Library Specialist-Part Time

DEPARTMENT: Academic-Library

WORK LOCATION: Grand Rapids-W.A. Lettinga Campus

POSITION PAY RANGE: \$13.00 - 20.00, Hourly (*Please note: Actual pay offered will be commensurate with candidate qualifications and experience, the type of role, pay equity and available funding*)

SUMMARY:

Provide for the day-to-day maintenance of Library operations. These responsibilities are performed in an ethical manner consistent with the University's mission, vision, and values which include diversity, equity and inclusion.

RESPONSIBILITIES:

- 1. Assist Library Manager in implementing established library policies and services.
- 2. Manage routine library operations, weeding, process materials, assist with scheduled inventory cycle and maintain daily statistics, records, files, and student accounts.
- 3. Perform automated circulation functions, including fee collection, payments, inter-library loans (ILLs), and library materials notices.
- Troubleshoot software and hardware issues by providing patrons with technology support and assistance, especially Student Accounts/Mail, Microsoft Word, Excel, PowerPoint, and machines such as OPACs, PC's, printers, and copiers.
- 5. Provide basic reference services, including the use of print and electronic resources.
- 6. Answer patron queries in person and on the phone, including placing requests and renewal of materials, and interprets library policies and procedures.
- 7. Oversee library operations in absence of local leadership.
- 8. Maintain serials collection.
- 9. Serve as an advocate for the Library.
- 10. Provide assistance as needed with other library services provided at the campus location (ie: academic testing and computer lab functions).
- 11. Provides GREAT customer service, anticipating and exceeding the needs of our customers.
- 12. Demonstrate and promote the University Cultural Values.
- 13. Perform other duties as assigned.

QUALIFICATIONS:

- Bachelor degree required.
- 1-2 years of professional experience working in library preferred.
- Demonstrated ability to work with minimal supervision and to initiate work on projects independently.
- Strong customer service commitment.
- Demonstrated ability to set and accomplish goals, work under pressure, and meet deadlines.
- Demonstrated ability to work accurately and effectively with computerized systems.
- Demonstrated ability to work effectively with people of diverse backgrounds and promote a positive working environment, spirit of cooperation and positive reactions to change and conflict resolution.
- Demonstrated excellent interpersonal, communication and presentation skills, both written and oral which transcend diverse audiences.
- Demonstrated ability to communicate effectively and relate well to students, faculty, staff, and others while maintaining appropriate confidentiality.
- Demonstrated motivational and problem solving capabilities with a high degree of integrity, ethics, and dedication to the mission of the University.

• Must be able to work an irregular schedule, evenings or weekends, additional hours during peak times or as required.