

# Homeless Children's Education Fund (Pittsburgh) Development Coordinator

The Homeless Children's Education Fund (HCEF) is currently seeking candidates for the Development Coordinator position to strengthen our Development Department. This is a full-time hybrid position.

#### Key overall responsibilities:

- In partnership with the Development Director, Executive Director and Board Development Committee, develop, implement and evaluate the results of the annual development plan that moves HCEF toward its vision
- 2. Manage and coordinate special fundraising events
- 3. Solicit, support, and encourage external third-party events and peer to peer fundraising.
- 4. Coordinate and deliver donor-centered communications for events and appeals
- 5. Maintain relationships with donors, corporate sponsors, vendors, and partners associated with the events and campaigns

### **Fundraising Operations:**

- 1. Assist with the development and implementation of the annual fundraising plan
- 2. Maintain fundraising events calendar for the development team
- 3. Maintain records of donor, participant, and sponsor contact in Salsa CRM database in conjunction with Office Administrator
- 4. Provide support for communications with donors and prospects
- 5. Participate in donor stewardship and recognition activities

#### Grants

- 1. Refines budgets in collaboration with HCEF program team and Executive Director
- 2. Completes grant application forms/proposals
- 3. Research prospective grants, summarize solicitation requirements and recommend potential donors
- 4. Prepares and maintains internal tracking checklists and timeline documents
- 5. Assists with grant extension requests, work plans, and reports
- 6. Maintains grant calendar of upcoming application and reporting deadlines
- 7. Participates in regular team meetings regarding grants, grant balances, and overall plan

#### **Special Events**

- 1. Manage and coordinate the organization's signature fundraising events with other staff and appropriate committee members, including Event Chairs
- 2. Delegate duties to volunteers

- 3. Work with Manager of Community Engagement to recruit non-board members to serve on event committees and task forces
- 4. Create and manage peer-to-peer fundraising pages for Annual Support Campaign
- 5. Coordinate and track event attendance for all events
- 6. Participate in the recruitment and solicitation of individuals and businesses for auction items and in-kind contributions for events; coach volunteers in this process
- 7. Serve as point person for cause-marketing promotions and third-party events
- 8. Prepare budgets; forecast income and expenses for events
- 9. Provide corporate sponsor fulfillment and other partner obligations
- 10. Track and report on event fundraising results and participant involvement
- 11. Utilize the organization's technology platforms to support event fundraising
- 12. Work collaboratively on events with all members of development team, program team, committee members and board of directors to achieve event fundraising goals

### **Marketing & Communications Support**

- Assist with writing and posting about events and third-party campaigns on social media platforms
- 2. Manage video production for signature event
- 3. Manage the creation and design direction of event-specific communication pieces
- 4. Assist in the creation of marketing briefs for each event; complete design request forms for graphic designers; manage relationships with designers, printers and other marketing vendors for event collateral and signage

#### **Administrative Support & General Duties**

- 1. Helps to Maintain databases for recording and tracking grant proposals, awards, and related statistical information with Office Administrator
- 2. Contributing to donor records by keeping accurate notes of interactions, meetings and discussions with donors
- 3. Identifies and manages gifts-in-kind donations to support our programs
- 4. Participate in Team Meetings and events

### **Qualifications**

- 1. Bachelor's degree required and a minimum of two (2) years of development experience at a nonprofit organization
- 2. Excellent oral, written, and interpersonal communication skills
- 3. Proficient in MS Suite and donor software
- 4. Analytic and critical thinking skills and attention to detail
- 5. Ability to work well with diverse populations, and in fostering collaborations
- 6. Awareness of current issues and trends related to youth programs, education, and housing insecurity
- 7. Passion for social justice, inclusion, equity, and empowerment, especially for populations who have been disenfranchised.

## **Compensation & Benefits**

- Competitive compensation, with comprehensive benefit package including health, dental, vision and tax deferred retirement savings account. Paid holidays and vacation.
- Access to professional development activities.
- Hybrid (on site and remote) working model.

**Apply:** Send resume, cover letter, and salary requirements to <u>info@homelessfund.org</u> with "Development Coordinator" as the subject line by July 14, 2022.