

# **Development and Communications Coordinator**

#### **Position Summary**

The WNY Women's Foundation (WNYWF) seeks an independent, detail-oriented, and organized individual with impeccable judgment and integrity to contribute to the financial sustainability of the organization.

Reports and Responsible To: Director of Development

#### **Essential Functions: Duties and Responsibilities**

The responsibilities of the Development and Communications Coordinator will include, but will not be limited to the following:

#### Communications:

- Lead a team of staff, Board and volunteer content experts to develop a yearly Communication Strategy.
- Responsible for day-to-day social media content (Facebook, Instagram, Twitter, LinkedIn)
- Design social media and event graphics in Canva
- Assist with creation of promotional materials
- o Responsible for updating and maintaining the Foundation's website
- o Responsible for donor and volunteer correspondence, including thank you letters
- Responsible for external communications, including emails and monthly e-newsletters
- Responsible for planning and developing biweekly communications for the Board of Directors and Emeritae Advisory Board
- o Gather analytics for the website, social media, and e-communications

### • Development & Events:

- Cultivate and maintain relationships within the community
- Offer support to third-party fundraisers
- Assist with grant identification, writing, and tracking
- Recruit and coordinate volunteers for events
- Solicit mid-level donors and in-kind donations, including sponsorships
- Act as Development & Communications and Events Committees Liaison (schedule meetings, prepare agendas, send materials, write minutes, etc.)
- Assist with event planning and coordination
- Assist with Donor Database Management, including data entry

The above statement is not to be considered an exhaustive description of the duties which may be required in the position.

#### **Preferred Qualifications**

- Exceptional written, oral, interpersonal, and presentation skills and the ability to effectively interface with staff, volunteer leadership, and community partners.
- Experience with content development, particularly for social media
- Ability to apply an intersectional lens (gender, race, place, ethnicity, sovereignty, socioeconomic class, age, disability, LGBTQ+, immigration status) to ensure the Foundation's commitment to diversity, equity, inclusion.
- Commitment to gender and racial equity, and a passion for the Foundation's mission.
- Demonstrated initiative and a solution-focused attitude
- Ability to make judgments and complete assignments independently, professionally, efficiently, and in a timely manner.
- Self-reliant and results-oriented. Ability to make decisions in a changing environment and anticipate future needs.
- Constant Contact, Hootsuite and DonorPerfect proficiency preferred
- Excel, Word, and PowerPoint proficiency are a must.
- Canva, knowledge of AP Style and video editing skills a plus

## Requirements Necessary to Perform this Job

- Must be willing and able to work and attend events on evenings and weekends as needed.
- Access to reliable transportation to travel off-site and across WNY.

#### **Compensation and Benefits**

- Hourly rate commensurate with experience. Full-time benefits include PTO, Bonus Days, NYS Paid Sick, 401K, contribution towards health, vision and dental.
- 37.5 hour work week. Flexible hours. Hybrid work must be able to work in the office three days per week.
- Pay Range: \$20-\$23/hour

Qualified candidates are encouraged to apply immediately. To apply, please email a letter of interest, including salary requirement, resume, writing sample and three references to: <a href="mailto:resume@wnywfdn.org">resume@wnywfdn.org</a>. Indicate position title in SUBJECT line. The WNY Women's Foundation strongly encourages people of color, LGBTQ individuals, people with disabilities, and members of under-represented communities to apply. Applications will be considered until the position is filled.