

UNIVERSITY OF CENTRAL FLORIDA

## PRIME STEM Program Peer Mentor/Tutor 2018-2019

PRIME STEM is a program for college students who are first-generation, demonstrate a financial need, and/or have a documented disability pursuing a STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering, and Mathematics) or Health Science major. The project offers academic support services (tutoring, advising, and coaching) and other resources to assist scholars.

#### **Job Description:**

Under the direct supervision of the PRIME STEM Assistant Director, peer mentor/tutors will work one-to-one and in small groups with PRIME STEM scholars. In their combined role, students will provide a "student's point of view" of college life and act as a coach guiding students to appropriate campus resources. They will share their experiences with students, provide ongoing communications to scholars via social media and frequent publications, present at workshops, and focus on student's study and academic skills for the tutoring component.

#### For the mentoring role, students will:

- Assist with referring students to appropriate campus resources
- Provide leadership during PRIME STEM Project activities
- Maintain contact with PRIME Scholars via email, Facebook, etc.
- Establish mentor-mentee relationship with scholars
- Assist with program publications, newsletters, office projects, etc.
- Other duties as assigned

#### For the tutoring role, students will:

- Tutor a math (i.e. Trig, Pre-Calculus, Calculus, Physics) or science subject
- Establish coaching relationship with PRIME STEM tutees
- Implement study skills techniques
- Complete bi-weekly tutor reports
- Assist with program publications and workshops
- Other duties as assigned

#### **Oualifications:**

For consideration, candidates must possess the following qualifications:

- Have a cumulative and major GPA of 3.5+
- Juniors and Seniors are preferred, but other qualified applicants will be considered
- Strong interpersonal skills
- Knowledge of their major and university resources

- Comfortable presenting to groups
- Declared STEM Major
- Ability to use a variety of study aids
- Must have a B or higher in the course being tutored

#### **Work Hours and Pay:**

Peer mentors will work 8 hours per week when classes are in session and will be paid \$9.50/hour with the possibility of a raise after one year of service. The position will officially begin in August with a half-day training and will last through Spring 2019 with the possibility of continuation for the next academic year if desired.

#### **Application Process:**

Please complete the follow application and submit it to the TRiO Center in Howard Phillips Hall, 208 by **August 1st**. In addition to your application please include a resume and your class schedule for Fall 2018 and Spring 2019 (if possible). Interviews will be scheduled after applications have been received. If you have any questions, email <a href="mailto:Rasha.Daniel@ucf.edu">Rasha.Daniel@ucf.edu</a> (Assistant Director, PRIME STEM).



# PRIME STEM Program Peer Mentor/Tutor Application 2018-2019

Please complete the following application and return to Howard Phillips Hall 208 on or before August 1st

### Student Applicant Information UCFID\_\_\_\_\_ Name \_\_\_\_\_ Address Phone Number (Home) \_\_\_\_\_\_ (Cell) \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail Address \_\_\_\_\_ Major \_\_\_\_\_ UCF Cum. GPA \_\_\_\_\_ Classification: \_\_\_\_\_Freshman (0-30 credits) \_\_\_\_\_Sophomore (30-60 credits) \_\_\_\_\_Junior (60-90 credits) \_\_\_\_\_Senior (90-120+ credits) First generation college student (i.e. neither parent has a Bachelor's degree)? \_\_\_\_\_ yes \_\_\_\_\_ no Anticipated date of graduation (semester/year) \_\_\_\_\_ Are you currently working on campus? \_\_\_\_\_ yes \_\_\_\_\_ no If yes, which department? \_\_\_\_\_\_ Hours/week \_\_\_\_\_ Are you involved in Undergraduate Research? \_\_\_\_\_ yes \_\_\_\_\_ no Have you completed an internship? yes no Are you currently mentoring for any other program on or off-campus? \_\_\_\_\_ yes \_\_\_\_\_ no If yes, which program? \_\_\_\_\_ Hours/week \_\_\_\_\_ Are you involved in any of the following programs? \_\_\_\_ PRIME STEM \_\_\_\_ RAMP \_\_\_ EXCEL \_\_\_ LEARN \_\_\_\_ McNair \_\_\_\_ SOAR MASS First Generation Program

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### Application Questions

Please provide a 2-3 sentence answer the questions below	<i>W</i> .
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Why do you want to be a mentor?

What days/times would you prefer to work in Fall 2018? (8 hours max)

I certify that the information provided is accurate to the best of my knowledge.

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

#### **Office Use Only**

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Date Received:				
	Resume			
	Class schedule(s)			
	Completed Application (2 pages)			



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