

Classification Description

Job Title: Access Services Assistant Pay Grade: 102

Job Code: 4014 FLSA Status: Non-Exempt

Job Purpose

This position is responsible for performing, complex technical and integral library job functions at an assigned FSW campus library. Work includes assisting the professional staff in the day-to-day operations of the library. Tasks may include circulation, reference, online access to information and other related activities. Additionally, work may include coordinating workflow within functional areas and supervising student assistants.

General Responsibilities

Essential Functions

Interacts with patrons and provides excellent customer service for the delivery of an array of library services while ensuring an environment conducive to learning.

Assists faculty, students and other patrons with general orientation and use of the equipment for non-print retrieval; assists library colleagues at circulation desk operations; coordinates and participates in shelving books.

Provides basic equipment troubleshooting in the Library user areas including copiers, printers, and computers and reports problems to assigned supervisor.

Operates and reports issues of the automated system (Alma) and assists in training as requested by assigned supervisor.

At the direction of Librarians, assists users in locating information resources.

Delivers basic assistance to students in all aspects of computer and printing usage.

Provides equipment troubleshooting for College copiers.

Performs other duties as assigned.

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These essential job functions are not to be construed as a complete statement of all duties performed; employees will be required to perform other job-related duties as required. An employee with a disability is encouraged to contact the Human Resources Office to evaluate the job in greater detail in order to determine if she/he can perform the essential functions of this job with or without reasonable accommodation.

Knowledge, Skills and Abilities

Minimum Qualifications

Associate's degree from a regionally accredited institution of higher education. An appropriate combination of education and experience may be substituted for degree.

Flexibility to work varied shifts, including evenings and weekends.

Ability to travel to other campus libraries if needed.

Demonstrated experience using a personal computer, Microsoft Office software applications such as MS Word, Excel and Outlook email. Ability to use library-specific databases.

Demonstrated ability to:

- Think critically and creatively, have a high standard of integrity, and be motivated to incorporate best practices into the organizational culture.
- Exhibit a willingness to learn policies, procedures, and regulations pertaining to the position.
- Ability and willingness to make presentations in front of various sized groups.
- Anticipate, investigate, and analyze problems and address them proactively.
- Communicate effectively, both orally and in writing.
- Establish and maintain effective working relationships with all constituencies of the College. Work in a fast-paced, demanding environment.
- Work independently and follow through on assignments.
- Exhibit solid organizational skills and be detail oriented.
- Exercise discretion and good judgment at all times and in all contexts and maintain confidentiality.
- Work effectively with all constituencies of the College.
- Collect, organize, analyze and present information in a meaningful manner.
- Effective working with diverse populations.

Critical Skills/Expertise

All employees are expected to:

- Promote a common purpose consistent with stated College goals and demonstrate a commitment to students and the learning environment.
- Possess the knowledge of general written standards and procedures utilized, and have the ability to read, interpret, and follow procedural and policy manual related to the job tasks.
- Demonstrate the ability to respond to supervision, guidance and direction in a positive, receptive manner and in accordance with stated policies.
- Provide quality customer service by creating a welcoming and supportive environment.

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- Present a professional image in word, action and attire.
- Demonstrate professionalism in dealing with a diverse population while understanding and respecting each other's view of the world, personalities and working styles.
- Conduct oneself in a manner consistent with the College's standards of ethical conduct.
- Apply effective techniques to create working relationships with others to achieve common goals; successfully communicates and collaborates with others to achieve goals.
- Demonstrate skills necessary to look at situations and processes critically to make recommendations for improvement.

Work Conditions/Physical Demands/Special Conditions

Physical: Routinely requires the ability to see, hear, and speak. Routinely requires sitting,

bending, stooping, walking. On occasion, incumbents may be required to lift 20

or more pounds.

Environmental: Normal general office.

Mental: Routinely requires the ability to interpret, analyze and perform critical thinking

skills.

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