



PITTSBURGH THEOLOGICAL SEMINARY JOB DESCRIPTION
FELLOWS & COMMUNITY-ENGAGEMENT COORDINATOR
PART-TIME (28 HRS. / WK.), TEMPORARY POSITION THROUGH MAY 2019
JOB POSTING

INSTITUTION SUMMARY:

Founded in 1794, Pittsburgh Theological Seminary is a graduate theological school of the Presbyterian Church (U.S.A.) offering masters' and advanced degrees as well as certificate programs. Pittsburgh Seminary prepares women and men for ministries in established and emerging Christian communities around the world. Rooted in the Reformed tradition and with a centuries-old history of mission and scholarship in service of the church, the Seminary is committed to relationships of mutual learning and serving with Christ-followers from other traditions and theological viewpoints. Our faculty and educational resources cultivate theologically reflective and contextually engaged Christian leaders. Our programs nurture vocational formation for bearing witness to the gospel of Jesus Christ. Our student body is comprised of Presbyterians, Baptists, Methodists, Episcopalians, Orthodox, and more than 20 other traditions from more than 30 U.S. states and countries around the world.

Pittsburgh Seminary is fortunate to have recently completed a successful capital campaign which included our largest bequest to date. These funds, along with others, are now supporting the work of the new strategic plan which includes innovations in the areas of collaboration, access, resources, and diversity. Over the years, the Seminary has been prudent with spending from its endowment, which is now one of the largest among all free-standing seminaries.

ESSENTIAL DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES:

The Fellows and Community-Engagement Coordinator is responsible for structuring a robust program embedded in the community, recruiting program fellows, coordinating partnerships and research activities, supervising fellows, evaluating program impact at the Seminary.

Under the direction of the Director of the Metro-Urban Institute, the Fellows and Community-Engagement Coordinator will develop, recruit for and manage fellows program.

Primary Responsibilities include:

- Lead the planning and execution of the Metro-Urban Institute Urban Leadership Series
- Provide oversight and development for MUI Fellows and the overall Fellows Program
- Actively recruit fellows both within PTS and at partnering institutions
- Work with MUI Director and related committee to select Fellows
- Develop and manage partnerships with community agencies and local mentors
- Support MUI Fellows in research and knowledge development during their program
- Work with community partners to develop programming
- Attend community meetings
- Evaluate all fellowship program components
- Work with MUI Director to develop research agenda
- Connect teaching and research to produce congregation/community engagement tools and resources



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EDUCATION/QUALIFICATIONS / REQUIREMENTS:

Master's Degree preferred
Excellent verbal and written communications skills
Outstanding negotiation ability
Prior experience supervising people and/or projects
Must maintain professional demeanor in all situations
Demonstrated organizational skills
Proficiency in Microsoft Office – Word, Excel, PowerPoint, Outlook (MS Project preferred)

This job description is intended as a summary of the primary responsibilities and qualifications for this position. The job description is not intended as inclusive of all duties an individual in this position might be asked to perform or of all qualifications that may be required either now or in the future.

JOB LOCATION:

616 North Highland Avenue, Pittsburgh, PA 15206

EQUAL EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY:

Pittsburgh Theological Seminary affirms the commitment of the Presbyterian Church (USA) to a diverse workplace and equal opportunity. The Seminary also complies with all applicable federal, state, and local laws and executive orders relating to equal opportunity in employment.

EXPECTATION FOR ALL EMPLOYEES:

Support the mission of the Pittsburgh Theological Seminary by participating in God's ongoing mission in the world. Pittsburgh Theological Seminary is a community of Christ joining in the Spirit's work of forming and equipping both people for ministries familiar and yet to unfold and communities present and yet to be gathered.

Abide by the current laws and organizational policies and procedures designed and implemented to promote an environment that is free of harassment and other forms of illegal discriminatory behavior in the work place.

TO APPLY:

Interested candidates should provide a cover letter and resume. Application materials should be submitted careers@pts.edu. Please list position title in the email subject line – Fellows & Community-Engagement Coordinator.

Applications will be accepted through October 12, 2018. Pittsburgh Theological Seminary will conduct a background check on all final candidates.