

# **CAREER OPPORTUNITY**

Job Title:	Program Manager
FLSA Status:	Exempt/Full-Time
Reports To:	Director of Connectional Ministries
Location:	Fulton, MD

## **Position Overview**

The Connectional Ministries Program Manager will support the design, implementation and effectiveness of programmatic and project work that advances the Baltimore-Washington Conference's mission of inspiring and equipping local faith communities to develop disciples of Jesus Christ for the transformation of the world.

### **General Responsibilities**

- Designs, implements, and manages activities associated with grants related to Connectional Ministries.
- Collaborates with other BWC departments, including Finance/Operations, Leadership and Congregational Development, New Faith Expressions, Districts and Communications to ensure that efforts are aligned and operating smoothly.
- Manages data collection and delivery and tracks progress related to Key Performance Indicators for assigned programs and initiatives.
- Prepares written reports to communicate programmatic successes and challenges to leadership, and other key stakeholders.
- Ensures that Connectional Ministries milestones/goals are met while monitoring and adhering to approved budgets.
- Supports major events as determined by the Executive Team.
- Collaborates with leadership and subject matter experts to identify opportunities to improve work flow and reduce logistics costs.
- Builds and maintains strong collaborative relationships.
- Equips key leaders to: a. plan and manage projects; b. measure impact; and c. track progress in ministry.
- Provides support as needed to the following teams: Nominations, Abundant Health (which includes VIM/ERT) and Advocacy & Action.
- Other duties as assigned by the Director of Connectional Ministries.

## Qualifications

Education & Experience

- Bachelor's degree required. Master's degree or other relevant leadership position preferred.
- Minimum of five years of progressive experience related to complex project and program management including development, implementation and continual evaluation, with demonstrated positive outcomes.
- Ministry development skills necessary especially experience initiating and evaluating new ideas and translating them into sustainable ministry.
- Experience in project management and ministry management; certification is highly preferred.
- Experience with budget and financial systems.

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• An ever-deepening relationship with Jesus Christ required with active membership in a United Methodist Church preferred.

## Skills and Attributes

- Passionate about Jesus and compassionate for all God's people.
- Personal credibility through strong communication skills (written and verbal), achieving results, and trusted relationships internally and externally.
- Excellent facilitation and project management skills with ability to lead the project teams, and to drive tasks to completion while gaining the cooperation of others.
- Strong skills and experience with diagnosing and resolving complex problems and opportunities.
- Proficient in computer skills needed to support project tactics and is willing to learn new technologies as needed. Familiarity with technological software and hardware platforms that support program management.
- Ability to solve problems and exercise objective judgment while maintaining exceptional customer service. Maintains flexibility to deal with changing priorities and workload demands.
- Must be a collaborative team player, able to take initiative, and to work in a fast-paced environment.

### How to Apply

Applicants should send a resume and cover letter outlining how they meet the specific requirements of the position to <u>ftagoe@bwcumc.org</u> by Friday, March 2, 2018.

While we sincerely appreciate all applications, only those candidates selected for interview will be contacted.

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