

Department of Political Science, University of Louisville

Graduate Assistant Application, Fall 2023-Spring 2024

The Department of Political Science anticipates offering several Graduate Assistant positions for the Fall 2023-Spring 2024 semester (contingent on final budgetary approval). This position will carry a monthly stipend of approximately \$1,200 per month and include in-state tuition remission and health insurance. Graduate Assistants will be required to work 20 hours per week in the department from Aug. 1, 2023 through May 31, 2024. The successful applicants chosen for this position will assist departmental faculty with research and instructional duties.

Graduate Assistants must be full-time students enrolled in the Political Science Graduate Program and must have flexible schedules to work during the morning and/or afternoon hours. Applicants must be in good academic standing to be eligible.

Note: accelerated Program students who are still completing their undergraduate degree are not eligible until they have completed their bachelor's and are fully in the graduate part of their program of study.

Deadline for Application: April 1, 2023

1. Name _____

2. Number of Hours Completed in the Graduate Program _____

3. Faculty Recommendation Letter: Please have a professor who is familiar with your recent academic work comment on your abilities and qualifications. The letter should be addressed to the Graduate Committee, Department of Political Science and emailed directly to: polsgrad@louisville.edu with the subject line "Graduate Assistantship letter."

4. Personal Statement: A one-page letter explaining why you are interested in the GA position, what research skills you bring to the table (computer, data collection, content area), and how the assistantship would help you meet personal and career goals.

Please return this form and your personal statement via email to polsgrad@louisville.edu with the subject line "GA Application."