

Meghan L. Blevins

Experience

Pennsylvania State University – EPISCenter January 2015-present University Park , PA

Research Assistant

- Provide training and technical assistance to Pennsylvania Communities That Care (CTC) coalitions.
- Work directly with developers of CTC and research groups to disseminate coalition-based research and best-practices.
- Develop and brand CTC training materials.

Olivet Boys & Girls Club May 2006-present Reading, PA

Director of Specialized Initiatives (February 2011-January 2015)

- Supervise all Juvenile Justice programming and staff in collaboration with the Berks County Juvenile Probation Office.
- Evaluate programs on their impact with pre/post testing, the Youth Participant Survey, attendance, and recidivism rate and communicate outcomes to funding sources.
- Co-manage social media site, write press releases, conference speaker, formulate and update policy manuals and job descriptions.
- Plan organization-wide fundraising events, incentive programs, and recreational events.

Program Coordinator – Mentoring and the Arts Program (May 2006-February 2011)

- Coordinate all community service hours for youth, art components, special events, and paperwork for the Mentoring and the Arts Program.
- Develop and train staff in the areas of policy, youth development, and effective programming.
- Facilitate organization-wide trainings.
- Maintain relationships and collaborate with community organizations and community members.
- Create and implement program budget.

Yocum Institute for Arts Education January 2006-present Wyomissing, PA

Assistant Dance Director (September 2011-September 2012)

- Manage staff and assist students and parents.
- Create yearly dance schedule.
- Develop marketing for classes.

Dance Instructor (June 2006 – January 2015)

- Teach outreach classes for the Gateway School for the Arts, Berks County Intermediate Unit, Olivet Boys & Girls Club, and the Exeter Library.
- Assist in planning yearly dance recital.
- Teach variety of dance classes on site.

