



SEAVER COLLEGE

OFFICE OF INTERCULTURAL AFFAIRS Gender Studies Intern, Men's Issues

Gender Studies is a trans-disciplinary subject matter; therefore this position requires the individual to develop and implement programs that will engage students in the consideration of gender and its intersection with other substantive categories including sexuality; the body; race, ethnicity, privilege, power and class; business; politics; health; developing societies; academic institutions; sports; law; the media, and many other areas.

Programs developed by the Men's Issues Intern should push students beyond commonsense accounts of gender to examine these complex constructions in our different historical contexts, in various cultural arenas, and varying global environments. The end objective of all programs implemented by the Men's Issues Intern is to advance cultural understandings of gender structures and representations, and their impact on society.

In order to accomplish this objective, the Men's Issues Intern should collaborate with intentionality with the Women's Issues Intern on at least one program throughout the academic year, specifically as it relates to the historical and present-day realities of discrimination and power-structures that attempt to oppress women in many parts of the world, including the United States.

The other programs that are developed by the Men's Issues Intern should seek to create an environment where the male population in the Pepperdine University community can discuss ideas specific to the male experience on campus, in the United States, and around the world. It should be carefully noted that the intent of this position is not to exacerbate nor propagate ideology consistent with male-chauvinistic notions.

Other Job-Related Tasks

- Collaborate with ethnic clubs and organizations as well as other ICC members and organizations
- Collaborate with faculty in the Gender Studies minor program
- Assist with Gender Dialogue Month and other gender-related programs on campus
- Work closely with other ICA interns by supporting their projects and workshops
- Assist in coordinating the Week of Peace, Hope and Justice
- Assist with the multicultural recruitment efforts of the Admissions Office
- Assist with new intern hire/training process
- Perform other related duties as assigned and when available

