Graduate Assistant for Club Sports/Communications

Location: Erie
Department: Athletics
Reports To: Assistant Athletic Director Marketing and Communications
Full/Part Time: Part Time
Closes: Open until filled

POSITION SUMMARY:
Mercyhurst University is seeking a highly motivated individual to fill our Graduate Assistant Club Sports position.

Compensation: The stipend is $7,500 (9-months) in addition to a 100% tuition waiver. The student must maintain satisfactory academic progress: 3.0 GPA at a 75% completion rate.

PRIMARY RESPONSIBILITIES:
• Contribute to the Athletics department website and all social media platforms, with content type ranging from written, graphic design and multimedia/video with a focus on club sports.
• Work closely with the director of club hockey in all aspects of the club hockey program.
• Directly responsible for all publicity efforts in club sports including web streaming of club hockey.
• Plan, facilitate and execute event operations for club hockey including the management of student employees.
• Travel with teams as necessary.
• As needed, drive club sports teams to/from competition and practices.
• Assist athletic administration with projects, events and gameday administration as needed.
• Perform other related duties incidental to the work described herein.

QUALIFICATIONS:

Required:
The candidate must have bachelor’s degree in a related field and accepted into a Mercyhurst graduate degree program (https://www.mercyhurst.edu/admissions-aid/grad). Additionally, candidates should have a great work ethic, be open to learning, confident in current skills, and possess professional communication skills. Qualified applicants must have the availability to work evenings and weekends. The ability to work in a fast-paced, deadline-driven environment, with an emphasis on multi-tasking and working within a team environment while filling a variety of roles.

APPLICATION PROCESS:
Review of applications will begin immediately and continue until the position is filled. Send cover letter, resume and 3 work-related references to:

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Mercyhurst University
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**Candidates must be currently eligible to work in the United States.**