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The doors that don't open  
are not your doors.

# CHECKLIST

- ☒ EDUCATED

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- ☒ RESPONSIBLE

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- ☒ COMPETENT

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- ☒ EXPERIENCED

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Thank you for taking the  
time to apply to the role.

Unfortunately...

While we enjoyed reviewing your application materials, the hiring committee has decided to move forward with other candidates.





We reviewed your skills and  
experience and unfortunately won't  
be moving forward with your  
application.





Unfortunately, our team did not select you for this role. Competition for jobs here is strong and we often make difficult choices between many great candidates.





Unfortunately, you're  
overqualified for the role.





Unfortunately, you're  
underqualified for the role.





We'll see whether your candidacy  
matches the requirements and  
then get back to you.





After reviewing your resume —  
we found your experience  
impressive. Unfortunately the  
team has decided to move  
forward with other candidates.





Unfortunately, there is  
insufficient instructor teaching  
experience or level of expertise.





Unfortunately, there is  
insufficient credentials  
in adult education.





Unfortunately, you have  
insufficient project management  
experience.





Unfortunately, the subject matter  
of the proposed course is not of  
interest/relevant to 50+  
community.





Unfortunately, you don't appear to  
have sufficient marketing  
experience or expertise.





A member of our team will be in  
touch should your application be  
a match.





If you have not heard from us within 30 calendar days from the date of your interest application, it is unlikely we have decided to move forward with your interest application for that specific position, but we will retain your resume for future openings.





If your skills and experience align  
with our requirements, we will  
reach out to discuss the next steps  
in the process.





We wanted to give you a quick  
update on your application journey.  
Unfortunately, we're no longer  
hiring for this role.





If your qualifications match our  
needs, we will contact you to learn  
more about your fit for this  
position.





We wanted to send you a reminder  
that your application may be  
delayed.





We will review your application and  
a recruiter will contact you directly  
if it is determined to move forward.





Unfortunately, we've decided to  
pursue other candidates who more  
closely fit the needs of the  
department at this time.





We encourage you to continue reviewing current openings which are updated daily and can be accessed by visiting the below websites.





The decision was a difficult one,  
and we would like to thank you for  
taking the time to submit your  
resume for consideration.  
Unfortunately...





While this one's not a match, we  
hope you will apply for future  
positions you might be interested in.





The committee was so fortunate to  
receive and review over 120 course  
proposals. Unfortunately...





We've decided to pursue another  
candidate who more closely  
matches who we are looking for.





We received over 1700 applications  
for this role. Unfortunately...





Insufficient information provided  
on the application.





I encourage you to set up a Job  
Alert so that you'll be notified of  
any future opportunities that  
become available with our  
organization.





Are you aware the salary for this  
role is \$10/hr?





We appreciate your interest and  
encourage you to consider pursuing  
other opportunities with us.





Right now, we're moving to a new career site and application system. We expect this process to last for a couple of weeks and during this time you may not hear from us.





Due to the Presidential Memorandum  
on the Hiring Freeze issued on  
January 20, 2025, all hiring activities  
must cease, therefore this vacancy  
announcement has been cancelled  
and will not be filled at this time.





While your resume was referred to  
the selecting official, another  
applicant was selected for the role.





Please know that your application  
is still very much active, and we're  
eager to get things moving as soon  
as we can.





We wish you all the best in your  
future endeavors.





# Moral of the story...

- go forward, not sideways
- create your own opportunities
- trust your heart and soul
- notice your patterns
- welcome the magic





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