Senior Database Administrator

Job Code 50013910

**General Description**
Responsible for providing technical leadership to database administrators in performing database configuration, maintenance, and new system design.

**Example of Duties**
- Mentor other DBAs and provide technical leadership to the team.
- Develop and improve standards for security, operations, disaster recovery.
- Maintain database performance.
- Collect and maintain relevant data and metrics on databases.
- Provide troubleshooting assistance and consultation to development teams.
- Install, configure and evaluate database software and related products in enterprise environments.
- Coordinate the planning and execution of database version upgrades.
- Initiate and maintain communications with vendors for technical support.
- Assist in installation, configuration, and maintenance of application server software.
- Coordinate with project sponsors and maintain customer and university-wide awareness.
- Define database configuration standards including hardware recommendations and detailed storage plans to ensure optimum database performance.
- Perform other duties as assigned.

**Knowledge, Skill and Abilities**

**Knowledge of:** server operating systems, campus network services, database administration tools and alternative database types.

**Skill in:** research and analysis; prioritizing workloads; system applications; understanding data structures and data flow; communication and project management.

**Ability to:** lead and professionally develop staff; work under pressure; solve problems through analysis; understand customer's needs.

**Experience and Education**
To qualify for this classification, an individual must possess any combination of experience and education that would likely produce the required knowledge, skills, and abilities.

**Other Requirements**