

Faculty Member Contact Information

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Description of the URCA Assistant Position

This posting includes one funded position. In addition, the faculty member may be willing to mentor additional, unfunded students.


How many unfunded students is this professor taking in addition to his/her one funded student? 1

(Students, if the faculty member will have both funded and unfunded students, he or she is free to select which student receives the funding. Funding cannot be split up between multiple students; only one student will receive it.)

Which of the following apply to this position?

This position is **only** open to students who have declared a major in this discipline. **M**

This project deals with social justice issues. 

This project deals with sustainability (green) issues. 

This project deals with human health and wellness issues. 

How many hours per week will your student(s) be required to work in this position? 8

(Minimum is 6 hours per week; typical is 9.)

Will it be possible for your student(s) to earn course credit? Yes No

If yes, in which course? N/A

If yes, for how many credit hours? N/A

Location of research/creative activities: School of Nursing and DePaul Health Center, Bridgeton MO

Brief description of the nature of the research/creative activity:

The student will provide support on 2 research projects involving retrospective data collection from cardiac patient records at DePaul Hospital.

Brief description of student responsibilities:

The student will assist in conducting a literature review, participate in data entry and data analysis and dissemination of results.

URCA Assistant positions are designed to provide students with *research or creative activities* experience. As such, there should be measurable, appropriate outcome goals. What exactly should your student(s) have learned by the end of this experience?

By the end of the semester, the student will have learned to successfully search relevant literature and health care related databases, discriminate between relevant levels of evidence in the literature, assist with creating a database in SPSS and create a professional poster for presentation at DePaul Nursing Congress (Spring, 2012).

Requirements of Students

If the position(s) require students to be available at certain times each week (as opposed to them being able to set their own hours), please indicate all required days and times:

Students should have some availability on Tuesdays (morning or afternoons) required.

Availability on Monday or Wednesday to meet with faculty preferred.

If the location of the research/creative activities involves off campus work, must students provide their own transportation?

May require an occasional site visit to DePaul Hospital, Bridgeton MO. Student must have own transportation.

Must students have taken any prerequisite classes? Please list classes and preferred grades:

Students should have completed or concurrently enrolled in a research methods class (Psyc 220, Psych 221 or N 472 or equivalent) and earned at least a B. Statistics course preferred.

Other requirements or notes to applicants:

Students will be required to take the CITI Human Subjects training course on line once hired. (approx. 4 hours)