



STAFF APPLICATION

BECOMING A COUGAR EXCURSION STAFF MEMBER: First and foremost, we need great staff members that are enthusiastic supporters of the College of Charleston, its community, students, and traditions. Prior student leadership experience, a willingness to serve the College community, and a genuine desire to work with incoming first-year students make for a great staff member. Applicants should be full of positive energy and excitement, but also be able to tackle tough issues that will be discussed, including alcohol/drugs, relationship issues, roommate conflicts, diversity, and adjusting to college. **All applicants must have an overall GPA of 2.0 or above.** All staff members **must participate in all Cougar Excursion staff training sessions and attend Cougar Excursion on August 6-8, 2010.**

APPLYING FOR A COUGAR EXCURSION STAFF POSITION: *In order to be considered for a position among the Cougar Excursion staff, you must first fill out this application and return it to the Higdon Student Leadership Center, 69 Coming Street, before 4:00pm on Friday, November 13, 2009. Upon turning in your application, please sign up for an interview time at the front desk in the Leadership Center.*

RETREAT, TRAINING SESSIONS, & MEETING DATES TBA

Application:

Last Name: **First:** **Middle Initial :** **Preferred Name:**

Email Address:

Local Address:

Hometown:

Local Phone:

Class standing for the fall of 2010 will be: Sophomore Junior Senior

Expected Graduation Date (mo/yr) Major:

T-Shirt Size: S M L XL XXL

I am applying for:

- Facilitator Position Crew Position

If not chosen, I would be willing to serve in another position:

- Yes No

What are your plans for the summer of 2010? Please include summer phone and address, as well as plans for school, study abroad, and work.

Campus and Community Activities

Please list **ALL** of your CofC campus and community activities, organizational memberships, leadership positions held, and length of time involved with each activity below. Please list them in order of importance to you (first being the most significant activity or position).

References

Please list the name of an individual at CofC (staff, faculty, or administrator) who would be able to serve as a reference for you. Please be sure to inform this individual that you have listed his/her name on your application!

Name:
Position/Department:
Phone Number:
Email:

Short Answer Questions

All Cougar Excursion Staff Applicants must answer questions 1 and 2.

Attach additional page or pages

1. Being a Cougar Excursion Staff Member not only serves as an excellent leadership opportunity, it also serves to further develop your leadership skills. What skills, abilities, or experiences do you have that you feel would qualify you to serve in such a role?

2. How has your involvement on campus enriched your experience at CofC? Why is it important for incoming students to get involved with campus organizations, activities, and service opportunities?

By signing below, you are giving your consent for the Director of the Higdon Student Leadership Center to verify your academic and disciplinary files at the College of Charleston.

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