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TO APPLY

- You must be a full-time student at Gettysburg College
- You must not have a prior conduct record with Public Safety or Residence Life
Advantages of Joining the Student Patrol Officer (SPO) Program:

- Meet new people in a great working environment
- We will work with you to achieve the best schedule for you and the department
- Gain many valuable experiences
- Build your résumé while you earn your degree
- A 90-day period of initial classroom training, as well as supplemental field training courses throughout the year, will teach new SPOs skills in the areas of Crime Prevention, Self Defense, Bike Patrolling, Personal Development, and CPR & First Aid Training
- Uniforms will be provided

Student Patrol Officer Duties & Responsibilities

- Patrol the campus with a focus on student areas, such as residence halls and parking lots
- Perform lockout duties
- Provide walking escorts for students and faculty
- Assist officers with incident responses
- Assist officers with fire calls
- Visitor parking and event staffing
- Assist officers with assigned responsibilities and duties

Building Partnerships for a Safer Campus Community

The Public Safety Office is complemented by student workers employed as Student Patrol Officers (SPOs).

These students work in conjunction with full-time officers to carry out a proactive philosophy of high visibility and reduction of the opportunity for crime, known as Community Service Oriented Patrol (CSOP).

SPOs provide visible patrol, acting as eyes and ears for Public Safety. They conduct walking escorts and building walks, monitor building safety, and assist with other crime prevention programs.

SPOs also make checks of emergency equipment, e.g. emergency phones and fire extinguishers.

The personnel of the Public Safety Office strive to serve the Gettysburg College community and welcome students, staff, faculty, and visitors.