

Job Title: Student Move-in Coordinator (SMC)

**Department:** Campus Housing – Residence Services

**Reports To**: Coordinator, Move-in Operations

Pay rate: \$15.50/hour

**Effective Date:** Flexible, between July 31, 2023 and August 14, 2023. Preference may be given to candidates

who can start early.

### **Primary Purpose**

In this role the Student Move-in Coordinators (SMCs) manage the planning and day-to-day operations of the Fall 2023 move-in. This includes volunteer management, event management, and volunteer training and development. This position can be a mix of remote-work and in-person work from July 31, 2023 to September 3, 2023 this position is required to be in-person. This role will involve physically demanding tasks that could be included but are not limited to:

- setting up tents and tables
- moving furniture and other equipment
- walking for long periods of time

# **Key Accountabilities**

#### **Volunteer Management**

- Finalize recruitment of all volunteers
- Prepare volunteer training materials
- Facilitate orientation session for all volunteers
- Schedule and organize volunteer team across all move-in locations
- Support all volunteers during the move-in period including coordination of volunteer shift changes (checking in and checking out volunteers), answering any questions volunteers are not sure how to address, filling in for any absent volunteers, etc.
- Communicate any updates regarding scheduling, volunteer position changes, or other information to volunteer team

#### **Team Work**

- Collaborate and connect with the Fall 2023 Move-in Committee
- Collaborate with other Student Move-in Coordinators to ensure consistent experience at the different move-in areas
- Work with volunteer team to provide positive move-in experience
- Work with Campus Housing staff on move-in days to escalate issues and share updates as necessary



## **Information Management**

- Develop and manage volunteer schedules and contact lists
- Support Campus Housing staff regarding rescheduling/cancelling student move-in appointments
- Monitoring and responding to emails in the move-in specific inbox
- Work with Fall 2023 Move-in Committee and Front Desk Assistants to manage Fall 2023
  Move-in materials
- Liase routinely with Fall 2023 Move-in Committee to provide updates regarding flow of traffic, emerging issues, and other updates
- Expected to maintain a high level of confidentiality regarding resident information and volunteer schedules

#### **Event Management**

- First point of contact for questions from volunteers and students regarding the move-in process. This includes problem-solving and troubleshooting for solutions
- Execute foul weather plan
- Execute event set-up and take down each day
- Real-time audit of move-in process to ensure equipment(i.e., move-in carts), information, volunteers are readily available and accurate
- Engage routinely with incoming students and families to provide support or information as necessary
- Ensuring move-in is a positive and welcoming experience for all students

## **Required Qualifications**

#### Education

- Prior experience in volunteer management
- Excellent communication, leadership and problem-solving skills
- Prior experience in customer service is preferred

<sup>\*</sup>All employees of the University are expected to follow University and departmental health and safety policy, procedures and work practices at all times. Employees are also responsible for the completion of all health and safety training, as assigned. Employees with staff supervision and/or management responsibilities will ensure that assigned staff abide by the above, and actively identify, assess and correct health and safety hazards, as required.



- It is preferred that candidates applying to this role are familiar with Campus Housing residences
- Must be present in Waterloo for on-site work August 28<sup>th</sup>, 2023, onwards
- Must be a returning upper-year undergraduate student/graduate student/alumnus (within the last 6 months). If you are a first-year undergraduate, or a new postgraduate student please do not apply.

# **Contract Period & Hours**

Start Date: July 31, 2023 End Date: September 3, 2023

# Weekly Hours:

Between 30-60 hours from July 31<sup>st</sup> – August 30<sup>th</sup>
 Between 20-30 hours August 31<sup>st</sup> – September 3<sup>rd</sup>

## Remuneration

Remuneration for Student Move-in Coordinator is \$15.50/hour.

Please address any questions to <a href="mailto:hirehousing@uwaterloo.ca">hirehousing@uwaterloo.ca</a>