Job Title: Campus Recreation Internship- Lifeguard

Work Schedule: Monday - Sunday 7a-10p with occasional weekends

Hours per week: 10-12

Individuals must be able to commit at least 8 hours per week.

Supervisor: Assistant Director of Aquatics

General Statement of Duties
Under the supervision of the Aquatics Professional Staff, Aquatic Supervisors, and Head Lifeguards enforce safety regulations for the protection of pool patrons; make suggestions for new or updated regulations; assist in general maintenance; and perform other duties as assigned.

Typical Responsibilities

• Ensure the safety of those who use our facility through consistent and equitable enforcement of Department of Recreational Sports and Aquatic Center policies and procedures.
• Responsible for lifeguarding programs at the facility including but not limited to recreational swimming, academic classes, swim team, swim club, and Rec programs.
• Know and be able to implement the facility’s emergency action plans.
• Assist in general maintenance and upkeep of the facility
• Provide patrons with accurate information regarding facility operations and issues.
• Assist with facility set-ups (lane line changes, special event).
• Attend paid staff, Departmental, or University employee training meetings as assigned.
• Maintain certifications as needed to meet the minimum requirements for employment.

Experience and Abilities

• Current certification in Lifeguard Training: American Red Cross preferred; other Lifeguard Training agencies accepted with completion of a cross-over course to the American Red Cross Lifeguard certification
• Ability to bend, lift, move and push heavy objects or equipment
• Must pass screening tests of basic lifeguarding skills and knowledge throughout the year
• Must be a currently enrolled student
• Be able to work at least 12 - 15 hours a week, can work up to 29 hours a week

Training

• Four (4) hours of in-service training required per month
• BBP Training

Environmental Conditions

• All Lifeguards are subject to occasional accident hazards in and around the swimming pool
• Lifeguards may be asked to occasionally perform maintenance dealing with hazardous materials
• Any employee exposed to hazardous materials will be educated as to the proper handling and emergency procedures for each of the items

Pay Scale

Pay Range $12.50-15.00/hr

Learning Outcomes

1. Participate effectively in teams
2. Apply problem solving skills to effectively manage difficult situations
3. Listen actively and critically