

Graduate Assistant -Teaching (GA-T) Position Available - Fall 2021
One-Half (**7.8 hrs per week**, September- December 2021)
Community Rehabilitation and Disability Studies (CORE)

A graduate student is needed for a full-time (7.8 hrs/week) TA position for CORE 435 L01, a first year required course for required course for the Bachelor of Community Rehabilitation program.

The successful applicant will be enrolled in a Masters or PhD program. This position will require a student with an educational background in Disability Studies, Community Rehab or Social Sciences. This position also requires someone who enjoys interfacing with undergraduate students.

The role of the GA-T will be to support Dr. Meaghan Edwards in all aspects of CORE 435 L01, including the following:

- attending class sessions on Tuesdays, 11:00 – 13:45 pm (approx. 3 hours)
- managing submissions of assignments through D2L
- Respond to student correspondence and hold office hours
- Monitor online discussion forums
- Mark assignments, tests, and/or examinations under the guidance of the instructor teaching the course
- Lead seminars, tutorials, and/or laboratory sessions
- Proctor exams
- Attend lectures and read the assigned material
- Prepare for tutorials by designing lesson plans
- Facilitate teaching sessions both in large and small courses
- Meet on regular basis with the course instructor to discuss students' progress in the course and any other issues that may arise
- Give a guest lecture, on a voluntary basis
- Knowledge of social justice issues and social theories
- Prior experience working from critical disability studies and/or mad studies perspectives is an asset
- Commitment to an inclusive, intersectional, and social justice-oriented approach to teaching

The GA-T will receive guidance and support from Dr. Edwards but should also be able to work independently.

Interested applicants please send a completed CORE GA(T) application form (<https://cumming.ucalgary.ca/sites/default/files/teams/3/resources/gat-application-form-2021-fillable-edit.pdf>), cover letter, and CV to Dr. Rankin (joanna.rankin@ucalgary.ca) by **July 30, 2021** at the latest (although applications will be reviewed as they come in and the posting may fill earlier).