LEx Leader for Discovery Program Job Description

The Discovery Program is a 3-day, 2-night immersive experience to serve as an extended orientation program. Students who participate will get to explore one of four concentration areas: adventure, sustainability, community service, or social justice.

Through interactions with student leaders, new students will be able to learn more about resources available to them at Rutgers University and find community with their peers. Students will be challenged to widen their perspectives on economic, social, political, and environmental injustices and how they interconnected through reflection.

The Discovery Program Leaders will be required to attend and assist with the program to be held from Tuesday, August 28th – Thursday, August 30th. LEx Discovery Leaders will be required to move in on Saturday, August 25th, 2018 to begin training.

The leaders for this program will help recruit first-year students to attend the program by attending New Student Orientation Summer Sessions, attend all LEx Discovery Leader trainings, attend all LEx leader trainings, facilitate small and large group experiences, and serve as a mentor for the first-year students. Leaders will facilitate and participate in a wide variety of activities (based on track selection) that will help the first-year students develop a sense of community and develop their leadership skills before they arrive at Rutgers.

Important Dates:

- Applications Due: February 12, 2018 @ 11:59 PM
- Group Interview Process: February 14, 2018 @ 8:30 PM
- Interviews: Friday, February 16, 2018 - Saturday, February 17, 2018

* Are you interested in applying to be a LEx Leader for Discovery Program?

  - Yes
  - No
Returning LEx Leader for Discovery Program Application

Please Note: In order to be considered, you MUST be available to live on campus from August 25, 2018 through August 30, 2018. On campus housing will be provided for you during this time. If you are unable to be available during these dates, you will not be eligible to be a LEx Leader for Discovery Program.

* Are you able to attend the Group Interview Process on Wednesday, February 14 @ 8:30 PM?

  ○ Yes
  ○ No

If you are unable to attend the Group Process Interview, please provide your reason why:


* If given the choice, which position would you most like to fill? (1 = First Choice, 2 = Second Choice 3 = Third Choice)

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* Why do you want to return as a leader for Discovery? As a returner, what skills and knowledge do you bring to help make impactful and meaningful improvements to the Discovery Program? (75 Word Limit)

* Please describe at least 2 experiences you have had over the past year that would make you a good mentor for the incoming LEx Leaders for Discovery Program. (75 Word Limit)