Position:

Adult ESL Volunteer

Qualifications:

• Be a student or have a Bachelor’s Degree or above.
• Interest in lesson planning, adult curriculum development, or pre-employment programs
• Interest working with adult refugees or limited English proficient individuals
• Be available at least two hours per week.
• Must have own means of transportation.
• Experience working in a multi-cultural environment.
• Knowledge of a refugee-language preferred (Russian, Maay-Maay, French or other language)

Responsibilities:

• Attend a volunteer ESL training that will provide you with the necessary skills in order to work with refugees.
• Work one on one or in small groups with adult refugees enrolled in BCCC’s Free Refugee Assistance ESL classes or the Refugee Employment Training Program
• Help the classrooms teachers with various day to day needs, such as organizing materials or contacting students who have been absent.

Notes:

You will be provided with ample support and training as well as the classroom text. The purpose of this volunteer position is to work with refugees who are enrolled in classes but need extra support, either because their level is lower or higher than the general level of the class. This is an opportunity to build a long term structured relationship with refugees living in Baltimore City and contribute to their path to self sufficiency.

Salary:

This is an unpaid volunteer position.

If you are interested please email BCCC’s Refugee Programs Manager, Nina Blanas, at nblanas@bccc.edu with Adult ESL Volunteer in the subject line.