MDSC 351 Graduate Assistant - Teaching (GAT) Position – Winter 2027
Bachelor of Health Sciences Program, Cumming School of Medicine

Two one-full GAT positions are available for **MDSC 351 – Honours Cell and Molecular Biology**. This undergraduate course is comprised of 2nd and 3rd year students in the Bachelor of Health Sciences program, and MDSC 351 is a required course for Biomed and Bioinformatics majors. BHSc students are generally smart, self-motivated students, and they want to do well and are willing to work to achieve good marks.

The successful applicant will be mature, responsible, reliable, and able to meet deadlines. The candidate is preferably in their second year or higher of their Masters or PhD program, preferably with a specialization in cell biology. Students in other specializations will be considered if they can demonstrate a strong cell biology or related background.

This position requires a graduate student with excellent writing skills (a writing sample may be requested) and the ability to provide constructive feedback on student essays. Outstanding organizational, verbal, and written skills are essential for success in this position. Experience with delivering online courses and/or the associated technologies is preferred.

This role supports Drs Alex Lohman and Tim Shutt in the following duties:

- Attend every class and tutorial (Tuesdays from 3:30 - 6:20 pm and Thursdays from 3:30 - 5:30 pm) and help track student participation in class discussions and activities
- Managing submissions of assignments
- Mark essays, short assignments, quizzes, and tutorial worksheets in a timely manner
- Prepare and deliver a 75 minute lecture to the class
- Managing and facilitating student questions during lectures and tutorials

To apply, please send:

- a completed **BHSc GA(T) Application**
- statement of interest
- CV – including relevant science courses taken in undergrad and grad school
- a writing sample (preferably a paper you submitted for a course rather than a co-authored manuscript)
- the name of your PI

to Dr. Tim Shutt (timothy.shutt@ucalgary.ca).

The deadline to apply is November 27.