

Posting Date: August 2025

Position: Global Engagement Coordinator

Department: Student Engagement and Leadership Hours per Week: 25 hours weekly

12-month

Founded in 1887, Alverno College is a four-year, Catholic liberal arts college for undergraduate women sponsored by the School Sisters of St. Francis. The college also offers a robust array of graduate and degree completion programs for women and men. Student learning and personal and professional development are the central focus of everyone in the Alverno College community. As Wisconsin's first designated Hispanic-Serving Institution, Alverno enrolls a highly diverse student body of virtually every demographic and experience. It is an institution that has revered tradition and encouraged innovation for more than 130 years.

The College is seeking applicants for a **12-month**, **part-time Global Engagement Coordinator** located in Milwaukee, WI. Alverno College health, disability, and retirement plan enrollment is available to full time employees and eligible dependents. Tuition benefits are available for employees and qualified dependents.

Primary Duties and Responsibilities

The following information is not meant to be all-inclusive. Other duties and responsibilities may be assigned as necessary.

Coordinate Alverno College's short- and long-term study abroad opportunities and provide advising to international degree seeking and exchange students. The Coordinator works with students, faculty, staff, and outside partners to expand student participation in study abroad and provide direct support to international students. This position will require occasional evening and weekend hours.

Study Abroad Responsibilities

- 1. Partner with Marketing/Graphics to create and update promotional materials for study abroad.
- 2. Coordinate the annual study abroad fair and monthly travel talk and tea.
- 3. Creatively promote study abroad opportunities and increase student participation each year.
- 4. Maintain partnerships with 3rd party study abroad groups and exchange partner institutions to support incoming and outgoing study educational opportunities.
- 5. Organize the Travelship scholarship program for students who study abroad

International Student Program Responsibilities

- 6. Serve as primary international student advisor with responsibilities in SEVIS (Must be a U.S. citizen or U.S. Legal Permanent Resident per federal guidelines) as a DSO and ARO for the degree-seeking and exchange international students. Serve as academic advisor for exchange students.
- 7. Collaborate with Admissions to ensure a smooth transition from admission to matriculation. Provide pre-arrival support.
- 8. Advise incoming international students and their dependents on issues related to immigration, cultural, social, and academic concerns.
- 9. Interpret and apply U.S. immigration regulations and policies/procedures concerning F-1 & J-1 immigration benefits related to maintenance of status.
- 10. Stay informed on federal and state regulations impacting F-1 and J-1 immigration and best practices in the field of immigration compliance and advising



- 11. Serve as the lead coordinator for specialized short term inbound exchange programs.
- 12. Maintain relationships with exchange partner universities as it relates to J-1 exchange programs.
- 13. Collaborate in the coordination of marketing materials for international students.
- 14. Oversee the international student insurance component.
- 15. Serve as the campus emergency contact for international students
- 16. Plan and facilitate orientation for new international and exchange students

College Responsibilities

- 17. Participate in department meetings, retreats, student programs, and official college functions (i.e. Commencement, Convocation), and other duties as assigned
- 18. Participate in student recruitment events, classroom visits, etc.
- 19. Maintain communication with other colleges, professional peers, and organizations (e.g. WAICU, NASPA) in order to remain current in areas of responsibility
- 20. Remain updated on trends and issues related to study abroad, international/exchange, and multicultural programs
- 21. Maintain professionalism and confidentiality with sensitive information
- 22. Support college efforts in retention. This includes connections with students and keeping data such as attendance trackers for activities and benchmark data
- 23. Comply with safety procedures and maintain clean and orderly work areas.
- 24. Perform other tasks as necessary to support the mission of the College.

Qualifications and Education

- Bachelor's degree required. Master's degree preferred.
- Demonstrated understanding of student development, racial identity development, and complexity of social identities, as well as social justice concepts.
 - a. Ability to work effectively with individuals and groups from a variety of identities, specifically, but not limited to, Latino, Asian, Muslim, African American, and LGBTQ communities
- One year of professional experience in study abroad, international education coordination or project management preferred.
- Must be a U.S. citizen or U.S. Legal Permanent Resident per federal guidelines for SEVIS access.
- Requires the ability to work with and maintain confidential information.
- Ability to work independently as well as collaborate with others.
- Requires excellent written and oral communication skills including the ability to communicate and respond to both internal and external customers professionally and in a timely manner. Must have the ability to read, interpret, write, and complete documents such as reports, newsletters, and general correspondence.
- Requires a working knowledge of Microsoft Office and database systems (e.g. PeopleSoft, Colleague, Jenzabar)
- Requires strong organizational skills and the ability to multi-task, prioritize, and work with frequent interruptions. Must have the ability to professionally respond to variations in schedules and plans.
- Requires strong problem-solving skills including the ability to develop innovative approaches and ideas and meet challenges with resourcefulness.
- Requires valid driver's license with a driving record that meets the qualifications of an Alverno driver.
- Requires the ability to move throughout the facility and grounds. Must have the ability to frequently lift and/or move up to 10 pounds and occasionally lift and/or move up to 35 pounds. Must have the ability to talk and hear.

Successful candidates will have a demonstrated commitment to promoting diversity, inclusion, and multicultural competence in an educational and work environment and must be willing to contribute to the College's strategic plan of inclusion.



How to Apply

Apply on-line at https://www.alverno.edu/jobs/apply/login.php

Please attach your cover letter, resume, and list of references to the online application

In accordance with the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA), Alverno College will provide reasonable accommodations to qualified individuals with disabilities. If you require accommodations during the application or interview process, please contact HR@alverno.edu.

Alverno College is an Equal Opportunity Employer and committed to workplace diversity