



# EBSCO Student Ambassador Programme

EBSCO (the leading provider of research databases, e-journals, magazine subscriptions, eBooks and discovery service for libraries) will be partnering with **The UWI Mona Library** to provide a leadership opportunity for a **UWI Mona student** (2nd or 3rd year) who is dedicated to serving and representing EBSCO and the University at large.

## What does an EBSCO Student Ambassador do?

- The EBSCO Ambassador will act as a campus library liaison between EBSCO and the student body, serving as an advocate to help raise awareness, value and usage of UWI EBSCO-specific collections ( *such as Academic Search Ultimate, Business Source complete, Medline*) through targeted outreach initiatives.
- Assist in organizing learning events or small meetings on campus to generate awareness of EBSCO products
- Demonstrate EBSCO products to faculty members and students
- Promote student awareness of EBSCO products through the creation of social media posts
- Provide one on one assistance with using EBSCO products
- Reports weekly to Librarian on progress and activities

## Becoming a EBSCO Student Ambassador - Qualifications and Competencies

- Must be a registered second year/third year **UWI Mona student** with an interest in marketing and sharing knowledge about EBSCO
- Experience with **UWIlInC** (UWI Libraries Information Connexion) and the library's electronic resources
- Strong computer skills and social media savvy
- Strong interpersonal skills; Enthusiastic and energetic
- Proactive thinker; ability to create and manage projects independently

## Stipend

The EBSCO Student Ambassador will be given a small stipend per month for one semester (September to December 2019).

## Applications

Applications should include a short self –statement (no more than 200 words) on why you are the best choice as an EBSCO Student Ambassador, a sample social media post and a letter of recommendation from a Faculty/ Staff member. Applications and queries should be sent with subject title - **UWI/EBSCO Student Ambassador Programme** to: [yolanda.tugwell@uwimona.edu.jm](mailto:yolanda.tugwell@uwimona.edu.jm)

**Deadline** for all applications is **August 25<sup>th</sup> 2019**.

**Prospective candidates** should be available to meet on **Wednesday, August 28, 2019 at 10 a.m.**