Technical Teaching Instructor(s)
STEM Summer Programs
Paid Positions
Location: Madison, WI

Multiple 15-40-hour instructor roles available and full compensation for Summer 2017 (beginning in June).

OVERVIEW

Want to be a part of an engaging calendar of summer programs? Like working with the latest technology? If you believe the future of technology is brightened by the diverse young builders of tomorrow, then we want you on our team. We are looking for the talented and passionate instructors who are willing to go above and beyond. We seek those who believe teaching and learning go hand in hand. Those who empathize with great ideas. Those who work with in details but think in the abstract. Those who can fail forward. Those who can take an idea and run with it. And those who work toward progress as a team.

WHO WE ARE

Maydm, a non-profit 501(c)(3) based in Madison, Wisconsin equips girls and students of color with the technical programming skills and experiences to become innovators and technology leaders. Through passionate instructors, creative minds, exciting workshops, and semester long programs we teach 3rd-12th grade students programming and computer science fundamentals, while instilling the confidence to build in fun and creative ways.

OUR SUMMER PROGRAMS

Our summer 2017 programs offer new experiences to the students of Dane County. We’re excited to roll out introductions to Virtual Reality through Google Cardboard, giving young artists the chance to explore 360 degree photography or painting in a virtual environment. We’re stepping out of the boundaries of a standard web design or mobile development class. We want students to walk away with the fundamentals, but we also recognize and encourage the constant evolution of technology and underlying ideologies. It is for this reason that we’re taking an intersectional approach to teaching our classes. Finally, it’s taking all of these intersections and inspiring a student to believe they can dream bigger with the skills and opportunities we equip them with.

CANDIDATES

Candidates that are interested in working with us will be expected to lead immersive classes of up to 8 students in varying subjects. A working knowledge of web development or mobile development are critical, and teaching experience is preferred. Descriptions for all of our classes can be found online at www.maydm.org starting March 1st. Maydm will provide a thorough onboarding process and support its instructors in their daily activities. Candidates that will work best with us are those that come ready to learn or can already

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empathize with principles of youth development and/or instruction, demonstrable by experience or a clear willingness to rapidly learn on the job.

**DIRECT RESPONSIBILITIES**

- Instruct with team of instructors to provide Maydm curriculum
- Build upon the day, with exciting and interactive activities
- Mentor, listen to, and engage with students of all backgrounds and skill levels
- Encourage students to self-identify as technical leaders or resources within their communities
- Stay critical and self-evaluate
- Arrive each day early and with a positive attitude
- Stay up to date on changes in the curriculum or programs as a whole
- Learn new technologies as necessary

**REQUIREMENTS**

- Demonstrable experience in front-end or full stack development through web development, mobile development, media management, design work, or hardware development
- Flexible/open summer schedule
- Experience teaching or instructing in some capacity, preferably with students grades 4th-12th
- Strong problem solving skills, personal integrity, maturity, credibility
- Strong organizational skills and attention to student needs
- Working knowledge of social justice frameworks
- Teamwork oriented, but capable of decision making on your own when necessary
- Love having fun and support fun-first teaching ideologies
- Must pass background check

Diverse candidates encouraged to apply

**COMPENSATION**

Maydm is a 501(c)(3) non-profit that compensates at a competitive full-time hourly wage. This is a limited term employment position with no benefits.

Maydm is an equal-opportunity employer.

**HOW TO APPLY**

Interested candidates should send a cover letter, resume, and references to hello@maydm.org with Technical Teaching Instructor in the subject line.
Within your application, indicate your summer availability, desired part-time or full-time position.