



Graduate Teaching Assistant

Job Title: Graduate Teaching Assistant, College of Health Sciences (CHS) – English, Math, Biology or Chemistry, Rancho Cordova, CA

Job Classification: hourly, non-exempt (\$12 per hour)

Closing Date: Position open until filled and ongoing

Anticipated Start Date: January 1, 2017 and as needed

Reporting Responsibility: Dr. Heather Brown

Graduate Teaching Assistant Description:

Under general supervision of the lead course faculty member, Graduate Teaching Assistants (GTAs) will gain valuable teaching experience through supervised course instruction opportunities and/or as tutor's serving in their relevant discipline. GTAs will be provided the opportunity to learn concepts and practical strategies related to course design, instruction, and assessment, as well as gain experience teaching laboratories and supplemental instruction activities.

Typical Duties for Graduate Teaching Assistants - Course Support:

GTAs may be brought on to deliver laboratory courses including General Chemistry (Chem 110L/120L), General Biology (Bio 110L/120L) or Organic Chemistry (Chem 220L). GTAs will work directly with the course lead in the delivery of current themed topics in Chemistry or Biology in an inquiry based format. GTAs will be responsible for course organization, delivery and assessment and will be required to hold office hours.

Typical Duties for Graduate Teaching Assistants - Tutoring Support:

GTAs may be brought on to serve in a tutoring capacity in their relevant discipline. In addition, CNUCHS currently staffs the writing center and science center with GTA level support. GTAs will be responsible for general tutoring services as well as delivery of supplemental instructional materials designed by course lead instructors.

QUALIFICATIONS

EDUCATION/ EXPERIENCE

BS in relevant field, and current Master's program standing in relevant field.
Teaching and/or tutoring experience preferred.

SPECIAL REQUIREMENT

Possess and maintain a valid California Driver's License.

ABILITY TO (ESSENTIAL FUNCTIONS)

The ability to perform the basic functions of the position; sustain regular work attendance; work cooperatively and effectively with students, faculty, and staff; exercise initiative and good judgment; work as a member of a team; and to meet schedules and time lines. The ability to correctly follow a given rule or set of rules to arrange things or actions in a certain order. The ability to understand information and ideas presented orally and in writing; and communicate information and ideas orally and in writing so others will understand. The ability to work



independently; set priorities; perform several tasks simultaneously; and compile, prepare, and maintain accurate records and reports while maintaining FERPA compliance. The ability to use a personal computer for word processing, spreadsheet, and database applications; and follow directions accurately.

TYPICAL EQUIPMENT USED (May include, but not limited to)

A variety of equipment related to science labs and stockrooms including: computer, microscope, thermocycler, fume and cell culture hoods, incubators, gel electrophoresis equipment, micropipette, autoclave, chemical analytical instrumentation, hand and power tools, VCR/DVD, fax, printer, copier, spectrophotometer, testers, and meters.

Applicants should submit:

- Cover letter of interest that addresses qualifications, experience and career goals
- Resume
- Names, addresses, and telephone numbers of at least three (3) references who can be contacted by the Search Committee and who can speak to a broad range of candidate's professional qualifications

Please submit your cover letter, resume, list of references, and any additional information to hr@cnsu.edu .
Review of applicants will begin immediately and will continue until position is filled.

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