Richmond Community College

Job Description

Position Title: Director of Distance Learning and Instructional Technology

General Description: The Director of Distance Learning, under the supervision of the Vice President for Instruction, is responsible for the leadership and promotion of RCC's Distance Learning (DL) efforts. This position works closely with faculty and staff in the development, scheduling, delivery and evaluation of DL courses and associated educational services and is responsible for the College's DL infrastructure and providing technical support for students and faculty. As a curriculum instructor, the Director of Distance Learning will be responsible for teaching a course load comparable to the academic department chairs.

Duties and Responsibilities of the Position:

- 1. Maintain and provide instructional support of the College's (curriculum & Workforce and Economic Development) DL course delivery system.
- 2. Provide leadership, administrative support, and a coordinated operational system for distance learning.
- 3. Maintain and communicate DL policies and procedures.
- 4. Promote and market the use of alternative methods of instructional delivery.
- 5. Collect data and provide appropriate reports relative to the utilization of DL for instructional delivery.
- 6. Coordinate the schedule for DL courses and provide orientation/training for new DL faculty and staff.
- 7. Provide resources and technical assistance to faculty & students participating DL instruction.
- 8. Evaluate and make recommendations for any needed upgrades or enhancements to the LMS and other instructional systems.
- 9. Assure currency of the latest information and technology pertaining to DL through professional development activities.
- 10. Collaborate closely with faculty to design, develop, and implement high quality instructional content, and oversee the course review process.
- 11. Provide faculty with training opportunities to enhance the traditional, hybrid, and online learning environment.
- 12. Coordinate the implementation of the Interactive Video (ITV) learning environment.
- 13. Maintain and report the college's state authorization status with all appropriate states.
- 14. Attends department chair meetings and other meetings of instructional leadership as directed by the Vice President of Instruction.
- 15. Other duties as assigned.

Knowledge, Skills and Abilities:

Ability to plan educational programs and to evaluate programs and staff. Must have an understanding of and a commitment to the open door philosophy and to the mission and goals of the college. Demonstrated proficiency in an educational leadership role. Ability to teach selected curriculum courses.

Minimum Education and Experience:

Bachelor's degree from an accredited institution required. Master's degree preferred. Demonstrated experience in instructional design and distance learning required. Teaching experience preferred. Experience in administering Blackboard and/or Moodle preferred. Teleconferencing experience preferred. Familiarity of current instructional technology tools and applications preferred. Experience with NCCCS Virtual Learning Community is preferred.

Salary Level: 11

Location: Main Campus, Hamlet, NC

Position Title: Instructor

General Description:

An Instructor, under the authority and direction of the Vice President for Instruction/Chief Academic Officer and in cooperation with the Department Chairperson/Program Coordinator, is responsible for providing effective instruction in the assigned curriculum area.

Duties and responsibilities of an Instructor are as follows:

- 1. Teaches students effectively to meet student learning outcomes.
- 2. Holds class sessions as scheduled to meet student learning outcomes.
- 3. Maintains office hours as required by college policy.
- 4. Makes course syllabi and Instructor Course Requirements available to students no later than the first class session or the first date of the course session for Distance Learning courses. Rubrics used to evaluate specific assignments should also be made available to students.
- 5. Provides clearly organized and understandable instruction.
- 6. Provides adequate and timely feedback and evaluation of assignments.
- 7. Maintains a positive attitude in interactions with students and shows a genuine concern for student learning.
- 8. Fulfills obligations in student recruiting, advising, orientation, and registration.
- 9. Assists in the continual evaluation and enhancement of curricula through the planning process and departmental meetings.
- 10. Provides the Vice President for Instruction or his/her designee with updated Instructor's Course Requirements that reflect expected student learning outcomes.
- 11. Submits accurate and complete records and reports in a timely manner in order to provide assessment data for institutional improvement.

- 12. Attends and participates in faculty, advisory, and assigned committee meetings designated to improve curriculum programs.
- 13. Participates in professional development, including back-to-industry, conference, and workshop activities that lead to professional and institutional advancement.
- 14. Accepts other duties as assigned.

Position Qualifications:

Knowledge, Skills and Abilities:

Understanding of and commitment to the unique nature and role of the Institution. Strong oral and written communication skills; ability to work independently with minimal supervision. Able to teach in various delivery modes. Willing to accept day and/or evening teaching assignments and teaching assignments at other locations as needed by the Institution.

Minimum Education and Experience:

Master's degree in teaching discipline from an accredited institution preferred. A minimum of 18 graduate semester hours in the teaching discipline. Teaching experience preferred. Demonstrated ability to integrate computers into the instructional environment and on-line teaching experience preferred.

Salary Grade: RCC Salary Schedule,

Location: All Richmond and Scotland County Locations

Questionnaire for

Compliance with Americans with Disabilities Act

Interview guide for collecting job analysis information

Job Title: Director of Distance Learning &

Instructional Technology Department: Professional

Division: Instruction Shift:

Location: Main Campus, Hamlet, NC

Supervisor's Title:Vice President for Instruction

1. **General Purpose of Job**. Briefly describe the job's primary purpose or contribution to the department or organization.

