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# Graduate Assistantship Job Description

Position Summary:	
Title: Graduate Assistant	Hours per Week: 15 hours/week
Department: Teacher Education	
Location:	Duration:
Portland	Full Academic Year
<u>X</u> Gorham	Fall Semester
LAC	<u>X</u> Spring Semester
Online/Distance	Summer Semester
Total Stipend: \$3,000	Monthly Stipend: \$750
Scholarship Amount: \$2,250 (in-state) / \$3,750 (out-of-state)	
Supervisor Name: Flynn Ross	
Supervisor Email: Flynn.ross@maine.edu	Supervisor Phone: 207-780-5768

#### **Position Details:**

## Statement of Job and Essential Functions:

The Graduate Assistant for USM's Center for Teaching Innovation will work in person 10 hours a week in the Center on the third floor of Bailey Hall, Gorham campus. While there, the GA will build a welcoming space by creating and updating bulletin boards, hosting gathering and networking events, monitoring social media accounts, coordinating with the Educators of Tomorrow! Club, and tracking and managing the Center's makerspace materials.

## Supervisory Responsibilities:

None

#### **Budget Responsibilities:**

None

#### Public and Professional Activities Related to Job Performance:

Activities include marketing events, greeting and welcoming students to the center, and possibly leadership of and public speaking at events if desired.

### **Internal Contacts:**

Will be required to coordinate with student support services, including student clubs, Dean of Students, faculty advisors, and others involved in student retention efforts.

#### **External Contacts:**

May also be required to coordinate with local educators or others involved in Center events.

## Knowledge, Skills, and Abilities:

Comfort with Google suite tools (docs, sheets, slides, calendar, etc.) and graphic design for posters and event marketing materials (Adobe, Canva, etc.), as well as a strong professional



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work ethic (punctual, organized, exhibits proactive communication, takes initiative, and demonstrates capacity for management). Must be compassionate and people oriented.

# **Required Qualifications:**

Current, degree-seeking graduate student at USM Must not be a University of Maine System employee.

## **Preferred Qualifications:**

Graduate student in education or related field; enrolled in ETEP or similar teacher credentialing program; experience working in K-12 schools or youth organizations.

## To Apply:

Submit your resume and cover letter via email to Flynn Ross (flynn.ross@maine.edu).