

DENISON UNIVERSITY

Practicum Student in the Academic Support & Enrichment Center

Denison University's Academic Support & Enrichment Center is seeking Higher Education Administration graduate students for a practicum experience during the Winter Quarter 2012 with a possible extension to Spring Quarter 2012. The practicum student will work approximately 10 hours a week (not all hours need to be on-site) during the quarter within the Division of Student Development, reporting to the Associate Dean of Students /Director of Academic Support & Enrichment.

The practicum opportunity will feature the following opportunities for professional experience:

- Advise a small case load of students during a one-on-one weekly appointments as part of the "Back on Track" retention program designed to support students in academic difficulty, review midterm grade reports, develop strategies with students for successful completion of the semester, and communicate with faculty advisors as a follow-up to these meetings;
- Meet with students at the start of the semester to discuss poor academic performance in the previous semester as part of the "Low Semester Warning" retention program and communicate with faculty advisors as follow-up to these meetings;
- Assist with the evaluation and future planning of the academic skill building series called "Studywise," focusing on relevant learning strategies for Denison students.
- Contribute to the interpretation of Academic Support & Enrichment survey information and develop written analyses to be included in the Center's Annual Report;
- Additional opportunities to shadow other functions/duties of the Center, including Academic Standing Board meetings (hearing academic petitions), Disability Services, Student Development Division staff meetings, etc., will be available.
- If completing the practicum through the end of March, meet with students post mid-semester to discuss poor academic as part of the mid-term grade intervention retention program and communicate with faculty advisors as follow-up to these meetings;

Denison University is located in the Welsh Hills of Ohio overlooking the village of Granville about twenty-five miles east of Columbus. Denison is a highly selective, private liberal arts college of approximately 2000 students. The practicum student must supply his or her own transportation to and from Denison. Denison University will provide up to \$500 in mileage reimbursement for travel to this practicum site; the position is unpaid.

For more information about the Academic Support & Enrichment Center at Denison, please visit the website at <http://www.denison.edu/acad-support/>

Applicants should submit a resume and statement of rationale of interest in this practicum experience as soon as possible.

To explore this professional opportunity, please contact:

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