

# **POSITION DESCRIPTION**

TITLE OF POSITION	SERVICE AREA	
Administrator/Receptionist	Administration	
REPORTS TO		LAST REVIEWED
Team Leader, Administration		14 November 2023

# **PURPOSE**

The Administrator/Receptionist provides a high standard of administrative support to the Institute, supporting visitors, students and staff.

# **KEY RELATIONSHIPS**

Internal: Team Leader, Administration

Academic Staff and Administrative Staff

Students

External: Visitors

### KEY ACCOUNTABILITIES

RESPONSIBILITY	EXPECTED OUTCOMES
Customer Service	Provide a friendly and professional reception for students and all internal and external clients
	Establish and maintain effective working relationships with the lecturers and colleagues at BTI, students and visitors
Administration	Answer telephone, screen and direct calls
	Answer queries from the public and provide information to staff and students
	General administrative support as required
	Manage mail (physical and online)
	Maintain a tidy & welcoming reception area
	Open student HUB daily, and classrooms as required
	Enter room data in timetabling software, create and maintain all room bookings
	Work with other members of the Administration team to assist with administrative tasks including:
	<ul> <li>Processing student applications: following up on requests for identification/references/extra information for applications</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Enter data into EBS (Student Management system) and ensuring accuracy for processing/reporting related to student applications (after training)</li> </ul>
	Participate in graduation.

Innovation	Contribute to feedback on current practice, identifying solutions and suggesting systemic changes to practice	
	Actively participate in and contribute to the support services team to encourage transparency across activities, open sharing of knowledge, and actions to build a high performance culture	
Relationships	Collaborate with all staff to work flexibly and share knowledge, ensuring that administration requirements are met in a timely manner.	
Ethos	It is a prerequisite to this role that you demonstrate an alignment to BTI's values.	
Health and Safety	Safe and healthy work practices are followed that comply with BTI policies and procedures, relevant work standards and statutory obligations.	
	Attend HS& meetings	
	Report back to the Principal if he is unable to attend	
	Receive, process and respond to H&S incident reports.	
	Report incidents to the Principal that may be a risk to the organisation	
	Assist chairperson with enquiries re H&S incidents.	
	With the chairperson, collate the H&S report to the BTI board, once per month	
	<ul> <li>Ensure H&amp;S documentation is current and updated in a timely manner.</li> </ul>	

Any other duties as required that are consistent with the position held, other than in exceptional circumstances such as rehabilitation after injury or sickness.

### PERSON SPECIFICATION

Highly developed interpersonal skills with a demonstrated ability to relate to staff and external clients at all levels and an ability to develop working relationships.

# **EDUCATIONAL QUALIFICATIONS**

#### **Essential**

- Education to at least sixth form certificate or NCEA Level 2
- Tertiary qualification in business administration or similar demonstrated work experience

# TRAINING, SKILLS AND KNOWLEDGE

### **Essential**

- At least 2 years' experience in a similar role
- Excellent verbal and written English, particularly focused on business communication
- Proven knowledge of computers and systems, particularly Microsoft Office suite
- Strong customer orientation in customer engagement and interactions with teams and stakeholders.

### **Preferred**

- Some exposure to educational administration
- Ability to apply information and communication technologies to achieve desired outcomes and maintain and update those skills.

### **PERSONAL QUALITIES**

- Ability to work as a member of a team, as well as independently within guidelines
- Maintain the highest professional standards
- Ability to maintain performance under pressure and to meet deadlines
- Flexibility in responding to conflicting demands and changing circumstances
- People-oriented & servant hearted with a commitment to quality client service
- Effective communicator
- Maintain confidentiality; loyal & reliable
- Cheerful, with a sense of humour
- Patient with a gracious disposition
- Proactive and shows initiative
- Be gracious, secure and teachable
- Commitment to a culture of openness, flexibility and co-operation to achieve excellence in academic programmes, research and service
- Commitment to equal opportunity and to BTI's partnership with Māori as intended by the Treaty of Waitangi.

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