

| Department: | STUDENT LIFE OFFICE |
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| Position: | (5) 2-yr. SLO Graduate Assistantship Positions |
| Hours/Week: | 20-Hours per week including nights/weekends |
| Contract Dates: | 9-month contract beginning August 1 st – April 30 th , Re-newable |
| Supervisor: | Cecilia Brinker |
| Supervisor Contact: | <u>cbrinker@eiu.edu</u> , (217) 581-3829 |
| Benefits: | Tuition-waiver, Stipend - \$7,875/Annually, \$875/ Per Month; Dining |
| | Dollars Meal Plan - \$400 /Per Semester |

Duties and Responsibilities:

The Student Life Office seeks graduate degree candidates in the College Student Affairs Program, or other related field to provide graduate-level administrative and supervisory staff support to the day-to-day Student Life Office operations, events and programs. Primary areas of responsibility include staff advisement of the *University Board campus entertainment*, *Black Student Union (BSU)*, *Latin American Student Organization (LASO)*, and the *EIU Student Government*. In addition, primary responsibilities and duties include *Major University Events/Traditions* -Large scale Concerts, PROWL Wknd, Pantherfest, Union Up All Nights, First Night, Pantherpalooza, Homecoming Week, Family Weekend, Pantherstock Spring Fling, MBEIU Scholarship Pageant and more. In addition Secondary areas of advisement include - Leadership Support Services, Diversity in Action Council (DAC) and Registered Student Organizations.

Special Qualifications:

- Bachelor's Degree from an accredited college or university and admittance into a graduate degree-seeking program within EIU
- Undergraduate cumulative GPA of at least 2.75 (on 4.0 scale)
- Maintain full-time graduate student status and completion of Master's Degree Program
- Past participation or leadership experience in Student Activities
- Willingness to work evenings/weekends
- Strong interpersonal, written and oral communication skills
- Effective organizational, event planning, marketing, time management and supervisory skills
- Demonstrated ability to work with and advise students/student groups of diverse cultural backgrounds; sensitivity to and appreciation of campus diversity
- Previous undergraduate experience in campus entertainment, multicultural, student governance, student organizations, student leadership programming areas a plus!