

MDSC 404 Graduate Assistant - Teaching (GAT) Position – Fall 2024

Bachelor of Health Sciences Program, Cumming School of Medicine

A full GAT position is available for **MDSC 404 - Integrative Human Physiology**. This undergraduate course provides an intermediate introduction to integrative human physiology.

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 MSc or PhD program, preferably specializing in organ physiology. Students in other specializations will be considered if they can demonstrate a strong physiology 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 in-person and online courses and the associated technologies is preferred.

This role supports Dr. Fewell, Smith & McCafferty as Unit Coordinators with the following expectations:

- It is expected that the Teaching Assistant will attend each lecture
- It is expected that the Teaching Assistant will be knowledgeable of course material and be available for student's questions by email and after lectures from 1600 to 1700 in Theatre 1 on Monday, Wednesday and Friday for the term of the course
- It is expected that the Teaching Assistant will update D2L and have the lecture theatre as well as appropriate audio-visual material ready before each lecture
- It is expected that the Teaching Assistant will set up and monitor a discussion board in D2L as required by each Unit Coordinator
- It is expected that the Teaching Assistant will administer and proctor each examination and provide assistance with marking the examination if required by the Unit Coordinator
- It is expected that the Teaching Assistant will provide assistance with marking required course essays as required by each Unit Coordinator
- It is expected that the Teaching Assistant will give 2 to 3 lectures per term, the subject of which is at the discretion of the Course Director and/or Unit Coordinator

To apply, please send a completed **BHSc GA(T) Application**, a statement of interest, and CV to the Course Coordinator, Dr. James Fewell (fewell@ucalgary.ca).