# JOB DEVELOPER Career Placement Services

### **OVERVIEW:**

Reporting to the Director, Career Services, this position develops career opportunities and internships for students and graduates and maintains frequent contact with co-workers, counselors, faculty, students, and various departments and outside agencies.

#### **EXAMPLES OF DUTIES:**

- Contacts local employers through various means, including site visits, to develop career opportunities and/or internships for students and graduates: full-time, part-time, and workstudy.
- Visits companies in the area to provide information about the College programs, and to form and maintain employer-college partnerships with regard to the employment of students and graduates.
- Confers with faculty to acquire specific information on vocational programs, and to solicit cooperation and assistance to make the employment placement of students and graduates successful.
- Screens and refers qualified students for employment.
- Assists the director in planning and hosting job fairs.
- Serves as a representative of Mt. San Antonio College at job fairs and when meeting with employers, community groups and other interested agencies.
- Maintains relationships with community and other support program services.
- Assists job applicants with job search and acquisition skills.
- Learns and applies emerging technologies and as necessary to perform duties in an efficient, organized, and timely manner.
- Performs related duties as assigned.

#### **MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS:**

# Knowledge of:

- Organization, operations, policies and objectives.
- Applicable sections of State Education Code and other applicable laws.
- Job development and placement techniques;
- Local community/geographic familiarity;
- Record keeping techniques.
- Various interviewing and data gathering techniques and methods.
- Correct English usage, grammar, spelling, punctuation, and vocabulary.
- Various computer software applications.
- Interpersonal skills using tact, patience and courtesy.

## Skills and Abilities:

- Assertively contact and interact with local employers;
- Assist job applicants with job search and acquisition skills;
- Operate a variety of office equipment.
- Work confidentially with discretion.
- Plan, organize and prioritize work.
- Meet schedules and time lines.
- Work independently with little direction.
- Understand and follow oral and written directions.
- Communicate effectively, both orally and in writing.
- Utilize proper telephone etiquette.
- Understand scope of authority in making independent decisions.
- Review situations accurately and determine appropriate action according to established quidelines.
- Establish and maintain effective working relationships with others.
- Work effectively with diverse staff and student populations.
- Bilingual English/Spanish preferred.

<u>Education and Experience</u>: Associate's Degree or a combination of experience and education equivalent to an Associate's degree. Responsible job development experience working with business/industry, social agencies, schools or governmental service to identify career opportunities for students.