# GTU STUDENT EMPLOYMENT JOB DESCRIPTION

**Dept./Organization:** Main Library / GTU Library Collection Development **Supervisor:** Head of Technical Services & Collection Development

Job Title: Collection Management Assistant

#### **Job Description:**

The Collection Management Assistant undertakes various short-term projects necessary for the general management of the Library's print, microform, digital, and other media collections.

### **Responsibilities:**

- 1) Assist in the verification and preparation of library books for relocation to offsite storage.
- 2) Verify items-in-hand against existing cataloging record.
- 3) Update location and status information on each appropriate record.
- 4) Pack books in boxes for shipment.
- 5) Maintain standard shipping notations for boxes created.
- 6) Develop a protocol for the recognition and resolution of various problems as they become apparent.
- 7) Other duties as assigned may include: assisting various staff members as needed with assorted Collection Development/Collection Maintenance projects [such as shelving items; reconfiguring existing shelving; relocating shelved, filed or stored items; boxing materials for removal.]

#### **Qualifications:**

To perform this job successfully, an individual must be able to perform each essential duty satisfactorily. The requirements listed below are representative of the knowledge, skill, and/or ability required. Reasonable accommodation may be made to enable individuals with disabilities to perform the essential functions.

## Required Experience, Skills, & Knowledge

- Demonstrated ability to:
  - o Work collaboratively with Library Staff
  - o Perform repetitive tasks accurately and neatly
  - o Pay attention to detail but also recognize anomalies and seek advice
  - o Follow instructions well
  - o Communicate effectively with colleagues.
  - Use or easily learn office computer applications, especially those supportive of the Library work environment
  - o Lift and carry 50 pound boxes
- Close vision and ability to adjust focus for working on computers
- Ability to shift a number of boxes using a cart and push/pull a book cart weighing up to 200 pounds
- Ability to reach above shoulder, below shoulder and at arms' length to remove books from shelves and pack boxes
- Ability to bend and stoop to reach books on lowest shelves in library

Ability to manipulate a computer keyboard, mouse and paperwork/files

• Regular attendance is required as essential part of job

**Hours:** 8-19 per week between Monday - Friday 8:30 a.m. - 5.00 p.m.

**Hourly rate:** \$13.00

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**Application process:** Send applications before 12/18/15, end of Fall semester. Applications will be

reviewed as received.

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