

Resources for Graduate Student Employment

Listservs and Job Banks

GradCareers Listserv: <https://icc.ucdavis.edu/students/listserv.htm>

Aggie Job Link: recent job postings included “Cheese making internship,” “HR coordinator,” AT&T internships, marketing intern at Peregrine School, and “Urban Teacher Resident.”

The Versatile PhD: <http://icc.ucdavis.edu/graduates/VersatilePhDinformation.htm>

Humanists@Work: <http://humwork.uchri.org/job-listings/>

Policy Institute for Energy, Environment, and the Economy:

<http://visitor.r20.constantcontact.com/manage/optin/ea?v=001MoTBZWHN0au-O2hM1xLIXA%3D%3D>

Campus Employers

[Center for Excellence in Teaching and Learning](#)

CETL works to provide opportunities for “instructional improvement” for UC Davis instructors. They sponsor the Teaching Assistant Consultant Program, a one-year fellowship program for those looking to work with new TAs. They also sometimes hire GSRs to assist in their Undergraduate Education division. Although opportunities with CETL would be useful for those seeking tenure-track employment as well, the sort of curriculum-development and thinking about instructional methods CETL works with may be of interest to educational nonprofits, secondary school teaching, academic administration, etc.

[UC Davis Humanities Institute](#)

The DHI employs GSRs during the academic year to help run the institute’s communications and programs. An annual call for GSRs comes out every spring quarter and is distributed via its DHI listserv.

[Office of Strategic Communications](#)

Strategic Communications is responsible for advertising and managing UC Davis’s “brand” across a variety of media.

[Aggie Voices: UC Davis Student Blog](#)

Hires one Graduate Student Editorial Assistant. The blog falls under the division of Undergraduate Education but also works with Student Affairs Marketing and Communications. The Editorial Assistant coordinates undergraduate and graduate student writers and helps to manage the blog’s production schedule.

[ModLab](#)

The UC Davis ModLab hires graduate student researchers. The ModLab is an experimental research laboratory for digital humanities, media operations, and postdisciplinary innovations. The lab is developing new tools and methods to address the challenges faced by scholars

working at the intersection of the sciences, the social sciences, and the humanities. Focusing on new media technologies and processes of modification, the lab offers a dynamic and collaborative environment for postdisciplinary modes of research.

[Mellon Research Initiatives in the Humanities](#)

Each Mellon Initiative hires graduate student researchers. Two projects (comparative border studies and Indian Ocean worlds) launch in the fall of 2015 and another two will launch in the fall of 2017. These jobs often involve a lot of organization work, updating websites, event planning, etc. They present a dual opportunity for professionalization training and academic growth.

[Institute for Social Sciences](#)

A new institute for social science research on campus. They currently (2014-2015) aren't employing any GSRs, as they just launched this year, but they plan to in the future. ISS is geared towards graduate student support in the Division of Social Sciences, especially social science data collection and management.

[Institute of Transportation Studies](#)

A former UC Davis grad worked as a GSR for the ITS. The Institute of Transportation Studies at UC Davis (ITS-Davis) "is the leading university center in the world on sustainable transportation. It is home to more than 60 affiliated faculty and researchers, 120 graduate students, and a budget of \$12 million. While our principal focus is research, we also emphasize education and outreach."

[UC Davis Graduate Designated Emphasis Programs](#)

While not specifically true of every DE program, some have funds available to hire graduate student researchers. For example, work in the DE in Feminist Theory and Research involves scheduling events including a day-long symposium, facilitating a feminist pedagogies workshop, compiling relevant materials and creating an online resource for those interested in feminist teaching practices, working with the Women and Gender Studies faculty on course development.

[Graduate Diversity Officer](#)

A job opportunity exists as the graduate student researcher for Josephine Moreno, the Graduate Diversity Officer for Humanities, Arts and Social Sciences (HASS) & Education. The job is a chance to learn about administrative and institutional policy work around diversity in higher education.

[Community Resources and Retention Centers](#) (CRRC)

The Community Resources and Retention Centers on campus serve diverse student needs at UC Davis and provide programming and community events to help students succeed. These are mostly located in the Student Community Center.

- [AB 540 & Undocumented Student Center](#) [2 GSRs work here]

- [Cross Cultural Center \(CCC\)](#)
- [Lesbian Gay Bisexual Transgender Queer Intersex Asexual Resource Center \(LGBTQIARC\)](#)
- [Graduate Academic Achievement and Advocacy Program \(GAAAP\)](#)
- [Women's Resource and Research Center \(WRRC\)](#)
- The Community Resources and Retention Centers (CRRCC) also hires a GSR coordinator

[Center for Transnational Health](#)

This center focuses on the health disparities of Latino/as Chicano/as in California and beyond.

[Student Health and Counseling Services](#)

The campus health center sometimes hires for non-clinical positions, typically open to both undergraduate and graduate students. They are currently looking to hire a Teaching Kitchen Assistant, and there are also openings for internships as Social Media Coordinator and Multicultural Immersion Program Coordinator.