DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH SYSTEMS AND POPULATION HEALTH GRADUATE STUDENT ASSISTANTSHIP POSITION ANNOUNCEMENT AUTUMN 2022

Position Title:	Teaching Assistant
Course #/Title:	HSERV 522: Health Program Evaluation
Supervising Faculty:	Sarah Knerr
Employment Period:	September 16, 2022 – December 15, 2022
Hours/FTE:	20 hours/week (50% FTE)

Position Description:

The Teaching Assistant will provide course support for HSERV 522: Health Program Evaluation. This course covers politics, theory, and methods of evaluation, from simple health programs to evaluation of large-scale interventions. It emphasizes experimental and quasi-experimental designs to estimate program impacts, as well as evaluation of program implementation. Case studies are drawn from the health field and illustrate various types of evaluations.

The TA will assist the course instructor in coordinating the course, delivering course content, and evaluating student performance. The position will entail attending class sessions and assisting with technology set up, when needed, helping maintain Canvas, identifying and recruiting speakers, facilitating in-class small group work, mentoring and advising student project teams on a concrete evaluation proposal, and delivering didactic content (if interested).

Duties and Responsibilities:

- Attend class sessions
- Pay a major role in coordinating the course (beyond arranging guest speakers, etc)
- Read and comment on written assignments
- Grading based on provided rubric
- Supervise student projects
- Hold office hours
- Formally teach parts of the course
- Conduct discussion sessions

Minimum Education Required:

• Current Master's student

Required Experience, Knowledge, and Skills:

- Successful completion of HSERV 522, another course in program evaluation and/or prior work experience in program evaluation.
- Basic qualitative research skills

• Knowledge of experimental and quasi-experimental research designs and causal influence

Desired Qualifications:

• Experience conducting mixed methods evaluations (broadly defined)

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 <u>UAW Contract</u> and paid in accordance with the <u>TA/RA Salary Schedule</u> associated with the student's academic department. Department of Health Services students are paid according to the <u>Regular Salary</u> <u>Schedules</u>.

Tuition: This position includes a tuition waiver.

Benefits: This is a benefits eligible position. For details about Graduate Appointee Insurance (GAIP), visit <u>http://www.washington.edu/admin/hr/benefits/insure/gaip/</u>.

To Apply: Go to <u>https://forms.gle/MoTz1w4tL7Gx3ce89</u>, complete the form, and upload the requested materials:

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

Please <u>label all of your documents with your last name first</u>. Questions can be directed to Hellen Mwithiga (<u>mhellen@uw.edu</u>).

Deadline: Submit your application materials by **May 23, 2022**.

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 <u>dso@uw.edu</u>.