

Job Title: Teaching Assistant (1)
Hours per week: 10 hours maximum

Number of positions: 1

Length of Employment: January 17, 2017 – May 12, 2017

Pay rate: \$7.50 per hour

Supervisor: Stephen Wall, ILS Department Chair

Department Name & Code: Indigenous Liberal Studies (ILS); 173

Location: Indigenous Liberal Studies Department: Classrooms,

Classification: Federal/State or Institutional Work-Study

Employer Name/Address: IAIA 83 Avan Nu Po Road, Santa Fe, NM 87508

Purpose/Role:

To work with the faculty for IDST101 Introduction to Indigenous Studies to help students succeed in the class.

Job Description/Responsibilities:

Provide and assist with supplemental course work for students enrolled in IDST101. The TA's will regularly attend the IDST101 class and will meet with students who are enrolled in IDST101. The TA's will work with the students to review the class assignments, develop questions that reflect the student's understanding of the course readings and grade the questions. The TA's will also lead discussions to further the student's understanding of course materials. TA's will work with individual students or may also refer students to learning specialists as necessary for writing and other specialized needs.

REQUIRED EXPERIENCE AND EDUCATION

Upper division student who has received a minimum of an "A" in IDST101 and has successfully completed (B or above) at least 3 additional courses that have writing and research as required activities.

ESSENTIAL POSITION FUNCTIONS

Regularly attend IDST101 Intro To Indigenous Studies Conduct weekly meeting with IDST101 students Conduct individual meetings with students Grade student blog entries Assist students' conceptual understanding of the course materials Participate in weekly meeting with instructor

REQUIRED KNOWLEDGE, SKILLS AND ABILITIES

Proven academic capabilities

A desire to assist students who may be struggling to achieve academic success Ability to relate to students' needs and abilities

Ability to work in a group setting

Proven success in IDST101 Introduction to Indigenous Studies

WORKING CONDITIONS

The IAIA student must: adhere to appropriate professional standards of conduct and ethics, including confidentiality, integrity, and honesty; follow directives; adapt to changing work environment; cooperate and work respectfully with others; participate in meetings as required.

This job description does not list all the duties of the job. You may be asked by supervisor or manager to perform other assignments or duties. Management has the right to revise this job description.

Evaluation Procedure(s) and Schedule: Students will receive weekly feedback from course faculty. Formal evaluations will be conducted within one week of the end of the employment period. Supervisors may use provided Work-Study Performance Evaluation form provided in IAIA Work-Study Manual for Students (page 14).