Person Specification / Job Description for Executive Assistant to the Ministry Director of Keswick Ministries



Looking for a unique opportunity to serve? The Ministry Director, who is *de facto* the CEO of Keswick Ministries, is looking for a professional, self-motivated and highly organised Executive Assistant who knows how to turn things around quickly and efficiently. If you have a keen eye for detail, excellent interpersonal skills, the drive to initiate and see projects through to completion, and know how to maximise IT to make things more efficient, you will definitely want to apply for this opportunity.

The main responsibility is:

Executive Assistant to the Ministry Director

The successful candidate will

- Be people-oriented, servant-hearted, sharing the vision of Keswick Ministries and supporting the Ministry Director in his responsibilities and priorities;
- Complete efficiently and proactively a broad variety of administrative tasks for the
 Ministry Director including: monitoring and supporting the Ministry Director's network
 of relationships; managing an extremely active calendar of appointments; completing
 expense reports; composing and preparing correspondence that is sometimes
 confidential; arranging detailed travel plans, itineraries, and agendas; preparing
 agendas and minuting meetings;
- Initiate, coordinate and run small projects;
- Carry out initial research and/or preparation on content for Ministry Director presentations;
- Wholeheartedly agree with Keswick Ministries statement of belief and behaviour.

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- Strong organisational skills that reflect ability to perform and prioritise multiple tasks seamlessly with excellent attention to detail;
- Very strong interpersonal skills and the ability to build relationships with stakeholders, including staff, board members, external partners and donors;
- Proven minute taker and able to handle and prioritise email;
- Expert level written and verbal communication skills;
- Flexible and self-motivated;
- Demonstrated proactive approaches to problem-solving with strong decision-making capability;
- Discreet in handling sensitive situations or confidential information;
- Highly resourceful team-player, also with the ability to be extremely effective independently;
- Forward-looking thinker, who actively seeks opportunities and proposes solutions;
- Highly IT-literate, including report writing and preparation of PowerPoint presentations.

Interested? Please send your CV and a covering letter to james.devenish@keswickministries.org by Friday 28th June 2019. The position is salaried, details of salary range available on request. Interviews in Keswick, week commencing 8th July 2019.

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