CITL Grad Affiliate Job Openings

The Instructional Development team at CITL is looking for two new Graduate Affiliates. Grad Affiliates are experienced TAs at Illinois who have a keen interest in the theory and practice of good teaching in higher education. This is an hourly position, intended for those who have primary funding from another source, yet the capability to work a few hours extra per week.

Grad Affiliates are comfortable with and even excited about working with TAs from a broad range of disciplines. They have a solid understand of good teaching theory and practice. They have excellent communication skills, in both one-on-one consultations and public presentations. Responsibilities include facilitating sessions and microteaching during the Graduate Academy for College Teaching (the semi-annual TA orientation), observing the teaching of TAs and providing feedback to them, assisting TAs in collecting and reviewing student feedback, presenting teaching workshops, facilitating reading groups, and other duties as assigned.

A good candidate will be mid-career as a graduate student: already experienced as a TA here at Illinois, but not going on the job market quite yet. The ideal candidate will be able to be a Grad Affiliate for a couple of years. The University of Illinois is an Equal Opportunity, Affirmative Action employer. Minorities, women, veterans and individuals with disabilities are encouraged to apply. Follow this link for more information about Illinois’ affirmative action plan.

If you are interested in applying to be a CITL Grad Affiliate, send a cover letter and current CV to Lucas Anderson (lander23@illinois.edu) by June 19. The cover letter should address your experience as a TA, your understanding of pedagogy, your familiarity with CITL, and your interest in the position. If you have a teaching philosophy statement, send that along as well. We are also looking for two iFLEX Grad Affiliates, so let us know if you would also like to be considered for one of those positions. We hope to interview outstanding candidates in early-to-mid July, and the new Affiliates must be able to begin work by August 15. Thank you!

Lucas Anderson, CITL