2017 New Roo Weekend Leader Information

What is New Roo Weekend?
New Roo Weekend is an exciting and fun-filled experience for UA’s incoming freshmen! New Roo Weekend begins on Saturday, August 26, 2017 and goes through Sunday, August 27, 2017. New Roo Weekend consists of a variety of social, academic, and campus-oriented activities. This engaging and beneficial experience will help prepare UA’s new students for a successful and enjoyable Akron Experience!

What is a New Roo Weekend Leader?
If you are looking for leadership, personal and professional growth, and aren’t afraid of new experiences, then being an New Roo Weekend Leader may be for you! The Office of New Student Orientation is looking for some of UA’s best to select a group of enthusiastic, dedicated, and independent undergraduate student leaders to serve as New Roo Weekend Leaders for the weekend before classes begin. New Roo Weekend Leaders will be responsible for introducing UA’s incoming freshmen to all that UA has to offer! As representatives of the UA student body, New Roo Weekend Leaders will facilitate group activities, help new students navigate the campus, and provide guidance for a successful freshmen experience.

Position Information:
- Leaders will be paid a rate of $8.50 per hour (and can expect to at least 20 hours) for their assistance with New Roo Weekend
- Group and panel interviews will take place throughout April with final selections being made before the end of the semester
- Must be available for training on Monday, August 21st from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. and for all of New Roo Weekend (Saturday, August 26 through Sunday, August 27)
- Full time undergraduate University of Akron student
- Cumulative GPA of 2.5 or higher
- Possess excitement and pride for UA and a strong interest and desire to help new students make a positive transition to UA
- Exhibit leadership potential and a commitment to the mission of the Office of New Student Orientation, strong customer service and interpersonal skills and the ability to work effectively with a diverse group of team members and diverse populations of students
- Agree to abide by the professional and ethical standards of conduct set by the Office of New Student Orientation and in accordance with the Code of Student Conduct
- Must be seen as approachable, relatable, and able to serve as a role model to incoming students

Applications are due online by midnight on Sunday, April 9! Apply online at www.uakron.edu/nso

If you have any questions about the position, please contact Carly DeBord at carly@uakron.edu