See job description.

2. Duties and Responsibilities. List the job's essential or most important functions and responsibilities. Include all important aspects of the job -- whether performed daily, weekly, monthly, or annually; and any that occur at irregular intervals.

See job description.

3. Supervisory Responsibilities. If this job supervises others, give the name of unit(s) or department(s) managed and number of employees supervised. If there are subordinate supervisors, list them also.

None

4. Physical Demands:

4A. How much on-the-job time is spent in the following physical activities? Show the amount of time by checking the appropriate boxes below.

	Amount of Time			
	None	Up to	1/3 to	2/3 and
		1/3	2/3	more
Stand		\boxtimes		
Walk		\boxtimes		
Sit				
Talk or hear			\boxtimes	
Use hands to finger, handle or feel		\boxtimes		
Climb or balance				
Stoop, kneel, crouch or crawl		\boxtimes		
Reach with hands and arms		\boxtimes		
Taste or smell				

4B. Does this job require that weight be lifted or force be exerted? If so, how much and how often? Check the appropriate boxes below.

	Amount of Time			
	None	Up to	1/3 to	2/3 and
		1/3	2/3	more
Up to 10 pounds			\boxtimes	
Up to 25 pounds				
Up to 50 pounds				
Up to 100 pounds				
More than 100 pounds				

4C.	Does this job have any special vision requirements? Check all that apply.
	Close vision (clear vision at 20 inches or less)
	Distance vision (clear vision at 20 feet or more
	Color Vision (ability to identify and distinguish colors)
	Peripheral vision (ability to observe an area that can be seen up and down or
	to the left and right while eyes are fixed on a given point)
	Depth perception (three-dimensional vision, ability to judge distances and
	spatial relationships)
	Ability to adjust focus (ability to adjust the eye to bring an object into sharp
	focus)
	No special vision requirements

4D. Make notes on the specific job duties that require the physical demands selected above.

5. Work Environment:

5A. How much exposure to the following environmental conditions does this job require? Show the amount of time by checking the appropriate boxes below.

	None	of Time 1/3 to 2/3	2/3 and more
Wet, humid conditions (non-weather)			
Work near moving mechanical parts			
Work in high, precarious places			
Fumes or airborne particles			
Toxic or caustic chemicals			
Outdoor weather conditions			
Extreme cold (non-weather)			
Extreme heat (non-weather)			
Risk of electrical shock			
Work with explosives			
Risk of radiation			
Vibration			

	5B. How much noise is typical for the work environment of this job? Check the
	appropr <u>iate</u> level below.
	Very quiet (Examples: forest trail, isolation booth for hearing test)
	Quiet (Examples: library, private office)
	Moderate Noise (Examples: Business office with typewriters and/or computer printers, light traffic)
	Loud noise (Examples: metal can manufacturing, department, large earthmoving equipment)
	Very loud noise (Examples: jack hammer work, front row at rock concert)
	5C . Make notes on the specific job duties that are affected by the environmental conditions selected above.
6. descrip	Comments. Include any other information that will aid in the preparation of an accurate ation of this job.
7.	Questionnaire prepared by:
Name:	Date:
Γitle: _	
	or knowledge of job: hold job now; supervise job; other (explain)

Exposure Determination for Bloodborne Pathogens

All position descriptions, including administrative and support personnel, whether paid or volunteer, must be evaluated by the appropriate department chairman/head and a Risk of Exposure to Bloodborne Pathogens Classification I or II be assigned to the position as it applies to each employee's work location. In situations where jobs of the same title entail substantially different categories of risk based on the department to which assigned, job titles will be modified to include the unit name thereby creating a newer, more specific description for that position.

For jobs which fall into Classification II, a list of tasks or procedures which present an occupational exposure to those employees should be prepared and appended to the job description. Assignment of personnel to a new department in the same basic job may necessitate a formal change of job title to ensure that they will receive training according to that job's risk classification. This must be reviewed on an annual basis by department managers for all job titles which they supervise or manage.

CLASSIFCATION I

This includes jobs in which required tasks routinely involve a potential for mucous membrane or skin contact with blood, body fluids, tissues or potential spills or splashes. Use of appropriate measures is required for every employee performing these tasks.

CLASSIFICATION II

This includes jobs in which required tasks normally do not involve exposure to blood, body fluids or tissues, but may require performing unplanned Classification I tasks. In these jobs the normal work performance involves no exposure to blood, body fluids or tissues. However, exposure or potential exposure may be required as a condition of employment or class performance.

PERSONNEL NOT COVERED BY THE STANDARD

This includes jobs in which required tasks involve no greater exposure to blood, body fluids, or tissues that would be encountered by a visitor. The normal work/class performance involves no exposure to blood, body fluids, or tissues that would be encountered by a visitor. The normal work/class performance involves no exposure to blood, body fluids, or tissues and the employee can decline to perform tasks which involve a perceived risk without retribution.

NOTE: All employees who do not fit into Classification I or II will fall into a third category not covered by the Standard.