

2016 BEING RU-FIT Peer Leader Application

Candidate Information

Name (Last, First):

RUID:

Campus Mailbox # or Local Address:

Campus Email Address:

Cumulative GPA (minimum 3.0)

Circle: Current Class Year: Junior Senior

Major or minor (if applicable):

Name, title and contact information for Faculty/ Staff Member providing your recommendation:

Resume and Cover Letter: Please attach a resume and cover letter to your application.

Questions

Please type your responses to the following questions on a separate sheet of paper. Your responses should not exceed two pages.

1. Please state the reason that you are interested in assisting first year international students in their academic journey at Rutgers.
2. After reading the job description, what strengths and qualities do you possess that makes you a strong candidate for a Peer Leader position?
3. Tell us about your academic journey at Rutgers. How have you been successful? When you've faced challenges, how have you overcome them?
4. What are three pieces of advice that you would offer to a first-year international student based on your own experiences as a successful Rutgers student?
5. Please list the activities/ organizations in which you will be participating during 2018. Include any leadership positions you plan to hold and time commitment required of each.
6. What do you believe is the most beneficial experience an international student should have during their first year at Rutgers? How does this experience shape the coming years they will have on campus?

Recommendation

Please list the name and phone number of the member of a Faculty or Staff Member at Rutgers University who will complete the confidential recommendation form for you. NOTE: You will be responsible for sharing the attached recommendation form with the person listed below and ensuring that the form is returned to Dean Anu Gupta (anu.gupta@rutgers.edu) by February 12, 2018.

NAME/TITLE _____

PHONE NUMBER _____

EMAIL ADDRESS _____

PLEASE READ THE FOLLOWING STATEMENT AND SIGN BELOW

I have read and understand the qualifications, time commitments, remunerations, and job expectations for the 2018 RU-FIT Peer Leader position. I acknowledge that the information contained in this application is factual and is a realistic assessment of my abilities. I understand that falsification of information on this application may result in my dismissal from the Peer Leader selection process. I authorize Dean Anu Gupta to verify my grade point average and my disciplinary record.

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Peer Leader Recommendation Form

(Please return to Dean Anu Gupta by February 12 via email to anu.gupta@rutgers.edu)

Name of Candidate: _____ Date: _____

- 1) How do you know the candidate and how long have you known him/her?

- 2) If you are able, tell us about this candidate's academic ability and/or successes. If you have not observed this candidate in an academic setting, please share his/her leadership ability.

- 3) As a Peer Leader this student would be serving as a mentor and role model to first-year international students. Please comment on his/her demonstrated or potential ability to do this.

- 4) Do you have any hesitations with this candidate's ability to serve in this role?

- 5) Please share any additional comments or feedback about this candidate.

Name of Recommender: _____ Date: _____

Signature: _____