

Campus Discipleship Coordinator

Responsibilities:

Serve with the other campus discipleship coordinators and the associate dean of Spiritual Formation to provide Christian growth opportunities for the campus community.

- Work together on projects and activities – at times working on an event as a group and other times each taking responsibility for a particular event or area of ministry.
- Include other students in determining campus needs and in planning and executing ministry programs.

Encourage the awareness, knowledge and practice of Christian disciplines/practices.

- Initiate and coordinate a regular emphasis on **scripture**. This could include individual Bible reading program scripture memory, group discussions, media encouragements & sharing resources, etc.
- Initiate and coordinate a regular **prayer** ministry. This includes hosting the prayer labyrinth for campus and d-groups, campus prayer times, gathering requests from campus, encouraging prayer in and offering resources to other campus groups (d-groups, athletic teams, music groups, etc.).
- Initiate and coordinate activities/groups that encourage **other Christian practices** (e.g. fasting, serving, Sabbath, community, silence, confession, etc.) as a monthly focus or as ongoing practices.

Coordinate retreats.

- Coordinate campus retreat(s) that encourages Christian faith development. These may include
 - An all campus retreat in the fall that encourages connections with others desiring to grow in their Christian life.
 - Opportunities for particular interests or populations (e.g. Vocation and Calling, Stillness, first year students, etc.)

Encourage student involvement with local church congregations (e.g. taking students with you to church, hosting a "church fair" on campus, providing a way for students to connect with others going to the church of their choice, etc.).

Assist staff with special programs that promote exploration of vocation and calling.

Partner with hall discipleship coordinators, other CMT ministries, and others on campus.

- Work closely with other ministries and campus groups regarding involvement with campus discipleship opportunities.
- Partner with other ministries and campus groups to create new opportunities for Christian growth.

Selection Process:

- Cumulative GPA of 2.0 (minimum) and in good academic standing
- Applications online at intranet.nwciowa.edu/cm/
- Deadline for applications: Monday, March 17
- Interviews: March 24, 25, and 26, 2014
- Team announced March 28, 2014
- Questions? Contact Barb Dewald at bdewald@nwciowa.edu

Why Discipleship Ministry? To facilitate Christian spiritual growth opportunities for students.

Commitments:

Commit to growing in relationship with Christ.

Encourage others in their faith development.

Engage with other areas of ministry and campus.

Actively learn about issues of Christian leadership.

Attend all meetings and training opportunities, including the following:

- Spring Student Leadership event
- CMT Orientation beginning Sunday, August 17, 2014 (**CMT must coordinate summer responsibilities to be able to attend orientation. CMT cannot be a RA, on O-Staff or a Multicultural Intern due to schedule conflicts with CMT orientation. Fall varsity athletes and athletic trainers must coordinate their schedule to attend a suitable portion of CMT orientation.**)
- All meetings whose dates and times will be set later.

Accountability and Wages:

- There are three or four Campus Discipleship Coordinator positions.
- Coordinators are accountable to the Associate Dean of Spiritual Formation.
- Coordinators work closely with Hall Discipleship Coordinators and Discipleship Group Leaders.
- Approximately \$1255 stipend per year (5 - 7 hours of work/week expected).
- Student should not have major leadership or work responsibilities in addition to a CMT position.
- CMT students may not have another contracted campus job, however they may be employed as student tutors or with Sodexo.

Expectations of NWC Student Leaders

Student leaders play an important role in the Northwestern community and contribute in significant ways towards accomplishing Northwestern's mission and Vision for Learning. Being selected to serve as a student leader is an honor—it recognizes a student's leadership gifts and potential. Northwestern staff members are committed to mentoring student leaders, helping them to grow in their positions and encouraging them to develop their leadership abilities.

Due to their public roles on campus, Northwestern expects student leaders to follow, support, and enforce the college's standards and guidelines with highest integrity. Northwestern staff will consider potential student leaders' stances on college policies when selecting student leaders. In cases where a current student leader either (a) fails to abide by a campus policy, or (b) actively opposes a campus policy and/or states that they will refuse to live by that policy in the future, consequences may include, but are not limited to, temporary or permanent suspension from their leadership position. Consequences will be determined by the student leader's staff supervisor in conjunction with the Dean of Students on a case-by-case basis.