

UChicago Peer Mentor 2021

What is an UCMP Peer Mentor?

The UChicago Mentoring Program (UCMP) began as a student led project that was adopted by College Programming and Orientation as a program “for the students, by the students.” The UCMP strives to foster community at the University of Chicago through peer mentorship. UCMP provides all incoming students with an upper-class mentor to aid in their transition to the College and University of Chicago. UCMP Peer Mentors assist new students with their transition to the College and promote UCMP modules.

All roles will be overseen by the UCMP Advisory Board and College Programming and Orientation. If you apply to be a UCMP Peer Mentor, you are welcome to apply for the O-Team positions as well. Information about the other O-Team positions can be found at oteam.chicago.edu

What are my responsibilities?

- Serve as a peer mentor from spring quarter through winter quarter.
- Engage with mentee group from June – December 2020.
- Participate in Peer Mentor training sessions during the spring, winter, and autumn quarters.
- Must be back in Chicago by for O-Week program.
- Complete all assigned virtual events, tasks, and communications.
- Answer all mentee questions, or direct to resource who can better answer question or help.
- Bring any concerns about mentee to Board and/or CPO Staff.
- Help promote the UChicago Mentoring Program.
- Represent the College and University in a positive manner.

What's in it for me?

- \$500 stipend upon completion of all responsibilities and program.
- Peer Mentor socials programs.
- SWAG from the College and a thank you gift.

What are the desired skills and qualifications?

- Takes pride in the University of Chicago and being a UChicago student.
- Provides excellent customer service.
- Takes both initiative and can take direction.
- Can adapt to new challenges and solve problems creatively.
- Is able to work effectively and collaboratively as a team.
- Works well and acts responsibly under pressure.



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