Lakewood
Lead Windsurfing Instructor

Viking Union Mission:

The Viking Union welcomes and engages students, faculty, staff, and guests in building a diverse community. We continually strive to enhance the Western Experience through supporting student leadership, campus involvement and creative expression, and by providing services and events in our venues.

The Viking Union... Bringing Together the Campus Community at Western Washington University

Lakewood is the Associated Students multi-use facility located on the south shore of Lake Whatcom. There is a boathouse with canoes, kayaks, row boats and sailboats that can be used for a small fee by members of the Western Community.

RESPONSIBILITIES:

1. Lead classes, at Lakewood, that covers both theoretical and practical aspects of Windsurfing.
2. Develop class curriculum with Lakewood Manager. Be responsible for daily lesson plans.
3. Along with Lakewood manager, be responsible for on the water safety of participants, including Summer Program for Youth participants.
4. Supervise assistant instructors.
5. By the use of "dry land" discussions and "on the water" practice sessions, the Lead instructor shall provide the students with training necessary to pass the Lakewood sailing certification exam.

REQUIRED QUALIFICATIONS:

1. Have a sound knowledge of aero- and hydro-dynamics, as applicable to small boat sailing.
2. Have several seasons’ experience teaching windsurfing.
3. Be able to communicate and demonstrate the proper techniques involved with windsurfing.
4. Have knowledge of the rigging of all of Lakewood’s windsurfers.
5. Have a US Windsurfing Instructors certificate.
6. Have a current CPR and First Aid certification.
8. Be able to perform rescues with a power boat.
9. Must be able to lift at least 65 pounds.

REPORTS TO: Lakewood Program Manager

WORK TIME: variable

SALARY LEVEL: $13.00 per hour