

Nebraska Civic Engagement Table Organizer School

Salary: \$33,000/year plus benefits

Contract length: 1 year

Job Type: full time temporary

Positions Available: 2

Location: Lincoln, Nebraska

Mission

The Nebraska Civic Engagement Table is a nonpartisan organization whose mission is to strengthen the collective impact of, and collaboration between, nonprofit 501c3 community and advocacy organizations that empower the rising electorate in our state.

Goal

Our goal is to build an electorate representative of all Nebraskans, where everyone is able to participate in the democratic process and members of the rising electorate have their voices heard in the policy making decisions that affect their lives. We will accomplish this goal by creating a culture of civic engagement in Nebraska, and by strengthening the nonprofit community through collaboration, training, and leadership development.

Job Summary

The Nebraska Civic Engagement Table ("the Table") seeks candidates for the Organizer School/nonprofit member placement program. The value of an organizer to group or nonprofit cannot be understated, but often for smaller organizations, having an organizer on salary is cost prohibitive. Through this program individuals will work full time with the Table staff for the first six to eight weeks of the contract learning all aspects of organizing, including field, data, and communications skills. Following the training period with the Table, organizers will be placed with one of our over sixty member nonprofits for the remainder of the year long contract (roughly eleven months).

The Table Organizing School is open to students, recent graduates or any person seeking experience in organizing as it relates to civic engagement, community connectedess, advocacy, public policy and nonprofit leadership.

Successful candidates will gain experience primarily in field organizing, managing and participating in activities like: volunteer recruitment, canvassing, phone banking, predictive scoring, advanced targeting, and post-election assessment. Organizers will work in civic engagement and community connectedness programs, voter registration, and other Get-Out-The-Vote (GOTV) efforts.



Preferred skills/abilities:

Candidates should have an interest in nonprofit advocacy and/or civic engagement, have basic computer skills, and be adaptable, enthusiastic, and enjoy working with the public. Successful candidates will also exhibit enthusiasm for creating meaningful change in Nebraska. Bilingual applicants are encouraged to apply.

Required Hours:

Full time, averaging 40 hours/week. This position will require evening and weekend availability.

This grant funded position provides a salary of \$33,000 plus benefits.

Applications will be accepted on a rolling basis until positions are filled.

To apply, please send a resume and cover letter via email to:

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