

Program on the Environment
Graduate Student Teaching Assistant
Position Announcement

Position Title: Teaching Assistant

Supervising Faculty: Dr. Tim Billo

Course Name: ENVIR 250 Research Methods in Environmental Studies

Employment Period: 3/16/2020 to 6/15/2020

Position Description: The Program on the Environment (PoE) is an interdisciplinary program emphasizing undergraduate education in environmental studies. ENVIR 250 introduces the processes involved in research design, including methods for environmental data collection, analysis, and presentation. It also introduces ecological and social research methods through case studies, followed by practical lab and field work. This course is open to all undergraduates.

PoE will hire one Teaching Assistant for ENVIR 250. The TA will assist the instructor with all duties related to the teaching of ENVIR 250.

Course Schedule: Lecture: MWF 8:30 to 9:20 and
Lab Sections: T 10:30 - 12:20 and F 12:30 - 2:20

TA responsibilities include:

- attending all lectures and lab sessions
- arranging course logistics and activities, and preparing course materials
- grading laboratory exercises, reports, and other class assignments
- additional course-specific requirements of the instructors

Requirements:

- academic standing as a UW Graduate Student and eligibility to hold a Graduate Student Assistantship
- availability for full appointment timeframe
- previous college teaching experience
- excellent written, verbal and interpersonal communication skills

Equivalent education/experience will substitute for all minimum qualifications except when there are legal requirements, such as a license/certification/registration.

Compensation:

This is a GSA position governed by the UAW contract paid in accordance with 2019-2020 TA/RA/SA salary schedules.

To Apply:

Please send an email to clara75@uw.edu with the subject ENVIR 250 TA and your last name.

Attach to the email a single PDF document that includes:

- a. A cover letter describing the strengths you would bring to serving as a teaching assistant in this interdisciplinary environmental studies course, as well as your strengths and background relevant to the specific activities outlined in the position and course description
- b. A current resume that includes your work history and academic accomplishments of no more than two pages
- c. Two references (name, title, phone, email) familiar with your teaching abilities

Deadline: Submit your application materials by February 7, 2020.

Notes: This job classification is governed by a negotiated labor contract.

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