



Student Labor Position Description

Multi Work-Learning-Service Level Form

(For combining up to two Work-Learning-Service levels (WLS) on the same form)

Department Name: Public Relations

Org. #: 5030

Position Title: Imaging Assistant

WLS Levels: 1 -- 2 Position Codes: S37257 , S37258

Contract Hours: As defined by the status form and/or the grade level descriptions

Current Revision Year: 2010

WORK-LEARNING-SERVICE LEVELS (WLS)

- **WLS 1 – Entry Level** – This level is assigned to the following:
 1. All entering students during the first year of enrollment (or first term if entering mid-year); and
 2. Students of any classification whose work is characterized by highly structured tasks or outcomes, relatively low level or number of skills required, typically repetitive or routine tasks, and requiring direct supervision of worker results
 - **WLS 2 – Intermediate Level** – This work typically involves less direct supervision than WLS Level 1, perhaps more work variety, and requires some independent exercise of judgment along with an increasing knowledge of the job.
 - **WLS 3 – Skilled Level** – The work is typically skilled, requires little direct supervision, requires independent judgment on procedures, has variety and depth. The work includes helping in the training of others and the expectation of contributions toward improvement of the way work is carried out.
 - **WLS 4 – Advanced Level** – Normally involves the supervision of other students, the ability to apply advanced skills, and the capacity to assume higher levels of responsibilities for departmental operations. As with WLS Level 3, the work is typically skilled, requires little direct supervision, allows for independent judgment on procedures, and has variety and depth. The work includes helping in the training of others and the expectation of contributions toward improvement of the way work is carried out. Labor Departments may require WLS level 4 positions to be more than the minimum 10 hour commitment; if so, the Status Form will reflect this requirement.
 - **WLS 5 – Management Level – Must be a 15 hour commitment – Allocation of a WLS Level 5 is limited and must be approved by the Dean of Labor / Labor Team.** *Prerequisite: One term at WLS level 3 or 4 and no forms of academic, labor, or social probation.*

This level demands an understanding of departmental policies and relationships. Students are expected to develop and model strong interpersonal / communication skills in the workplace. In addition, students must demonstrate autonomy, high level skills, and assume advanced level responsibilities for departmental functions and/or programs. This level is assigned to the following:

 - Student managers in the department; or
 - Students responsible for managing highly technical positions within the department; or
 - Master level student artisans
 - **WLS 6 – Director Level – Must be a 15 hour commitment – Allocation of a WLS level 6 is limited and must be approved by the Labor Program Council.** *Prerequisite: One term at level 4 or 5 and no forms of academic, labor, or social probation.*

Students assigned to this level serve as role models as workers and as students, displaying behaviors and values that are consistent with the Berea College Workplace Expectations -- both on and off the job. These positions require the highest levels of worker autonomy, advanced skills sets, and supervisory responsibilities for individuals, student managers, and departmental operations. Students must be involved in the following:

 - Supervision of other student managers; or
 - Supervision of students in highly technical positions
 - **WLS UC -- Unclassified** – The positions of Student Government Association President, Campus Activities Board chair, chimes Editor, and pinnacle Editor are unclassified. These positions involve the highest levels of autonomy and responsibility as in the case of WLS level 6 positions.
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I. WLS Levels 1 -- 2

II. Description Of Duties For This Position:

A. The following duties are assigned to WLS level 1:

1. The Document Imaging Assistant will analyze, organize and scan documents/files to create a computerized, electronic record for storage and retrieval.
2. Proof electronic files for quiaity and accuracy.
3. Work cooperatively with other imaging students and supervisor.
4. Oversee that the workplace and environments are clean and occasionally assist in other areas of Public Relations.

B. In addition, WLS level 2 would be responsible for the following duties:

1. Same duties as level 1, but should have less errors and work more independently.
2. Assistants should understand the importance of document imaging and remain focused with little supervision.

III. Learning Opportunities For This Position:

- A. The following are learning opportunities for WLS level 1 :
 - 1. Learn about Berea College from a unique professional perspective.
 - 2. Learn about office routines, etiquette, punctuality and dependability.
 - 3. Learn to prioritize work and follow through on assigned tasks.
 - 4. Learn about team-based work environments.

- B. In addition, the following are learning opportunities for WLS level 2 :
 - 1. Same as above but more opportunity for growth and responsibility due to less supervision.

IV. Qualifications Needed For This Position (Indicate Any That Are WLS Level Specific):

- A. Willingness to accept tasks as assigned.
- B. Confidentiality is required.
- C. Must be dependable and responsible with respect for the college.
- D. Must have ability to follow directions, pay attention to detail and remain focused.
- E. Computer knowledge is important, Level 2 must have experience with scanning software.
- F. A clean, neat appearance with appropriate mode of dress is important as well.
- G. Some lifting is required.
- H. Student should be in good standing with all various College departments and policies.
- I. The students who work in Public Relations are a very important part to the office and the departments where work is performed.
- J. The duties listed above are but a representative sampling of the kinds of duties and responsibilities of the Document Imaging Assistants of a varied nature that are designed to fulfill the needs of the office's responsibilities in support of Public Relations.