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APPLICATION DUE MARCH 25
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AUGUST 2024 - APRIL 2025



MANAGINGEDITOR

KEY RESPONSIBILITIES:

The Managing Editor acts the manager of The Lode student newspaper.

- Develop strategy for growth and improvement.
- Communicate and collaborate with members of The Lode and the community.
- Stay informed about campus events, news, and trends to ensure timely and relevant information is being released.
- Stay committed to truthful content, organizational growth, and ethical journalism practices.
- Foster engagement and professional development within the organization.

QUALIFICATIONS:

- Currently enrolled Michigan Tech student in good academic standing.
- Strong managerial, organizational, and time-management skills.
- Excellent written and verbal communication skills.
- Ability to commit five to ten hours per week, as needed, including evenings and weekends.
- (preferred) Completed coursework/training in design, journalism, communications, writing, media, and/or related fields.
- (preferred) Previous management experience.

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EDITORIAL ASSISTANT -

KEY RESPONSIBILITIES:

The Editorial Assistant position is versatile and integrative into all functions of a newspaper.

- Monitor and continuously improve distribution of the paper.
- Copy edit articles on a weekly basis.
- Take meeting minutes at General Body Meetings.
- Fluidly move from one function of the newspaper to another when needed.
- Generate ideas for cross-functional improvement of the organization.

QUALIFICATIONS:

- Currently enrolled Michigan Tech student in good academic standing.
- Strong adaptation, organization, and observation skills.
- Excellent written and verbal communication skills.
- Ability to commit five to ten hours per week, as needed, including evenings and weekends.
- (preferred) Completed coursework/training in design, journalism, communications, writing, media, and/or related fields.

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— MEDIA EDITOR —

KEY RESPONSIBILITIES:

The Media Editor position is a crucial role to ensure that The Lode content reaches as many Michigan Tech students as possible.

- Maintain social media relations (Instagram, Facebook, X, etc).
- Routinely brainstorm and produce LodeTV episodes.
- Collaborate with writers, photographers, and editors to create visually appealing content.
- Stay informed about campus events, news and trends to ensure timely media coverage.

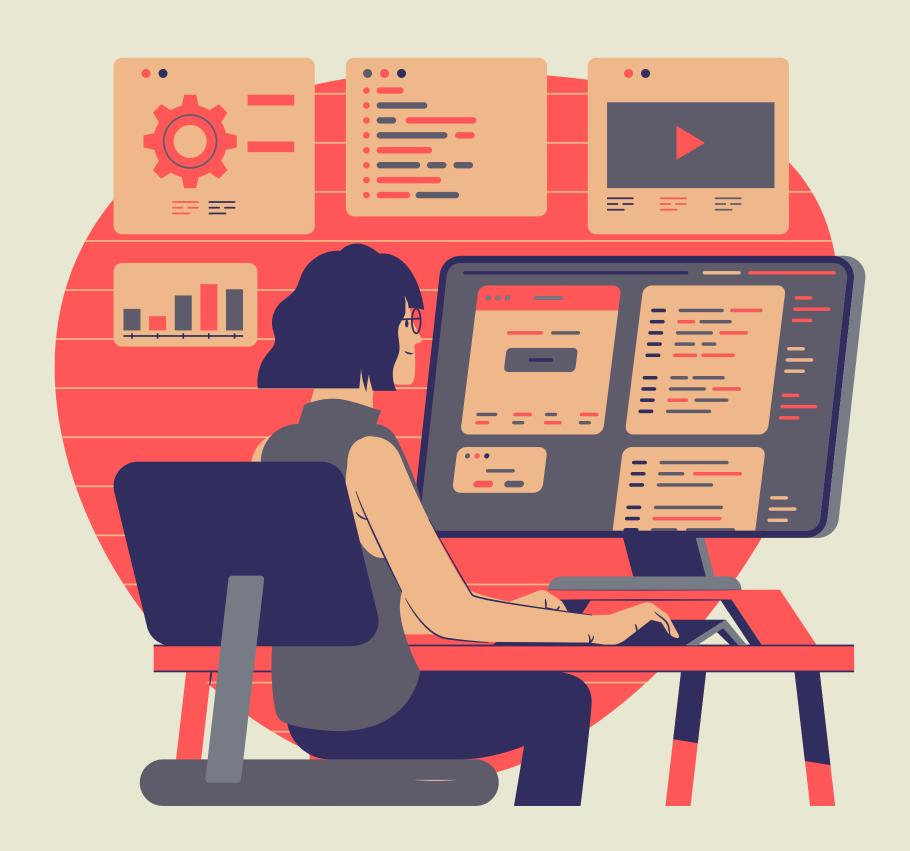
QUALIFICATIONS:

- Currently enrolled Michigan Tech student in good academic standing.
- Strong technological, video/picture editing, and creativity skills.
- Excellent written and verbal communication skills.
- Ability to commit five to ten hours per week, as needed, including evenings and weekends.
- (preferred) Completed coursework/training in design, journalism, communications, writing, media, and/or related fields.
- (preferred) Previous experience in social media management or content creation.

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DESIGN, LAYOUT& COPYEDITOR

KEY RESPONSIBILITIES:

The Design, Layout, & Copy Editor position is critical to managing the overall design of the newspaper.

- Control layout of the newspaper design using InDesign.
- Design posters and infographics for outreach and advertising.
- Copy edit articles on a weekly basis.
- Manage merchandise ordering and design.

QUALIFICATIONS:

- Currently enrolled Michigan Tech student in good academic standing.
- Strong technology, creativity, and design skills.
- Excellent written and verbal communication skills.
- Ability to commit five to ten hours per week, as needed, including evenings and weekends.
- (preferred) Completed coursework/training in design, journalism, communications, writing, media, and/or related fields.
- (preferred) Previous design experience.

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