

MDSC 308 Graduate Assistant - Teaching (GAT) Position – Fall 2025
Bachelor of Health Sciences Program, Cumming School of Medicine

A half-time GAT position is available for MDSC 308 – Interdisciplinary Research Approaches. The Health & Society module of this second-year undergraduate course provides an intermediate introduction to social determinants of health for the purpose of building health research literacy.

The successful applicant will be mature, responsible, reliable and able to keep to timelines; preferably in their second year or higher of their Masters or PhD program, preferably with a specialization in Population & Public Health, Epidemiology or Health Economics. Students in other specializations will be considered if they can demonstrate a strong social science or health services research background or grounding in the social determinants of health.

This position will require a graduate student with excellent writing skills (a writing sample may be requested), and the ability to provide constructive feedback on student essays. Experience with delivering online courses and/or the associated technologies is preferred.

The role of the GTA will be to support Dr. Rui Fu (Ray) in the grading of Health & Society related papers in MDSC 308 and with facilitating the delivery of course content and class discussions online, including:

- managing submissions of assignments
- training for fair and consistent marking
- keeping to the marking schedule in a two to three week window
- providing input on online course delivery options
- managing and facilitating student questions during lectures

To apply, please send a completed [BHSc GA\(T\) Application](#), a statement of interest (1-page), and CV to Dr. Rui Fu (rui.fu@ucalgary.ca) and copy Marcia Garcia (marcia.garcia@ucalgary.ca).

The deadline to apply is July 7th, 2025.