Thapar Institute of Engineering & Technology

Deemed to be University



# **Job Description**

Position: Assistant Student Counsellor Position Reports to: Dean of Student Affairs –TIET

Location – Patiala

## Main Purpose

Responsible in advising and providing guidance to students about their personal or academic life. Help students to deal with the pressures of life and is also responsible for monitoring the overall psychological growth of the students. Work closely with students to promote optimum emotional and mental health by helping them to diagnose and deal with issues associated with personal & academic life.

## Specific Accountability & Job Responsibility

- Guiding students about their career decisions and helping them understand their potential and provide help in pursuit of their goals.
- Help students understand their skill sets and provide ways to utilize it.
- Advice students on their personal problems and helps them to resolve it
- Engage parents and the institute authorities, for coming up with a solution, if the student faces some big problem and together they help the student.
- Recognizing various behavioral issues and provides solutions to handle them.
- Hold various sessions with the students to identify the problems that the student faces and try to understand their troubles and advise them.
- Work as a mediator between the student and the institute authorities, if there is an argument and tries to resolve it.
- Prepare and update files and records.
- Routine miscellaneous work.

#### Qualifications

• A degree in Psychology/Clinical Psychology/Counseling

#### Experience

2-5 years of experience as a Counsellor

#### **Personal Attributes**

- Strong interpersonal skills, including influencing
- Excellent Communication skill; both written and verbal
- Good listening skills, Persuasiveness and assertiveness
- An understanding of and empathy with the issues and challenges of students
- Ability to respond effectively to the needs of a diverse and demanding student population

#### **Compensation:**

- Compensation will not be a constraining factor and will be the best in the sector.
- Interested candidates can send their CVs by email (amandeep.dhot@thapar.edu) positively by 20<sup>th</sup> Jan 2023