UNIVERSITY OF ALBERTA
AUGUSTANA CAMPUS

Indigenous Student Mentor Program – Peer Educators
Augustana Student Services

The Indigenous Student Mentor Program Peer Educator position is a student leadership position that works closely with Augustana's Aboriginal Students' Office to help welcome, support and mentor self-identified Indigenous students new to campus, and to build community among our Indigenous students as a whole.

Peer Educator Responsibilities (include but are not limited to):

- Connecting with a group of self-identified Indigenous students (incoming and continuing) on a regular basis – including regular emails, in person visits, and group activities;
- Providing friendship, guidance and encouragement to support Indigenous students' transition to and continuing university life at Augustana;
- Helping new and continuing Indigenous students become acquainted with and access various resources, programs, and opportunities available on campus and in Camrose;
- Working with the other Peer Educator(s) and the Indigenous Student Services Coordinator to coordinate and plan monthly community events for all Indigenous students;
- Attending and helping to coordinate Aboriginal Students' Office (ASO) events such as orientation, campus fairs, welcome lunches, fry bread gathering, international week events, end of term celebrations, guest speakers and other ongoing social events, programs, and projects that focus on Indigenous issues or support Indigenous students.

Qualifications:

- Full-time or part-time University of Alberta, Augustana student with a 2.0 GPA or higher;
- Strong interest in developing and maintaining positive relationships with self-identified Indigenous students new to campus;
- Strong interest in fostering a sense of community amongst Indigenous students on campus;
- Excellent organization, communication, interpersonal and time management skills;
- Affable, reliable, empathic and helpful with a strong work ethic and demonstrated leadership qualities;
- Ability and interest in planning and supporting ASO events, programs, and related projects.

Term of Employment: Late August 2019 – April 2020

Rate of Pay: $15.00/hr; up to 32 hours in each of the Fall and Winter terms

Application Deadline: Friday, March 15, 2019

To apply, please submit your résumé and cover letter via email, mail or in person to:

Megan Caldwell
Indigenous Student Services Coordinator
Email: megan.caldwell@ualberta.ca

Address: Aboriginal Students' Office
Room L1-030, Wahkohtowin Lodge
4901 – 46 Avenue Camrose, AB T4V 2R3

We thank all applicants for their interest, however only those individuals selected for an interview will be contacted.

The University of Alberta hires on the basis of merit. We are committed to the principle of equity in employment. We welcome diversity and encourage applications from all qualified women and men, including persons with disabilities, member of visible minorities, and Aboriginal persons.