

OPEN POSITION POSTING

Opening Date: 11/04/2019 Closing Date: Until Filled

Position Title: Missional Lifestyle Strategist for Adult & Multicultural

Department/Division: Woman's Missionary Union of Texas (WMU)

Job Type: Regular Full-Time, Exempt

Location: Dallas, TX

BASIC FUNCTION:

To develop and implement a strategy for missions education for all adult and multicultural audiences and to serve as a liaison between Woman's Missionary Union of Texas (WMU) and the local church.

<u>Position description/objective:</u> NOTE: Some descriptions may have more specific duties and/or goals and objectives attached to this form. Such attachments normally reflect unique aspects of specific locations, shifts, departments, etc.

- 1. Develop and implement a strategy for missions education among all multicultural and adult audiences; submit annual goals and plan of work to be implemented that will support the organization's mission, vision, values and priorities.
- 2. Serve as a strategist, consultant and liaison between WMU of Texas and all adult groups and multicultural WMU organizations.
- 3. Maintain professional growth through continuing education, skill development and professional involvement in the areas of missiology and multicultural missions education.
- 4. Manage the budget for adult and multicultural missions education organizations.
- 5. Prepare and provide to the Executive Director-Treasurer reports of the progress of adult and multicultural missions education for continued evaluation and development of ministries, events and resources.
- 6. Promote awareness of and participation in the Mary Hill Davis Offering[®] and Week of Prayer for Texas Missions.
- 7. Promote WMU of Texas Endowments to adult and multicultural audiences.
- 8. Create and facilitate workshops and training for missions leaders. Design handouts and presentations as needed. Identify and cultivate the ministry potential of others.

- 9. Maintain compliance with WMU of Texas and Baptist General Convention of Texas (BGCT) policies and procedures. Maintain compliance with all state and federal laws and regulatory requirements.
- 10. Prepare and speak at various events including but not limited to luncheons, associational meetings, board meeting, annual meeting, etc.
- 11. Implement missions strategies that incorporate the needs of adult and multicultural audiences.
- 12. Create, organize, implement and evaluate missions education resources.

Required skills and experience: NOTE: These requirements represent minimum levels in order to perform the job on a satisfactory basis. Candidates must have the ability to satisfactorily perform the essential functions of the job.

- 1. Proficient bi-lingual (English, Spanish) communication skills.
- 2. In-depth understanding of a comprehensive field of knowledge, generally acquired through earned Bachelor's degree in a related field. Master's degree in a ministry related field preferred, and at least three (3) years or more experience in working with WMU and multicultural audiences.
- 3. Active membership in a church supportive of the BGCT during employment; have a deep sense of God's call in life to serve in missions discipleship, being able to articulate that call; and consistently demonstrate a spiritual lifestyle; commitment to Christian principles and teachings both professionally and personally, with an understanding and commitment to Baptist distinctives.
- 4. An in-depth understanding and sensitivity to customs and views of multicultural people.
- 5. Ability to relate positively, influentially, and sensitively to a broad spectrum of persons in a variety of multi-tiered relationships and settings to include but not limited to clergy, laity, institutional staff/faculty, various Baptist organizations, churches of all sizes, cultural identities and worship styles, board and council members, Baptists of Texas and beyond.
- 6. Ability to establish and maintain effective working relationships with staff, vendors, churches, committees, organizations, etc.; relational skills for all cultures, ages, and with both sexes. Must be respectful of different customs.
- 7. Proficient ability to plan, administer, and report budgets.
- 8. Ability to provide strategic and logistical planning and facilitate meetings, conferences, workshops, and retreats as required.
- 9. Good listening skills, interpersonal skills, and relationship building skills.
- 10. Good demonstrated leadership skills necessary to appropriately influence people to achieve a desired outcome.
- 11. Possession of a current passport and ability to travel to various geographic locations and some overnight stays. This may require driving and flying, on your own, for various events in-state and across the US.
- 12. Ability to maintain confidentiality.
- 13. Proficient ability to exhibit detail-oriented skills necessary to understand and manage a wide-range of information from a vast amount of entities; to concentrate on fine detail with some interruption; to focus attention on tasks for 45-60 minutes at a time on a continuous basis.
- 14. Good organizational skills; ability to multi-task.
- 15. Professionalism in the office and in the field to include appearance and accurate communication with others.
- 16. Advanced working knowledge and ability to use various office software including, but not limited to, Microsoft Word and Microsoft Publisher; proficiency with interacting on social media

- platforms such as Facebook, Pinterest and Instagram. Understands administering Facebook groups and pages.
- 17. Ability to use up to 50 pounds of force occasionally and/or up to 20 pounds of force frequently and/or 10 pounds continuously to move objects (setting up, tearing down at events, packing...etc.)
- 18. Ability to grasp, push, pull, carry or otherwise manipulate objects; ability to perform tasks requiring action of muscles or groups of muscles and foot and/or hand-eye coordination.

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