

**Job Opening: Planned Giving & Trust Services**

*October 1, 2023*

**MISSION:**

To reach western Washington with the distinctive, Christ-centered Seventh-day Adventist message of hope and wholeness, encouraging all to become fully devoted disciples of Jesus.

**POSITION SUMMARY:**

Performs diverse office and/or secretarial duties for the Planned Giving & Trust Services Department of the Washington Conference. Assist in designated administrative duties using initiative and sound judgment. Requires high level of technical (well-developed keyboard/computer, etc.) skills, confidentiality, high levels of tact, friendliness, customer service and other aspects of strongly developed interpersonal skills plus proven organizational skills.

**ESSENTIAL FUNCTIONS:**

* Maintain a well-organized office, often in the absence of supervisor, with efficient filing system.
* Produce, mail, file, and scan important correspondence as needed.
* Schedule and maintain department calendar of events.
* Screen telephone calls - responds to routine/non-routine inquiries and refers complex or unusual inquiries to supervisor or to appropriate offices.
* Process incoming mail-opening, dating, sorting.
* Produce professional correspondence or other written material.
* Process all routine purchase orders as needed by department.
* Assist supervisor in preparation of various committee agendas, performs recording secretary functions for committees. Includes taking and producing minutes for supervisor review, following the standardized notification process of committee actions.
* Serve as custodian of minutes, documents and records of the administration office and can retrieve the same as needed.
* Assist supervisor in preparing reports, special projects, etc. as needed.
* Maintain client’s database and mail birthday cards to all in advance.
* Plan and organize social activities for the department when desired and approved.
* Carry much of the office responsibilities when the supervisors are gone or in meetings.
* Cover receptionist/front desk on a weekly basis
* Assist and support with SAGE ministries
* Other duties as assigned by supervisor and Human Resource department.

**Qualifications/Requirements**

* **Education:**
* Administrative assistant related degree/certification or equivalent experience recommended.
* **Membership** in a local, Washington Conference church
* A Seventh-day Adventist member in good standing who has extensive knowledge of the practices and beliefs of the Seventh-day Adventist church
* Must be willing to contribute tithes and offerings to the local church
* **Competencies** (skills and personal characteristics that an individual should possess to be successful in this position)
* Ability to carry out duties and meet deadlines independently.
* Requires high level of technical (well-developed keyboard/computer, Microsoft office, Google docs, etc.) skills, confidentiality, high levels of tact, friendliness, customer service and other aspects of strongly developed interpersonal skills plus proven organization skills.
* Effectively communicate with written, visual and verbal skills
* Establish and maintain cooperative and effective working relationships with others
* Solve problems proactively
* Maintain confidential information appropriately and exercise good judgment when communicating to the public
* Work independently with little direction
* Adaptable and able to evaluate priorities.
* Ability to perform secretarial and support duties with speed and accuracy without constant supervision.
* Must be creative in writing letters and in the handling of office affairs, both regular and special.
* Knowledge of up-to-date office procedures such as office equipment, telephone techniques and filing and the English language.
* Must be able to facilitate good communication with all who are in contact with the office.
* Ability to work on deadlines both independently and as part of a team

**HOURLY RATE:**

$18 - $24

***Wage Details***

Pay is based on Community Wage Scale. Pay will also be based on multiple factors, including, and not limited to relevant experience/level and skillset.

**BENEFITS:**

Washington Conference pay and benefits can vary by number of regularly scheduled hours worked, length of employment, and employment status.

* Employer retirement and matching contributions
* Annual bonus
* Holiday and paid time off

**ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:**

* Apply by 7:00 PM Pacific Time on 11/30/2023
* Employment Type: Part-Time (20+ hours)
* FLSA Status: Hourly Non-Exempt
* Work Location: WA Conference Office in Federal Way

**EQUAL EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY**

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