

## UNIVERSITY OF MARYLAND SUMMER 2024/FALL 2024/SPRING 2025

## FEDERAL WORK-STUDY SUPERVISOR'S STUDENT REQUEST

(Supervisor's On-line Orientation and Supervisor Acknowledgement Checklist must also be completed) http://www.umaryland.edu/workstudy

TO PARTICIPATE IN THE FWS PROGRAM THERE MUST BE A SUPERVISOR AND AN ALTERNATE SUPERVISOR

Please attach a job description for this FWS position.

Could this work-site be considered as Community Service?  YesNoX
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Completion of this request form does not guarantee the department/agency will have a Federal Work-Study student employee. The person who signs this form must also sign the student's Job Certification Form and approve the biweekly payroll timesheets. If a student exceeds their maximum FWS award, the supervisor's department is responsible for paying 100 percent of the over award.

Return completed form to:

E-Mail: FWS@umaryland.edu Phone: 410-706-7347

## **FWS Job Description: First Generation Lead Scholar**

This FWS student position will support the Office of Student Affairs by serving as a peer mentor for and working closely with incoming first-generation MSW students. This position will be hybrid, allowing the candidate to work in person at SSW sometimes and work independently and remotely at other times. Mentoring and research activities may take place remotely. This position is anticipated to be approximately 50% in person and 50% remote.

The ideal candidate is committed to helping to create a welcoming and inclusive environment for all students. This position does not supervise others.

## Duties will include:

- 1. Working closely with the Student Affair's Dean to create a sense of inclusion for students
- 3. Co-facilitating community building circles with the Associate Dean
- 4. Offering support and guidance to first-generation students
- 5. Connecting students with appropriate resources
- 6. Identifying opportunities for ongoing connection among all students
- 7. Serving as a mentor to incoming students. This person will work collaboratively with the OSA RA related to mentoring activities
- 9. Collect, review, and present program satisfaction data for FGSP. Work with Dean to make programmatic recommendations.
- 10. Hold informal office hours in first-gen and friends lounge
- 11. Researching other first-generation programs and providing recommendations to the OSA Dean
- 13. Other duties as assigned