Volunteer Posting – SAIT Students’ Association

Position: #Textbook Broke Campaign: Volunteer

Campaign volunteers will be involved talking to other students, faculty outreach, putting up posters around campus, collecting support statements, and executing a variety of events throughout September- November 2018. Working closely with the SAITSA Vice President Academic and SAIT Library to ensure the message about Open Education Resources gets out to the study body, but also faculty. Back in Jan-Feb 2018 there was a panel survey done by the OER subcommittee of SAIT Academic Council to explore faculty and students knowledge about OERs. The results show that over 50% of SAIT students are concerned about traditional textbook costs and if students were given the option 48% would choose OERs/open courseware courses. This campaign is to show just how much SAIT students need OERs.

Responsibilities:

Volunteers of the #Textbook Broke Campaign will be responsible for understanding and educating other students/faculty on Open Educational Resources. All volunteers will be responsible for upholding their duties to attend and execute campaign events.

An ideal volunteer of #Textbook Broke Campaign will:

- Have a desire to be more involved with SAITSA and helping to improve students’ academic experience
- Be comfortable with talking to all different kinds of SAIT students
- Be available 3-7 hours per week
- Have general knowledge about Open Education Resources
- Have great communication skills and time management skills
- Have been a volunteer for a campaign before

Benefits of Volunteering:

- Improve public speaking skills
- Qualify for SAITSA awards
- Expand your resume
- Networking with other students and faculty
- Gather leadership experience

Please submit your resume along with your fall semester schedule (if available) to Tanya Pittis @saitsa.vpacademic@edu.sait.ca by 4pm September 5, 2018.