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UNIVERSITY

Outdoor Adventure Program
Climbing Program and Challenge Course Graduate Assistant
Student Engagement Center & Environmental Wellness Office
Outdoor Adventure Program



Required Skills

Bachelor's Degree in Recreation, Outdoor Education or related field.
 Acceptance to one of the following Old Dominion University academic majors: Parks, Recreation, and Tourism Studies; Sports Management; Higher Education; Physical Education; or other closely related field
 Demonstrate strong leadership and organizational skills, and a strong work ethic.
 Experience with a collegiate adventure program with specific experience in rock climbing and team facilitation.
 Ability to work well in a team setting that promotes student development and empowerment.
 Knowledge and experience in employee supervision and training.
 CPR, First Aid, and AED certification or the ability to obtain within 30 days of hire.
 Possess excellent written and verbal skills.
 Computer proficient with various software including MS Office, Adobe, Outlook.
 Valid Driver's License and ability to meet University's vehicle policies and procedures.
 Position subject to criminal background check.

Preferred:

Wilderness First Responder or Wilderness First Aid.
 Experience in multiple outdoor recreation activities.
 Experience in bicycle maintenance.
 ACA, AMGA, PCIA or LNT Certifications
 Climbing wall management and challenge course facilitation experience.

Employment Schedule/Hours: The GA position requires 20 hours per week on an established schedule that fits with the student's course demands, which will include weekdays, weeknights, weekends, and some holidays.

Academic Qualifications & Preferred Majors: bachelor's degree in Recreation, Outdoor Education, or related field.
 Regular admission in a graduate degree program at ODU with good academic standing, maintenance of a full course load of student enrollment during the term of their appointment, and a 3.0 or higher GPA is required.
 required GPA or reducing one's course load below full-time enrollment. This includes students who are on a leave of absence or who are currently on a leave of absence.

Compensation: A stipend of \$15,000 will be paid over the fall and spring semesters. Out-of-state students will receive a tuition waiver equivalent to in-state tuition. www.odu.edu/employment



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