summer, and short-term faculty-led opportunities. This position also manages the National Student Exchange program.

Major Responsibilities:

Markets, recruits, advises, and prepares students to participate in study abroad and the National Student Exchange program. Conducts various advising sessions and study abroad presentations.

Manages short-term faculty-led study abroad programs and proposal review process. Supports faculty members with program development, budgeting, and overall program execution.

Coordinates annual study abroad fairs, develops study abroad programming, and manages the hiring process and supervision of Peer Mentor(s) and the Graduate Associate for Study Abroad.

Serves as a first responder for crises abroad & provides support and leadership for risk management including training and education campus-wide.

Facilitates administrative processes related to study abroad and stays abreast of best practices.

Manages marketing materials and maintains accurate student records related to study abroad.

Supports assessment initiatives and facilitates budget management for study abroad accounts.

Represents the International Center and assists with Center programs, activities, and services.

Performs other duties as assigned.

Required Qualifications:

A Master's degree is required.

Professional experience in the areas of study abroad, student advising, international education, and budget management experience are highly desired. Proficiency with public speaking is required.

Previous experience living abroad and the ability to speak at least one foreign language are desirable.

Outstanding communication and decision-making skills and ability to work effectively with diverse students, faculty, staff, and the general public. Excellent customer service skills are required.

Strong organizational, administrative, programming, and interpersonal skills are required.

Expertise in PC-based software including MS office and an awareness of marketing practices as well as the ability to navigate online content management systems and websites are desired.

Employment Conditions:

A 12-month, full-time administrative position with faculty rank. Will teach one course a year as part of job duties.

The successful candidate must be legally eligible to work in the United States and will be required to undergo a background check.

Employee may be required to work beyond normal working hours and on weekends. Overnight travel including some international travel may also be required.

Salary is commensurate with qualifications and the position is available beginning July 1, 2016.

Application Procedures: Application review will begin on **May 15, 2016,** and will continue until the position has been filled. Interested candidates should submit the following materials by **May 15, 2016** for full consideration:

A letter of application summarizing the candidate's interest and qualifications for the position Current curriculum vitae or resume

Official transcripts of highest college degree (copies acceptable during application process) Names, addresses, email addresses, and phone numbers of three professional references

Electronic submissions are required. All materials should be addressed to:

Dr. Leigh Poole, Director of the International Center and Assistant Professor for University College International Center at Winthrop University • 701 Oakland Avenue • Dinkins Hall 218 Rock Hill, SC 29733 • poolela@winthrop.edu • 803.323.2133