

**DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH SYSTEMS AND POPULATION HEALTH
GRADUATE STUDENT ASSISTANTSHIP
POSITION ANNOUNCEMENT
SPRING 2023**

Position Title: Teaching Assistant

Course #/Title: HSERV 204: Communicating About Health: Current Issues and Perspectives

Supervising Faculty: Hendrika Meischke, Professor

Employment Period: March 16, 2023 – June 15, 2023

Hours/FTE: 10 hours/week (25% FTE)

Position Description:

The TA will assist Dr. Meischke with teaching HSERV 204, Health Communication. This is an undergraduate public health course that provides an overview of health communication topics and perspectives for students who are interested in pursuing careers in the health industry, and students with a research interest in health communication (e.g., caregivers, health care administrators, marketing and public relations professionals, media planners, public health promoters, and educators, researchers and others).

Classes will be held Monday and Wednesday, 1.00-2.20pm.

Duties and Responsibilities:

- Attend each class session
- Read and comment on written assignments
- Grade based on provided rubric
- Hold office hours
- Conduct discussion sessions

Minimum Education Required:

- Current Master's student

Required Experience, Knowledge, and Skills:

- Expertise using Canvas and Zoom
- Prior Health Communications course (preferably HSERV 507 or HSERV 204) or professional experience commensurate with academic preparation
- Prior experience as a TA with undergraduate students

Desired:

- Knowledge of active learning and group dynamics
- Technical skills (classroom equipment)

- Experience working with diverse students

Eligibility:

- Must be a matriculated student during the employment period stated above
- Must be registered for 10 credits during the employment period

Salary: This is an Academic Student Employee (ASE) position governed by the [UAW Contract](#) and paid in accordance with the [TA/RA Salary Schedule](#) associated with the student's academic department. Department of Health Services students are paid according to the [Regular Salary Schedules](#).

Tuition: This position does not include a tuition waiver.

Benefits: This is not a benefits eligible position. For details about Graduate Appointee Insurance (GAIP), visit <http://www.washington.edu/admin/hr/benefits/insure/gaip/>.

Note: if a student has two assistantship positions that together equal 50% FTE or greater, they will be paid according to the Schedule 1 rate (link to salary schedules above) and receive tuition coverage and benefits.

To Apply: Go to <https://forms.gle/qNUUkgsmctHPFuCY7>, complete the form, and upload the requested materials:

- Current UW transcript (unofficial, PDF)
- Resume or CV

Questions can be directed to Reecha Ahuja (reecha@uw.edu).

Deadline: Submit your application materials by **February 10, 2023**.

Acceptance: If offered the position, the candidate must accept within one week.

Notification: Those candidates not hired will be notified via email.

Equal Opportunity Statement for Employment: University of Washington is an affirmative action and equal opportunity employer. All qualified applicants will receive consideration for employment without regard to race, color, religion, sex, sexual orientation, gender identity, national origin, age, protected veteran or disabled status, or genetic information.

To request disability accommodation in the application process, contact the Disability Services Office at 206-543-6450 / 206-543-6452 (tty) or dso@uw.edu.