



## Williams Outing Club Executive Board Application 2014-2015

We want you! If you're a fun, enthusiastic, capable student with experience in the outdoors and a desire to help others get out and play, then you're a perfect fit for the outing club executive board!

As a member of the WOC board, you will attend weekly meetings and participate in the organizational processes essential to the club's function. You will also be expected to contribute to our programming by leading at least one overnight or two day-trips per semester and by helping to plan and run our big events like Mountain Day and Winter Carnival.

Each board member will be assigned to a specific role on the board, though roles are flexible from year to year. For more information about board positions and their accompanying responsibilities, please see the WOC handbook, available at [woc.williams.edu/files/Handbook.pdf](http://woc.williams.edu/files/Handbook.pdf)

Questions? Email Lucie (LMC1) or Jackson (JWS2)

Please include your name, email, S.U. box, and phone number. Limit applications to two pages maximum; there will be an opportunity to provide more information during the interview to follow. **RETURN TO THE WOC OFFICE BY 4:00pm FRIDAY, APRIL 18TH.**

- 1) Why are you applying to be on the Outing Club board?
- 2) In the past we have had applicants apply for specific departments. This year, in an attempt to take into consideration a broader range of skills and interests, we would like to consider the assets of each applicant more broadly and decide how they fit the board's needs and balance existing talent. With that in mind, what skills and interests would you bring to the board? Do you bring any special expertise or experience? (Attached is a list of positions that have existed on the board in the past for reference. Feel free to list and discuss skills that might not apply to these departments.)
- 3) What role do you think the WOC board should play on campus? What does the Club do well now, and how could it be improved? Try to make your ideas specific.
- 4) Describe your experience in leadership, the outdoors, and any other field you think is relevant (e.g., first aid). Have you led or participated in any WOC trips or activities?
- 5) What other commitments will you have next year? Where will WOC stand on your list of priorities?

*Feel free to add any other comments, thoughts, opinions, amusing stories, incriminating pictures, etc. You will be contacted for an interview shortly after the application deadline.*

## **Administrative Departmental Positions**

FIRST AID DIRECTOR  
EQUIPMENT ROOM MANAGER  
TRAILS AND CABIN  
WINTER CARNIVAL CHAIR  
CLIMBING WALL MANAGER  
OUTDOOR OUTREACH  
MOUNTAIN GUIDES DIRECTOR

## **Activity-Oriented Departmental Positions**

ROCK CLIMBING  
ICE CLIMBING  
BACKPACKING  
WINTER CAMPING  
ALPINE SKIING  
NORDIC SKIING  
TELEMARK SKIING  
BACKCOUNTRY SKIING  
DAYHIKING  
SNOWSHOEING  
KAYAKING  
CANOEING  
NATURALIST  
MOUNTAIN BIKING  
ORIENTEERING  
ON/NEAR CAMPUS ACTIVITIES  
POLAR BEAR SWIMMING

## **Elected Administrative Positions (to be appointed at the first board meeting in May)**

PRESIDENT  
VICE-PRESIDENT  
SECRETARY  
TREASURER  
PUBLICITY  
WEBSITE AND LISTSERVS