



ANNOUNCEMENT

Graduate Practicum Counselor/Intern Training Position 2009 - 2010

The Weber State University Counseling & Psychological Services Center (CPSC) is pleased to accept applications for two (2) graduate practicum counselor/intern positions to begin Fall 2009 (exact start date is negotiable). Duties primarily include individual counseling, with additional opportunities for couples counseling, group counseling, outreach, and other developmental experiences as available and appropriate.

Weber State University (WSU) is a primarily undergraduate institution of approximately 22,000 students, with a substantial nontraditional population. The main campus of WSU is located in Ogden, Utah, approximately 35 miles north of Salt Lake City. Please visit the university website at www.weber.edu for further campus information.

CPSC has a staff of eight mental health professionals and one part-time psychiatrist. Services are provided within a brief therapy model on both Ogden and Davis campuses. Because WSU is an open-enrollment institution, and because students, faculty, and staff members are eligible for CPSC services, our clientele tends to be more diverse than that of many university counseling centers. This provides a rich training environment. Please visit the CPSC website at <http://weber.edu/counselingcenter> for further information about the center.

Practicum Information:

1. Position responsibilities:

- Academic year commitment (minimally fall and spring semesters)
- 14-20 hours per week minimum time commitment
- Provision of a minimum of 8-12 hours/week of individual therapy hours per week
- Participation in one outreach presentation per semester to the WSU community
- Provision of one case presentation per semester to CPSC staff
- Provision of one inservice presentation per academic year to CPSC staff
- Active engagement in two hours of formal, individual supervision per week provided by appropriately qualified mental health providers.

2. Practicum student will be required to furnish proof of own professional liability policy.

3. Every therapy session must be recorded, utilizing the new state-of-the art digital recording system at CPSC.

4. Adherence to APA principles and standards of care, including guidelines related to record keeping and treatment of minority populations.

5. Each position provides a stipend of \$3,000 per academic year.

Minimum Expectations:

1. Master's or doctoral student in APA-accredited program in Counseling or Clinical Psychology.
2. At least one year of prior supervised clinical experience, including provision of individual treatment, some of which must have served adult outpatient clients.
3. Must be registered in appropriate practicum/internship course and have approval of associated coordinator at the respective university.

To Apply:

Please send a brief cover letter outlining your interest in receiving training at a university counseling center and any relevant experience. Include a vita and the names and contact information for at least two clinical supervisors. Qualified candidates of interest will be contacted for an interview.

- Please note that completion of a background check is necessary prior to being offered a practicum/intern appointment. Background checks are conducted by Weber State University Police. Associated fees are the responsibility of the student.

Preferably, application materials are to be sent via e-mail to: drangel@weber.edu

If needed, they can be sent via postal service to:

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Applications accepted immediately; positions will remain open until filled. Screening will begin on Monday, April 13, 2009.

Weber State University is an AA/EO employer and acts in compliance with all aspects of the ADA. Members of under-represented groups are encouraged to apply.