Education Doctorate Graduate Research Assistant Positions

Project and Expected Duties: PPA faculty who are Core Faculty members in the Education Doctorate Program have the option to hire a graduate research assistant who will help the faculty member conduct research, typically in the area of education policy. In the 2013-14 academic year, three graduate research assistant positions are available to PPA faculty through this program. On-going research projects are quantitative and qualitative and include studies of:

- the role of for-profit colleges and universities in California,
- Latino preschool use in California, and
- career and technical education efforts across the nation.

Location: Graduate research assistants will work with their faculty supervisor to determine work location. Typically, assistants will not be provided office space on campus and will work at home.

Expected hours: It is expected that the Graduate Assistant would work 300 hours per year, or an average of 10 hours per week through the academic year. The position can sometimes extend into the summer and may continue for multiple years.

Expected hourly pay: The pay rate is $15 per hour for Master’s degree students.

Eligibility: Eligible applicants must meet CSUS Graduate Assistant eligibility requirements, including GPA, course unit, and other requirements. Successful applicants will have superior writing, researching, and analytical skills.