

# Ministry Partner Development (MPD) Manager

# **Summary/Objective**

The Ministry Partner Development (MPD) Manager thoroughly believes fully funded staff is more effective in their ministry with IFI. Support raising is not a necessary evil, rather an integral aspect of a staff person's ministry role with IFI. The MPD Manager is focused on fostering a positive organizational culture as well as organizational systems, training, and development programs that empower all staff to get fully funded and stay fully funded.

## Responsibilities

Responsibilities include (but are not limited to):

# Support Raising Systems

- o Facilitating, maintaining, and managing the mechanisms by which the organization trains, equips, and empowers their staff in effective support raising
- o Training and equipping appointee support raisers, including basic supervisory responsibilities regarding payroll, benefits, and performance expectations
- o Providing current staff with continued growth and development in their support raising skills, knowledge, and effectiveness
- o Regularly reviewing all staff accounts, then guiding current staff, who are below acceptable support levels, to get back to full-funding
- o Managing, developing, and empowering full-time and/or part-time coaches
- o Developing resources, as needed

## Support Raising Culture

- o Being an encouraging and insistent voice for quality support raising throughout the organization
- o Working well with other organizational leaders
- o Developing support raising priorities for an organization
- o Implementing and holding staff to support raising policies and recommending policy revisions
- o Ensuring other leaders in the ministry are informed, empowered, and engaged in enacting support raising policies throughout the organization
- Other duties, as assigned. Duties/responsibilities may change at any time.

# **Required Qualifications**

- Proficient with technology, including Microsoft Office and Google applications
- Understanding of and commitment to IFI's financial policies and ability to hold others accountable thereto
- Models a personal commitment to his/her own support raising and is fully funded
- Demonstrates the administrative ability to manage organization-wide systems and resources
- Demonstrates the relational skills to develop an organization-wide culture through personal modeling, clear communication, working with other leaders, and directing support raising coaches



- Communicates clearly and works well with others, including an ability to lovingly confront as needed
- Well organized with attention to detail and ability to complete tasks independently

## **Required Spiritual Characteristics**

- Adherence to IFI's statement of faith, core values, and policies
- Person of spiritual maturity and have a vibrant and growing relationship with Christ
- Ability to work under stress and be flexible
- Be able to verbally articulate personal faith and a Christian worldview
- Is faithful, loyal and dedicated to IFI's mission to extend life-changing hospitality and friendship to international students out of reverence for Jesus

## **Required Education and Experience**

- Bachelor degree or equivalent work experience
- Experience in managing others in fundraising techniques
- Experience in cross-cultural ministry and/or non-profit organizations preferred

## Work Environment, Position Type and Expected Hours of Work, and Travel

The work environment of this position will primarily be an office setting. This is a part-time, deputized fundraising, salaried position that requires both consistency and flexibility in scheduling. Minimal travel is expected to be a part of this position.

# **Physical Requirements**

The role requires an employee to frequently sit and reach with hands and arms and occasionally to stand and walk. The employee must frequently lift and/or move objects up to 10 pounds and occasionally lift and/or move objects that weigh up to 30 lbs.

### **AAP/EEO Statement**

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