Binghamton University – Mountainview College  
Academic Support Graduate Assistantship

Binghamton University has six residential communities. Each community is organized under a collegiate structure with its own trained professional staff, student government, community-specific activities and programs, dining hall, and tenured faculty member. To provide residents a true community feeling, a variety of weekly social events are held.

Mountainview College is launching an experimental program to shape student life within the residential environment to advance student learning in new and creative ways. The goal of this initiative is to create a transformational learning environment that will support residents’ transition to young adulthood while assuring a safe and respectful environment for all. To support pursuit of this goal, Mountainview will institute the practice of shared governance; will implement a casework approach in response to residents struggling socially, behaviorally, psycho-emotionally and academically; will support high impact learning experiences; will provide educational supports for academic success and will design and create active learning spaces.

Description
Mountainview College is seeking one graduate student to fill a Graduate Assistantship (GA). Anticipated educational outcomes include the ability to gain direct experience working with a professional staff to develop effective methods to respond to residents struggling socially, behaviorally, psycho-emotionally and academically; have a more complete understanding of the different tools and resources available to support student success; further develop the GA’s ability to conduct effective meetings with other students; develop professional organizational skills and assist with departmental assessment tools.

Students must be accepted into a Binghamton University Graduate program for the 2016-2017 academic year.

Duties and Responsibilities
- Work with professional staff to support residential student academic success
- Train and coach staff to support academic success of residents
- Coordinate activities of the Mountainview Student Success Center
- Conduct meetings with students that are distressed or in need of academic assistance and connect them with the resources they require
- Work closely with staff of the Discovery Program, University Tutoring, academic advising offices, Fleishman Center, Center for Civic Engagement, International Student Support Services/Office of International Programs, Educational Opportunity Program and Binghamton Advantage Program
- Analyze, interpret, and report on data
- Develop and assist with the global engagement spaces
- May serve in on-call duty rotation

Qualifications
- Strong organizational skills and ability to manage multiple priorities
- Ability to work interdependently with professional staff, other graduate students, and undergraduate students
- Ability to assess academic outcomes

TO APPLY
Persons interested should submit the general application on the Student Affairs website, resume, letter of interest summarizing qualifications and relevant experience, and the names and contact information for two (2) references to kgarriso@binghamton.edu.