

Site Supervision Opportunity

What is Site Supervision?

The Civic Learning Site Experience is grounded in the principles of Alexander Astin's Involvement Theory. Students are matched with an on-campus site that is in line with their involvement interests, needs, and/or strengths. Students meet regularly with the site supervisor to discuss progress and ongoing expectations. Students also attend peer-facilitated reflection group meetings with other students completing the Site Experience Program.

The Site Experience is mutually beneficial for the student and the site. Students are given the opportunity to meet new people, have new experiences, and become aware of all the JMU campus has to offer. The site will benefit as a result of the student utilizing his or her strengths to contribute to the site's mission.

Will I be trained?

Yes. Training as a site supervisor requires completion of three sessions that can be completed in one day (8 - 2:30) or split up over multiple days. Once you have completed this/these training(s), you are ready to be a site supervisor. Updates are provided through newsletters & ongoing communication with the program coordinators. You will also be provided with opportunities to attend brown bag sessions to learn more and talk with other mentors about your experience—these are not required but highly recommended.

Benefits

Most staff enjoy site supervision for several reasons:

- 1) You get to be a part of helping a student receive education for breaking the code of conduct
- 2) You can add site supervision to your resume
- 3) It benefits the student & your office—it's a great way to receive help doing projects in your office
- 4) You represent the university in response to student behavior
- 5) You get the chance to see a student really grow as a person
- 6) You get to form a relationship with a student that may continue to benefit both of you long after the completion of the program

How Do I sign Up?

Please feel free to give Greg Meyer (Assistant Director) a call (568-8074) if you are interested in finding out more about site supervision.