

GRADUATE ASSISTANT
ANNOUNCEMENT OF VACANCY

POSITION: Graduate Assistant in English and Professional Writing

QUALIFICATIONS:

- REQUIRED:
 - *Acceptance into SUNY Cortland graduate program in (list acceptable programs):* MA in English, MAT in Adolescence English Education
 - Strong information management experience (paper, email, web) for multiple audiences; excellent writing skills; strong organizational and task management skills.

- DESIRED:
 - Event management experience; experience with Wordpress and social media platforms; experience with writing for multiple audiences; grant writing experience; experience working with schools and teachers.

RELATION TO EDUCATIONAL PROGRAM : (Provide a statement outlining how this specific graduate assistantship contributes to the student's educational program.)

The student who holds this graduate assistantship will apply the knowledge they have learned in their English graduate coursework to projects related to the teaching of writing. Those projects include writing across the curriculum initiatives at SUNY Cortland and professional development events for K-12 writing teachers. The graduate assistant will use their well-honed writing and research skills and participate in professional work related to college-level and K-12 writing instruction.

RESPONSIBILITIES:

Work with the Director of Campus Writing Programs on projects related to the Composition Program and the College Writing Committee, including writing across the curriculum initiatives and the annual Outstanding Writing Awards. Work with the Director of the Seven Valleys Writing Project and writing straightforward, informational prose in several media about writing events (conferences, speakers, contests.) Organize and maintain a calendar of events. Research into grants, regional writing programs, and K-12 schools possible. Obligation: 10 hours/week.

SALARY: 3 credits of tuition support per semester, and \$1600 stipend per semester, 10 hour / week.

APPLICATION: Completed applications with letters of recommendation must be received in the Graduate Admissions Office, SUNY Cortland, Miller Building, Room 106, Cortland, NY 13045 by August 19, 2019. Late applications will be accepted until the position is filled.

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