

Cañada College

College of San Mateo

Skyline College

GENERIC POSITION DESCRIPTION

DEAN OF GLOBAL LEARNING PROGRAMS & SERVICES

An Administrative Position Grade AD

A. General Statement

The Dean of Global Learning Programs and Services is responsible to the Vice President of Instruction for administration of the division programs and services, including the International Student Program, African Diaspora, the Center for International Trade Development, Small Business Incubation Center, Education/Study Abroad Program, Youth Entrepreneurship Program and other programs and services developed in the division.

B. Duties & Responsibilities

The duties below are representative of the duties of the classification and are not intended to cover all of the duties performed by the incumbent(s) of any particular position. The omission of specific statements of duties does not exclude them from the position if the scope of work is similar, related, or a logical assignment to this classification.

- 1. Provide leadership, management, and development for the division's day, evening, and weekend programs throughout the year
- 2. Oversee hiring of faculty and classified staff for the division and recommend personnel actions to the appropriate Vice President
- 3. Supervise faculty and classified staff and oversee their evaluation
- 4. Organize and supervise the operation of the division office
- 5. Provide leadership and oversight for the International Student Program including international student success on campus, admissions, administrative support for students including SEVIS, and recruiting strategies for growing the program
- 6. Oversee the programs and operations including: Center for International Trade Development, International Students Program, Education/Study Abroad Program, Youth Entrepreneurship Program, Small business Incubator Center, African Diaspora Program
- 7. In collaboration with faculty and staff, identify program needs and encourage innovation and the development of curriculum
- 8. Support a variety of methods of program delivery, including computer-assisted instruction and distance learning
- 9. In collaboration with appropriate college staff and faculty, ensure course and program articulations are kept current
- 10. Develop, administer, and advocate for the division budget in a manner that supports the health of all departments

- 11. With faculty and staff, and in collaboration with other instructional administrators, coordinate the preparation of division class schedules, catalogs, brochures and other printed materials
- 12. Facilitate grant applications for the division, manage new and existing grants, and prepare required reports
- 13. Serve as liaison with other college divisions and services, advisory committees, individual students and student groups, and appropriate off-campus groups
- 14. Serve as an active member of the College administrative team to address college-wide issues, concerns, and planning, including facilities restructuring and development; serve on College and District committees, as assigned
- 15. Organize and lead the annual division planning and budgeting process in concert with college goals, mission, vision and values; provide leadership for departmental program reviews
- 16. Work with students, faculty, and staff to constructively resolve problems and conflicts
- 17. Provide leadership in staff and faculty development, including division meetings and retreats
- 18. Perform other duties as assigned by the Vice President of Instruction

C. Requirements

- 1. Possession of a Master's degree from an accredited institution
- 2. One year of formal training, internship, or leadership experience reasonably related to the managerial assignment
- 3. Ability to communicate effectively and constructively with persons of diverse cultures, language groups, and abilities. Demonstrated sensitivity to and ability to work with the diverse academic, socioeconomic, cultural, and ethnic backgrounds of community college students, faculty, and staff, including those with disabilities.

D. Physical/Other Requirements

This classification requires data comparison, analysis and interpretation; conceptualization; oral communication with small and large groups; persuasive communication; negotiation; confrontation; conflict resolution; coordinating work performed by others; tact, sensitivity, patience; flexibility and adaptability; good memory; attention to details; and prioritization in order to perform the essential functions.

E. Knowledge, Skills & Abilities

- 1. Successful teaching and/or service experience in disciplines/programs and services that are related to global/international issues that are a part of the Global Learning Division evidence of ability to provide leadership that inspires, encourages autonomy, and provides guidance to faculty and staff
- 2. Evidence of sustained involvement, initiative, and leadership in instructional activities
- 3. Ability to develop, organize, and coordinate diverse instructional programs and services to achieve college and division goals
- 4. Ability to elicit and coordinate recommendations from division faculty and staff, and ability to represent effectively the division and its goals at college and district levels
- 5. Ability to recognize, respond to, and encourage innovative practices
- 6. Ability to facilitate the development and administration of faculty and staff hiring, curriculum, budget, staff development, and performance evaluation
- 7. Ability to manage the Division office and other support services to assist faculty, staff and students
- 8. Demonstrated ability to communicate and problem solve effectively with district and college administrators, faculty, staff, students, and the public
- 9. Awareness of and commitment to the goals of shared governance
- 10. Evidence of organizational skills, including prioritization and delegation
- 11. Commitment to support, develop, and implement instructional programs related to equity and Basic Skills initiatives
- 12. Familiarity with and willingness to use or to encourage the use of computer-based technology for management of the division and for instructional purposes, such as curriculum development and outcomes tracking

- 13. Experience in or willingness to support, develop, implement and assess outcomes of programs that lead to the success of all students, including underrepresented groups
- 14. Knowledge of accreditation standards and their implementation
- 15. Experience in articulating curriculum and programs with both university and high school faculty
- 16. Successful experience in grant writing and management
- 17. Demonstrated ability to form and maintain community and industry partnerships
- 18. Ability to work collaboratively with faculty, staff and administration to plan and implement facilities modifications
- 19. Commitment to programs that encourage pre-collegiate students to pursue education

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