



*Summer Camp Leadership Opportunity*

**Girls LEAD Camp Counselor Contract:**

- **Monday June 25<sup>th</sup>-Friday August 17<sup>th</sup>, 2012 at 40 hours/week (excluding weekends)**
- **Rate of Pay: \$11.00/hour at 40 hours/week (contract includes 4% vacation pay)**

Girls LEAD is a program that aims to inspire and empower young women to be leaders, and to help them develop the skills to succeed. While at a two week day camp, girls participate in a variety of activities designed to give them the self-confidence and skills to help them recognize and live their own leadership potential.

**Responsibilities**

The Girls LEAD Summer Camp team is made up of a Girls LEAD Camp Coordinator, the Coordinator of Leadership and Student Engagement (Student Services), seven Counselors, Junior Counselors, and Volunteers. The Camp Counselor will work under the direction of the Coordinator of Leadership and Student Engagement to:

- Facilitate programming for each of the five, two-week sessions that promote the Girls LEAD learning objectives, including leadership programming, physical activities, crafts, music, media, nutrition programming, and workshops
- Help facilitate the day to day functioning of the camps
- Create a positive and inclusive camp atmosphere that is respectful of the cultural and socioeconomic diversity of the Girls LEAD campers.
- Assist with training and guidance of the Junior Counselors and volunteers
- Maintain a positive and enthusiastic attitude to create a positive experience for staff and campers alike

The Girls LEAD Camp Counselors will work during the camp sessions to assist with setup, supervision, and facilitate the sessions daily from 8 a.m. – 5 p.m. The Camp sessions are outlined below:

Junior Camp (Grades 3-4)	Section B	July 16 <sup>th</sup> -July 27 <sup>th</sup> , 2012
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Intermediate Camp (Grades 5-6)	Section A	July 3 <sup>rd</sup> -July 13 <sup>th</sup> , 2012
	Section C	July 30 <sup>th</sup> -August 10 <sup>th</sup> , 2012
Senior Camp (Grades 7-8)	Section A	July 3 <sup>rd</sup> -July 13 <sup>th</sup> , 2012
	Section C	July 30 <sup>th</sup> -August 10 <sup>th</sup> , 2012

\* China International Girls LEAD Camp: *Several Girls LEAD Counsellors may have the opportunity to work with a group of international students from China during a modified version of the Girls LEAD Camp in the summer of 2012. These campers range in age from 14-15 years and will attend their own Girls LEAD camp from July 16th 2012-July 27th 2012. Counsellors will live in residence for the duration of camp and provide both daytime and some evening and weekend programming for international campers. Counsellors taking on this additional role will receive increased compensation for the duration of this unique camp (\$800/week).*

## **Qualifications**

- Pursuing a degree at Brescia University College
- Authorized to work in Canada.
- Previous work experience with youth in a teaching/leadership capacity
- Must be able to work without direct supervision and take initiative on particular projects
- Previous leadership and teamwork experience an asset
- Required to provide a valid Criminal Record Check and valid first aid and CPR, when hired
- A valid driver's license
- Participant in the Leadership Certificate Program (Student Services), Levels 1 & 2 \* (\*Or demonstrated interest in future participation)

Eager and enthusiastic Brescia students who have what it takes to be the Girls LEAD Camp Coordinator should submit a resume and cover letter to:

Pam Core-Coordinator of Leadership and Student Engagement  
[pcore2@uwo.ca](mailto:pcore2@uwo.ca)

The deadline to apply is: **Feb. 24<sup>th</sup>, 2012 at 4:00pm.**

**Successful candidates will be contacted on Feb. 27th, 2012 to schedule an interview.**