Position Description
Join West Chester University and the Department of Campus Recreation in one of the more experiential educational and active life-style departments on our campus! If you possess the ability to consistently offer outstanding customer service, show a willingness to learn and engage with others to create an inclusive and welcoming environment and have a strong attention to detail Campus Recreation is the place for you! Additionally, if you have a desire to expose fellow students and patrons of the Student Recreation Center to the sport of climbing in a fun, inclusive, and supportive environment this role is for you! This position plays an essential role in ensuring that climbers feel welcome and safe utilizing our facility.

Duties:
- Provide outstanding customer service and an efficient check-in process for climbing wall patrons
- Maintain a safe climbing environment by monitoring climbers’ crash pad placement, belaying technique, and climbing practices
- Conduct regular inspection of climbing wall equipment
- Belay new climbers or climbers without a belay certified partner
- Clean and inspect all climbing equipment
- Provide a flexible schedule working between 6-12 hours/week including weekends
- Other duties as assigned

Required Qualifications:
- Currently enrolled student at West Chester University
- Complete all payroll and background clearances as required by West Chester University
- Certification in CPR/AED/First Aid (or ability to obtain within 90 days)
- Successfully based WCU Belay Certification
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- Maintained a clean climbing record at the WCU Wall
- Strong interpersonal skills
- Ability to teach basic climbing skills (belaying, body positioning, crash pad placement)
- Ability to smile for long-periods of time

Preferred Qualifications:
- AMGA or PCIA Climbing Wall Instructor Certification
- One year teaching climbing skills in a gym setting
- Strong critical thinking skills

Learning Outcomes:
- Monitors will justify precautions taken to minimize inherent risks in climbing
- Monitors will explain importance of communication in climbing
- Monitors will demonstrate proper belay technique according to the AMGA standard
- Monitors will demonstrate their ability to manage multiple tasks

This is a part-time position starting at $8.50 per hour.
Application Process:

- Attend a Campus Recreation Recruitment and Information session
- Successfully complete the Campus Recreation Employment Application and submit the application with a current resume at the Student Recreation Center, Welcome Desk
- Attend a Campus Recreation On-boarding session fully completing all required paperwork

For any questions, please contact Steve Sassaman at ssassaman@wcupa.edu.