



UCSB Graduate Program Co-Facilitator (Volunteer Position)

This position serves as a workshop leader for *Thriving, Not Just Surviving*, a healing workshop series for survivors of interpersonal violence. The program co-facilitator(s) lead each workshop and collaborate on workshop logistics to provide a positive experience for all participants.

Responsibilities:

- Serve as a co-facilitator for *Thriving, Not Just Surviving*, a workshop series for survivors of interpersonal violence, which includes:
 - Leading check-in and check-out discussions at the beginning and end of each workshop.
 - Preparing the workshop space prior to each workshop.
 - Providing emotional support and resources to participants, including during times of distress (ie. anxiety/panic, triggered by content, etc.).
 - Advocating for the needs of participants.
 - Being mentally and emotionally present during workshops.
- Serve as an active resource for survivors and assist with connecting participants and community members to support services.
- Interface with local providers and community instructors.
- Additional responsibilities as needed to ensure the implementation of impactful programming. This includes, but is not limited to, coordinating with local providers and corresponding with participants.
- Maintain a high level of professionalism and represent The Thriving Initiative positively both within the organization and outwardly to the community.
- Additional opportunities to engage with programming efforts at UC Santa Barbara.
- As a graduate student programs officer, opportunities may be presented to mentor undergraduate co-facilitators, and to work with the UC Santa Barbara officer and development teams.

Expectations:

We are looking for a passionate UCSB graduate student or alum striving to be a part of the change they'd like to see in the community. We are looking for someone who is devoted to our mission to "inspire resilience in response to violence by promoting holistic community healing initiatives." We understand there are a lot of expectations for this position. If selected, you will be thoroughly trained and prepared to take on each responsibility. We also offer continuous professional development and mentorship opportunities.

An ideal candidate should have:

- Superb organizational, written, and communication skills.
- Strong interpersonal and leadership skills.
- Great attention to detail.
- Excellent time management skills.
- Good Google Workspace skills, or a willingness to learn.
- The ability to see the strength in others and help everyone feel included.
- Great collaborative problem-solving skills and a strong sense of commitment to the mission.
- An unparalleled passion and drive for supporting survivors of interpersonal violence (sexual assault, stalking, dating/domestic violence) on campus and promoting holistic healing at large.
- Familiarity working with survivors is preferred, but not required.