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## **State of the Rockies Creative Assistant**

**All majors welcome \$15.16 per hour.**

The **State of the Rockies Project** is HIRING students to help promote and publicize our program activities, projects, and events. Help us increase community participation on and off campus through social happenings; social media platforms; video and short films; and print media by promoting the cool things students and faculty are doing for Rockies research and projects, in class, workshops, etc.

### **What to expect:**

You will create and follow to completion the production of printed materials, social media campaigns, and other promotional pieces for The State of the Rockies' annual events, contests, and other projects. You'll also help plan and execute Rockies student events and contribute content to the digital magazine *Anthropogenic*. This position is ideal for students with a background in art or design and journalism who share an interest in conservation and the environmental impacts of human activity.

During Academic year: Position is 5-10 hours/week depending on the project.

Summer position: 37 hours per week for 10 weeks beginning the first week of June 3 - August 10, 2026 (appx).

**This position begins Block 5 2026 with the opportunity to extend employment into 2027.**

### **How to apply:**

**Deadline to apply JAN 23, 2026 11:59 PM**

### **Required application materials:**

Resume; cover letter; relevant coursework, portfolio.

Preferred Qualifications:

- Adventurous spirit
- Studio art and design, graphic design, photography, photoshop or photo editor, competency
- Social media and/or publishing experience
- Excellent written and verbal skills
- Interest in finding balance between human activity and the impact of human activity on the environment

Essential Duties: design and produce promotional material and campaigns for print, social media, presentations, etc.; help plan and execute campus State of the Rockies student events; content contributor to the digital magazine.

## Learning Competencies:

### **Career and Life Design**

The ability to proactively manage your personal and professional growth throughout your life journey.

### **Communication**

The ability to articulate thoughts and ideas clearly and effectively to exchange information, using a broad range of communication styles, appropriate platforms to deliver and receive messages, and effectively communicate to different audiences in a variety of situations.

### **Creative Thinking**

The ability to engage dynamically with the unknown and willingness to reconsider existing problems or situations in new ways.

### **Critical Thinking**

The ability to exercise sound reasoning to analyze information, make decisions, identify problems, and develop workable solutions.

### **Equity and Inclusion**

The ability to demonstrate awareness, attitudes, knowledge, and skills required to equitably engage and include people from all identities and cultures. Engage in anti-racist practices that actively challenge the systems, structures, and policies of racism.

### **Leadership**

The ability to recognize and leverage personal and the individual strengths of others to achieve common goals and use interpersonal skills to coach and develop others.

### **Manage Information**

The ability to obtain, critically interpret, use, and communicate information, turning qualitative and quantitative data into knowledge.

### **Personal and Professional Effectiveness**

The ability to demonstrate accountability to self and others through effective habits to be productive in work and life.

### **Teamwork**

The ability to collaborate with others toward a shared goal, participating actively, and maximizing team performance.

### **Technology**

The ability to select and leverage existing technologies and use them ethically to solve problems, complete tasks, and accomplish goals efficiently. Ability to identify, learn, and effectively use new and emerging technologies.

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