



**University  
of Dayton**

## **Brook Center Education and Programming Graduate Assistant**

### ***Statement of Inclusive Excellence***

The Division of Student Development recognizes the educational benefits of diversity for students, faculty and staff. We are committed to engaging in reflection, dialogue and experiences that both challenge and affirm multiple perspectives. Our Marianist charism calls us to value the dignity of every person and to advocate for social justice.

### **Overview**

The Brook Center utilizes proactive, evidence-based strategies, primary prevention programming, and best practices to assist students in creating healthy relationships with themselves and others to cultivate an ethic of wellbeing. We create an environment where students can focus on their academic, personal, spiritual, and social growth in a community that encourages individual drive toward growth. Through open dialogue and critical analysis, we empower students to explore their own identities, socialization, and health behaviors to develop agency and authenticity. The Center seeks the holistic development of all students in our Marianist community which values the dignity of each person, so that they may succeed, thrive, and contribute to their communities through positive social change.

This position is an important member of the entire Brook Center team. As such, collaborating within the office on projects related to LGBTQ+ Student Services, Mental Health and Wellbeing Education, and Health Education topics will be a crucial and integral part of the experience. The Graduate Assistant is responsible for supporting the coordination, marketing, and advising of campus-wide programming provided by the Brook Center, which houses health education and wellbeing, mental health education, sexual violence prevention education, and LGBTQ+ student services. This position includes opportunities to program, advise, create and facilitate educational experiences, and gain experience completing a variety of logistical and administrative tasks.

### **Responsibilities**

- Assist in the creation and implementation of educational content related to areas housed in the Brook (some flexibility exists here on which topic the GA focuses on)
- Create campus-wide programming initiatives related Brook Center topics
- Collaborate with offices/organizations to improve programming and education
- Co-advise student groups, such as PAVE, Co-Pilots, Q\*mmunity Leaders, or special interest houses

- Be present at events sponsored by the Brook Center
- Research current trends and best practices
- Collect assessment data from participants and assist in sharing the results with staff and collaborators.
- Maintain social media accounts
- Expected to work some nights and weekends to better assist with campus programming
- Other duties as assigned.

**Professional Development Opportunities**

- Serve as an advisor for one or more student groups
- Support students in their wellbeing goals, including but not limited to: healing from power based personal violence, managing mental health, learning more about their own identities, achieving health goals
- Serve on various departmental and divisional committees

**Remuneration**

- Competitive stipend
- Tuition Remission – Up to 24 credit hours, not to exceed \$15,127/academic year (2020-2021 rate)
- Health Care: Offered enrollment in University of Dayton health care plan as applicable to Graduate Assistants

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