

JUNIOR FACULTY ADVISOR (PHOTO) POSITION

George Mason University and the Washington Scholars Program (WSP) seek a dynamic and enthusiastic individual to fill the positions of Junior Faculty Advisor for Photography and Videography for 3 week-long residential student leadership conferences held June 23-28, July 7-12, and July 14-19, 2019. The programs, the Washington Youth Summit on the Environment (WYSE) and the Washington Journalism and Media Conference (WJMC), bring together over 900 of the nation's brightest rising high school juniors and seniors for an experiential and intensive conference focusing on leadership and environmental science/journalism. The students will reside on the Fairfax campus of George Mason University while taking advantage of Washington, D.C. and venues such as the Newseum, the National Zoo, National Geographic, the National Press Club, and the U.S. Capitol. Detailed program information and a tentative schedule can be found at wjmc.gmu.edu and wyse.gmu.edu.

Job Description:

The Junior Faculty Advisor (PHOTO) will be responsible for assisting the photographer/videographer with shooting pictures, video, editing, and creating a final product each day. Junior Faculty Advisors reside in on campus with a roommate for the duration of the conference.

Job Requirements:

- Bachelor of Arts or Bachelor of Science degree in progress
- Must be 18 years of age
- Videography and digital editing
- Canon shooter preferred; Nikon or Sony Alpha accepted
- Final Cut or Adobe Premiere; Adobe After Effects or other Adobe Suite applications a bonus
- This position requires independent video shooting, (B-Roll, Interviews, OTFs), with editing supervised by Director
- This person must be available for all three weeks of WSP programming
- A good fit for someone who likes fast-paced work on various subjects and themes and possesses a good attitude even when carrying equipment around in the heat of DC summers
- Big personalities welcome as this will require the ability to gather interviews and sound bites at moment's notice and establish reports with high-profile experts and students alike
- A high energy level, flexibility and the ability to work extended days and hours
- Ability to reside on campus at George Mason University for the entire conference week
- Attend a mandatory training session immediately prior to the conference and participate in several conference calls leading up to the conference
- Pass a mandatory criminal background check
- U.S. citizenship or lawful permanent residency

Dates:

WYSE – June 23 to 28 (housing provided)

WJMC 1 – July 7 to 12 (housing provided)

WJMC 2 – July 14 to 19 (housing provided)

*Housing is provided on the off nights between the 2 WJMC sessions, July 12 and 13

Application Process:

Interested candidates should review the conference details at wjmc.gmu.edu and wyse.gmu.edu and submit a letter of interest and resume, including references to:

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Application deadline is April 19, 2019