The University of Texas at San Antonio

Technical Writer/Editor I		
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Non-Exempt		
Department/Division: Office of Information Technology		
Director of Customer Relations and Communications		

Job Description

Summary

 To provide skilled assistance in preparing for publication, producing and maintaining technical materials.
 Responsible for writing and/or editing technical reports, manuals and other materials.

Duties

• <u>Typical</u> :	
1.	Researches and writes/edits for publication books, documents and scripts
	of a technical nature.
2.	Assists in determining format, supporting graphics, photography and art
	work for technical publications. Assists in layout, paste-up and printing.
	May consult with technical content specialists for accuracy.
3.	Writes and/or edits press releases, news articles, online articles, e-mails
	messages, and organizational procedures and technical documents.
4.	Researches, creates and updates organizations' web sites, including
	writing and editing weekly electronic newsletters and other online
	publications.
5.	Perform other duties as assigned.
• Periodic:	
1.	Updates or revises current inventory of publications and other training
	materials.

Education

Required	Preferred
Bachelor's Degree in English, Technical	Completion of graduate level courses in related
Writing or a related field.	field.

Other Requirements

Required	Preferred
Criminal Background Check (CBC)	N/A

Experience

Required	Preferred
One year of experience in professional or	Experience in the field of specialization.
technical writing/editing.	

Equipment

Required	Possible
Personal computers and related office	NA
equipment.	

Working Conditions

Usual	Special
Normal office environment.	N/A

Supervision

Received	Given
General supervision of the details of the work	May oversee clerical personnel.
performed.	

Accuracy

High level of accuracy is required.

Security Sensitive

Specific job requirements or physical location of some positions allocated to this classification may render the position security sensitive, and thereby subject to the provisions of section 51.215 Texas Education Code.

Internal Control

Within the scope of position duties, responsible for seeing that operations are effective and efficient, assets are safeguarded, reliable financial data is maintained, and applicable laws, regulations, policies, and procedures are complied with.