Student Position Announcement:

2015 Summer STEM Ambassador

Description:

A Summer STEM Ambassador (SSA) will serve as a student representative for the Summer STEM at UMBC initiative. Through personal interactions and social media, the SSA will help promote key components of the initiative, specifically – registration, study groups and on-campus student resources.

Ideally, the SSA will be a current UMBC rising junior or senior majoring in a STEM discipline, or a student who has previously taken core STEM courses at UMBC.

The SSA will have a solid academic foundation with a cumulative 3.2 GPA or better.

The SSA will communicate effectively during small-group presentations and one-on-one interactions.

The SSA will recognize the value of peer supported learning and have experience participating in or leading study groups with fellow students.

The SSA will be viewed as a role model and campus leader - someone with whom other students would want to interact.

Duties and Responsibilities:

Spring Semester (March 30 – May 8; up to 30 hours total):

- Promote the Summer STEM initiative on campus the spring semester
 - Attend on-campus recruiting events
 - Develop content for Social Media Marketing and Alerts

Summer Sessions (May 26 - Aug. 14; 10 to 15 hours a week):

- Promote the Summer STEM initiative during summer session
 - Attend Summer STEM events
 - o In-Class Announcements for academic support opportunities
 - Act as a point of contact for visiting and new Summer STEM students.
- Assist with study group workshops at the beginning of each summer session
- Report weekly to supervisor during summer session activities
- Develop content for social media marketing and blog
- Other duties as assigned

Benefits: This is a paid hourly position.

Application Process:

The application should include the following items in a single .pdf file.

- Resume
- **Statement of Intent** explaining one's interest in this position.
- The names of two references, one of whom is a UMBC faculty member. Please include the individual's title, contact information and a brief description of the association.

Interested students should submit the application by Friday, March 6, 2015 to andrea.miller@umbc.edu with the following subject line: 2015 Summer STEM Ambassador.

Application deadline extended to Thursday, March 12, 2015.