FAQs about the LSI Student Director position

Why should I apply to be a Student Director?

- **It is a ministry**: an opportunity to help teach fellow students the importance of servant leadership and empower them with the skills they need to be effective leaders.

- **It is a learning experience**: while helping create programs to teach others about leadership, you will gain vital leadership and team experience that is valuable in your own pursuits.

- **It is a chance to get to lead alongside fellow directors**: you will work with a group that includes juniors and seniors—the team is designed to emphasize each director’s strengths. As you work alongside the other directors, you will find that close friendships form.

- **Because it’s fun!** The team is created to help develop a solid program for the students involved, but great relationships and fun are also a benefit.

What responsibilities come with being a Student Director?

- **Weekly meetings**
The Director team will meet once a week for approximately 2 hours. During this time we plan, prepare and evaluate events, and give individual assignments to be completed outside of the meeting.

- **Attendance at LSI events (which are typically held on Wednesdays)**
You will play a vital role in most of them!

- **Assist in preparation for and evaluation of events**
Your help will be needed to create new ideas, make the programs flow as smoothly as possible, and to evaluate the outcome of events. This will include helping with the set-up and clean-up of the event. You’ll also reserve an hour each week to work independently on LSI projects.

How much time is involved?

- **The time commitment varies from week to week.**
The normal time range is between 8 and 12 hours per week (but could be more during weeks with multiple events).

Unlike other student leader positions at JBU, this team stays together until graduation, so for many of you, this will be a 3-year commitment.

Can I apply for more than one leadership position?

- **Yes, but...**
We encourage you to apply for and investigate as many positions as you are interested in; however, there will come a time when you will have to choose between positions. See the information below.

Can I be involved in other ministries, sports, activities, work-study etc.?

- We ask that you take into consideration all that you are doing before you take on the director position or other positions once you are a director. Having too many other commitments might eliminate you from further consideration.
- You cannot combine this position with another primary leadership role like RA, SMLT, SGA officer, etc. You will need Becci’s permission before taking on an additional major work or time commitment.

- Being a Director won’t prevent you from doing work study; in fact there are possible work study opportunities available within the program.

- Being a Director shouldn’t keep you from studying abroad—we’re all for that experience! Talk to us if you’re considering studying abroad.

**Who are we looking for?**

- We are hoping to hire two directors.

- Among other things, we’re looking for hard-working, motivated team players with an honest passion for Christ and for leadership that matters.

Note: This is a scholarship position, for more information, contact Becci Rothfuss.