CO D D STUDENT COUNSELLOR

Who we are

Codam is a new and innovative coding college in the heart of Amsterdam. We aim to offer quality learning to our students and to create the next generation of software engineers and digital visionaries. Everyone from 18 to 30 years old is welcome to apply as a student, we offer our programme free of charge, and no qualifications or diploma are required.

We believe in equal opportunity and education as an engine for social mobility, we give young people a better chance of maximizing their potential. Codam's education model is based on peer-to-peer learning. Students will learn through doing and solving problems with their peers, in a college with 24/7 access.

Codam is looking for a psychology graduate (available one day a week) to help our students (on request) with personal problems that might impact their studies. The student counsellor supports, provides advice and guidance. In case of severe problems in which long term specialized help is necessary, the counsellor will refer the student to a general practitioner.

Key responsibilities

The student counsellor will hold consulting hours once a week, for which students can make an appointment to discuss personal issues. Students can visit the student counsellor occasional or multiple times in a row, depending on the issue. All consultations with a student counsellor are confidential.

Besides helping the students, the counsellor will contribute to professionalizing the Codam Staff, for example on matters such as autism, anxiety disorders and other behavior issues.

Who we are looking for

We are looking for someone with a psychology degree, preferably with his/her own practice, and who is excited to work with our students. Availability and schedule of the psychologist/student counsellor are open to discussion, the schedule in not set in stone.

Working experience with young people is a must, and you need to be proficient in both English and Dutch.

What we offer

- Freelance contract for 8 hours a week
- Flexible schedule
- Available as soon as possible

If you are interested in working together, please send an email to roos.peters@codam.nl