

# Humanities Majors Group Discussion Leader

## DESCRIPTION

The discussion leader supports academic success in humanities major courses through with weekly group sessions. Students who participate in these collaborative sessions discuss challenging assignments and coursework, develop learning goals for their courses and participate in an intellectual community of their peers and professors.

## ROLE & RESPONSIBILITIES

- Design and facilitate weekly study group sessions focused on a variety of humanities coursework.
- Review humanities course syllabi, develop discussion group plans, and create group session calendar.
- Create community standard for the group sessions.
- Make use of input from Global History, English, Philosophy, Humanities, and Justice Studies faculty
- Provide academic support to humanities students during John Jay community hour
- Participate in monthly observation and self-evaluation activities.
- Participate in Supplemental Instruction and Academic Support Center staff meetings and professional development activities during the semester.

## QUALIFICATIONS

- Be a currently enrolled John Jay College undergraduate with sixty or more earned credits
- Enrolled in and earned an A grade in 2 or more 200 or 300-level humanities major courses at John Jay College
- Maintain a GPA of 3.0 or higher.
- Be able to work at least 5 hours per week throughout the semester. Excellent interpersonal, verbal, and written communication skills.
- Experience in facilitation of study group sessions.
- Enthusiasm for the study of the humanities and personal experience of their value.
- Interest in working on campus with faculty, staff, and other students.

## COMPENSATION

- \$16 per hour

This position is for fall 2022 and is renewable for spring 2023.

## HOW TO APPLY

To apply, please submit an unofficial transcript, cover letter, and resume to Darren Cummings: [dcummings@jjay.cuny.edu](mailto:dcummings@jjay.cuny.edu) and [MSRC@jjay.cuny.edu](mailto:MSRC@jjay.cuny.edu)