

Community Work and Learning

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Impact of Work:

As a student coordinator, my main tasks this semester was to communicate with the sites, the tutors, our other student coordinator, and our program coordinator and creating trainings for the tutors. My favorite moments were definitely the in person/ online communication that I had with everyone. As this was my first time working in the office, it was nice seeing everyone and meeting some people in person. I also enjoyed the check in with the tutors because I felt like I could help them if they needed it. I really enjoyed being able to see our program coordinator Megann and the student coordinator Tess and be able to discuss in person with them if needed. I think that this made it easier for organization and team building.

Personal Growth:

I became more comfortable with my written communication skills and being able to train and give them made me more comfortable with my oral communication skills as well. I saw a growth especially compared to when I first started when I was unsure of how to properly send out an email and I was second guessing myself.

Career Impact:

Some main skills that I took away from my time as a student coordinator would be organization, written and oral skill, and building relationships. I think that those three skills can be transferred to any career especially those where you plan to work with people which is what I am planning on doing.