



Office of Inclusive Excellence
UNIVERSITY OF GEORGIA

Graduate Assistant for Student Initiatives

The Office of Inclusive Excellence

The mission of the Office of Inclusive Excellence (OIE) is to provide institutional leadership to the focused effort to enhance and maintain a diverse and inclusive environment for learning, teaching, research, and service at The University of Georgia.

Position Description

The Graduate Assistant for Student Initiatives reports to the Associate Director of Student Initiatives and works closely with staff members within the Office of Inclusive Excellence (OIE) to support the coordination and facilitation of the office’s student-centered programs. Additionally, the graduate assistant will serve as the graduate advisor to the office’s student organizations (Georgia African-American Male Experience, Inclusive Excellence Student Committee, Leaders Engaged in Affirming Diversity Fellows), providing leadership and guidance to the students while also supporting their social, academic, and well-being needs by connecting them to institutional resources.

The schedule for this position will be 20 hours per week, requiring work weeknights and weekends as necessary.

General Responsibilities

Coordinate and facilitate assigned departmental programs and initiatives	40%
Provide mentorship and guidance to OIE student organizations and groups	25%
Collaborate with campus partners, alumni, and constituents where appropriate	15%
Represent the office at resource fairs, programs, and other assigned events	10%
Participate in staff meetings, trainings and other scheduled meetings	5%
Other duties and responsibilities assigned	5%

Desired Skills

The successful candidate should possess:

- An ability to envision, create, and execute plans to deliver high-quality programs
- Experience advising or mentoring college students or young adults
- Ability to thrive in a highly autonomous environment
- Demonstrated organizational and problem-solving abilities, attention to detail, written and verbal communication skills
- A talent for effectively balancing and prioritizing multiple responsibilities, and a willingness to take initiative
- High level of professionalism with excellent interpersonal and intercultural skills
- Passion for working with students and campus partners from diverse backgrounds

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