

**Position: TRiO SSS- Amplified Mentor**

**Reports to: Educational Program Specialist- Mentoring Coordinator**

**Stipend: Up to \$600.00**

**What Is a Mentor?**

A mentor is an experienced student who has a genuine interest in students' educational and personal development. They function as a coach, a friend, and, most of all, a positive role model. Peer mentors will create a safe and non-judgmental environment through group and one-on-one settings to enhance and enrich students' college experiences.

**Required Qualifications:**

- Must have at least 30 credits/ one year of experience at Georgia State University.
- Must be in good academic standing.
- Must have and maintain a minimum of 3.0 GPA and be enrolled at least part-time at Georgia State University.
- Must be reliable, able to work with deadlines, and work independently in a highly dynamic environment
- Ability to maintain confidentiality and exercise discretion pertaining to the work environment
- Have a high level of initiative and personal responsibility
- Demonstrate a commitment to diversity, equity, and inclusion

**Duties and Responsibilities:**

- Have a passion for helping others achieve their goals.
- Work with incoming freshmen and transfer students to help with their transition to college.
- Mentor continuing students.
- Provide peer support to TRiO participants (individually and in groups)
- Assist with TRiO events such as orientation, monthly events, group trips, etc.
- Organize social activities & volunteer opportunities.
- Provide academic support with courses, as needed.
- Help students to feel connected to the program.
- Public Relations/Outreach: Creating flyers, and contacting students via email, phone calls, and text messages.
- Facilitate workshops.
- Host recruitment events.

**Peer Mentor Training/Requirements**

- Mentors (peers or students/faculty/staff) must attend mandatory one-day training on expectations, guidelines, and protocol. (Facilitated by the TRiO SSS mentoring coordinator)
- Additional training opportunities as needed.
- Mentors must schedule at least two meetings a month with assigned mentees.
- Attend **three TRiO** workshops per semester.
- Host **one** workshop every semester.
- Participate in a team building activity.
- Complete an end-of-semester evaluation per semester.

**Are You Interested in Becoming a TRiO SSS- Amplified Mentor?**

- Interested students need to submit an application, unofficial transcripts, and resume to [sbing1@gsu.edu](mailto:sbing1@gsu.edu)

**The following things will be considered in making our selections:**

- Essay
- Program Standing/participation.
- Your current institutional GPA
- Expected Graduation Term