Title: Lifeguard

I. Job Summary
   Protect the safety and wellbeing of each patron using the Messerly Natatorium. The lifeguard will work directly with patrons, providing courteous, friendly, and professional assistance.

II. Job Relationship
   A. Responsible to: Director of Recreational Services
   B. Supervised by: Assistant Director of Recreational Services – Aquatics and Student Development
   C. In the absence of full time staff, the lifeguard is under the supervision of an Aquatic Manager
   D. In the absence of an Aquatic Manager, the lifeguard is under the supervision of a Facility Manager

III. Responsibilities
   A. Insure the safety of patrons using the aquatic facilities.
   B. Sit in the guard chair any time there is a swimmer in the pool.
   C. Apply all rules and regulations consistently.
   D. Provide first aid in emergency situations.
   E. Respond to code silver emergency situations elsewhere in the Recreation Center.
   F. Adhere to all policies and procedures set forth in the Aquatics Staff Manual.
   G. Perform general maintenance/custodial functions as requested.
   H. Complete annual safe chemical handling training.
   I. Maintain positive relations and rapport with patrons.
   J. Other duties as assigned.

IV. Position Qualifications
   A. Current Red Cross or YMCA Lifeguard Training certification, CPR for the Professional Rescuer certification, and standard First Aid certified.
   B. Previous lifeguard experience preferred, not required.

V. General:
   A. Attend mandatory staff meetings and staff trainings

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