Peer2Peer eMentor

Peer2Peer is a program that partners all new first-year and transfer students with an eMentor. eMentors will serve as role models and mentor students through virtual mentoring and coach their mentees to support their adjustment to university life, both in and out of the classroom. eMentors will participate in ongoing professional development and will develop valuable transferable and leadership skills to prepare them for future employment opportunities. eMentors must be available to attend training prior to the start of the academic year.

Responsibilities

- Support up to 200 students through virtual mentoring throughout the academic year
- Serve as the assigned eMentor for mentees, communicate regularly via e-mail and text, and respond to mentee inquiries in a timely manner
- Promote campus engagement and the utilization of academic support services
- Participate in a committee, such as professional development, programming, social media video production and newsletter
- Attend regularly schedule professional development, staff meetings, and trainings
- Complete program assessment activities as assigned by the coordinator
- Promote, attend, and participate in 1-2 large group events per semester

Qualifications

- Genuine desire to help their peers succeed
- Self-motivated with a positive attitude
- Excellent communication and listening skills
- Strong computer skills and experience utilizing Google apps, Microsoft Word, video conferencing software, etc.
- Demonstrate cross-cultural humility
- Good time management skills
- Able to work both fall and spring semesters (academic year position)
- Be in good standing at WMU
- 2.5 or higher cumulative GPA
- Have completed 16 credits at WMU prior to the semester before becoming a mentor