

FUNDRAISING & DEVELOPMENT INTERN

GOAL OF POSITION:

Under the leadership of the Executive Director of The Mix, the Fundraising & Development Intern will provide assistance in the specific areas of fundraising, development, communications, public relations, community outreach, and event planning.

THE FUNDRAISING AND DEVELOPMENT INTERN MUST BE:

- Willing to sign The Mix Statement of Faith.
- Have a passion for the mission of The Mix and fully support the organization's core values.

RESPONSIBILITIES WILL INCLUDE, BUT NOT LIMITED TO:

- 1. Assist the Development Team with building and cultivating donor relationships.
- 2. Communicating with donors in person, over the phone, and in writing.
- 3. Database management tracking of donor contacts.
- 4. Work collaboratively with the development team on local content and support for website and social media.
- 5. Provide administrative support to the development team and volunteers by assisting in ongoing special fundraising event planning and activities.
- 6. Build impactful relationships with staff, students and volunteers during programs.
- 7. Assist in developing timelines and systems to improve the distribution of materials and effectively manage tasks for fundraising events and programs.
- 8. Attend meetings, networking events and speaking opportunities.

- 9. Assist with the quarterly newsletter, including content and writing.
- 10. Other duties as assigned by the Executive Director.

MUST POSSESS:

- 1. Strong understanding of preventative care and importance of proactive approach to social services.
- 2. The ability to work well with individuals and groups of students in a fast-paced and highly detail-oriented environment.
- 3. The ability to work independently and with a team to meet deadlines and complete all tasks with excellence and with minimal management.
- 4. A friendly, responsive, and patient demeanor and outgoing personality.
- 5. Sensitivity to different opinions and adaptability to various personalities.
- 6. Strong communication and interpersonal skills, including both writing and verbal.
- 7. Personal and professional integrity. Committed to excellence.
- 8. Clear and creative thinking.
- 9. Strong organizational skills.
- 10. The ability to lift more than 15 to 20 pounds.

SUCCESSFUL INTERNSHIP/PARTNERSHIP:

It is the desire of The Mix, through our internship program, for each intern to experience hands-on training in a career area of interest and develop practical leadership skills for the future. We encourage interns to:

- 1. Set personal goals for what he/she would like to accomplish during their internship.
- 2. Have regular informational meetings with staff.
- 3. Tackle all tasks with enthusiasm, humility, and a positive attitude.
- 4. Take advantage of opportunities to learn more about the organization.
- 5. Gain exposure to new ideas and people (network).
- 6. Not be afraid of asking questions.
- 7. Take initiative.