

Director of Student Services Alcorn State University

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Job Title Director of Student Services

Department College of Agriculture and Applied Sciences

Institution Alcorn State University

Lorman, Mississippi

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Application Deadline Open until filled

Position Start Date Available immediately

Job Categories Director/Manager

Academic Field(s) Administration - Counseling Services

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Job Description

The incumbent provides leadership and facilitates program success in the area of student services, within the College of Agriculture and Applied Sciences. He/she ensures the College's vision manifests by playing a critical role in developing, coordinating and managing recruitment, supporting retention efforts and activities, and promoting overall student success.

Knowledge Skills and Abilities

- Knowledge of current labor market trends
- Knowledge of effective recruitment strategies
- Knowledge of post-secondary educational organization
- Skilled in the computer applications and operation, including Microsoft Office
- Excellent communication skills, verbal and written
- Ability to establish cooperative, tactful, effective and harmonious work relationships with diverse



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groups of individuals, ranging from senior management, administration, faculty, staff, students and the general public

- Ability to work within tight time constraints, under pressure and on multiple and complex projects
- Exercise of independent and sound judgment

Essential Job Functions

- Manages daily operations of the Office of Student Services in the College of Agriculture and Applied Sciences
- Plans and directs School-wide student engagement, and career services and events
- Establishes relationships, regularly visits, engages, and recruits prospects with and from educational facilities, businesses, community members, employers, etc.
- Generates new business alliances with the goal of establishing a pipeline of students to and from these corporations
- Assist with developing, analyzing and disseminating thorough reports, tracking the process and status of travel and student recruitment efforts
- Maintains an overall plan and strategy for student recruitment and retention
- Maintains current knowledge of university admission policies to communicate effectively with school districts, prospective students, parents and other interested parties
- Promotes the College of Agriculture and Applied Sciences and its academic programs among prospective students, parents, teachers, counselors and other groups and organizations
- Other related duties as assigned

Qualifications

- Master's degree in Counseling or related field working in a student services or related field
- Three (3) years' experience providing student support services, such as in student mentoringadvisement and student success workshops
- Three (3) years' experience in supervisory capacity

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