

Huron Student Ambassador Job Description 2017/18

Purpose: Huron is looking for personable, enthusiastic and involved students to be serve as student ambassadors. The student ambassador will provide a connection to high schools Huron recruitment is either unaware of, or has not had much success recruiting at. The ambassador will serve an important role in representing the mission and values of Huron to high school administration and potential applicants.

Location and Time Commitment: The student will travel to their hometown (ideally within Ontario) to visit their high school 1-2 times over the course of the school year. The first visit will be dependent on the availability of Huron recruiters and if it occurs, will take place over the October Reading Week (Oct 9-13). The second visit will serve as a second point of contact over the February Reading Week (Feb 19-23). Both visits would be arranged at a time that is convenient for the student and a Huron recruiter.

Responsibilities:

- reach out to a contact at the students' former high school to arrange a presentation to high school students
- attend training in late September and/or late fall to ensure consistency in messaging and to develop a relationship with Huron's professional recruiters
- work with the recruiter to develop a professional and engaging presentation full of personal stories to demonstrate the Huron advantage to potential students
- develop connections with high school students in order to ensure they are comfortable asking questions and learn to love Huron the same way our students do!

Compensation: Students ambassadors will receive assistance arranging travel to and from their high school. Ambassadors may be eligible for an honorarium to compensate them for their time for the presentation.

Other Benefits: Students in the ambassador program will develop valuable connections with administration and students' council that could provide for a valuable letter of reference. Students will also gain important presentation, persuasion, planning and interpersonal communication skills to be utilized in their education and future career.

Qualifications: Student ambassadors must be enrolled full-time with at least 3.0 courses at Huron.

A strong applicant for the Student Ambassador Position will have:

- a minimum academic average of 75-80% (though lower averages may be considered)
- past experience presenting and persuading customers, judges or the like
- involvement in extra-curriculars at Huron and/or the greater Western/London community
- a passion for Huron's vision to develop leaders with heart

To participate, you must be able to return to your high school once during second semester.

Job application can also be online at: myhuron.ca/getinvolved

Huron Student Ambassador Job Application 2017/18

Name: _____

UWO Email: _____

Program: _____

Hometown: _____

Highschool: _____

In less than 300 words, tell us your “Huron Story”. This could be why you chose to study at Huron, or an interaction that shows what makes Huron so great. We want to get a sense of your story and what you will be able to tell prospective students.

In less than 300 words, tell us why you think you would be a good recruiter. Try to differentiate this from the “jobs” you have listed on your resume, and focus on the great “work” you have done in your positions.

Please send the completed application as well as a resume with references and copy of your latest transcript to bdickso9@uwo.ca. If you are a recent high school graduate and do not yet have a university transcript, you are strongly encouraged to send your high school transcript or latest high school report card.

Applications Due Feb 15/18