Graduate Assistant (GA)*

*Support Instruction Impacted by Coronavirus

Academic Student Employee (ASE) / Unit 11 Position Description

California State University, Sacramento

Fill out this form and submit along with the ASE Personnel Transaction Form (PTF) and ASE (Unit 11) student application.

The classification for Graduate Assistant is one of three classifications in a collective bargaining unit, Unit 11. The Graduate Assistant classification provides currently enrolled or admitted University graduate students the opportunity to assist faculty or teaching staff by performing various professional and technical duties associated generally with the subjects or programs in which the Graduate Assistant is doing graduate work.

Student Employee (name): ___________________________ Date: ______________

Dept: ___________________________________________ Working Title: ___________________________

Start Date: _______________ End Date: _______________

Supervisor: _______________________________________

General Duties / Responsibilities (mark applicable items)

Please describe the major duties and responsibilities of the position, and provide a best estimate of the percentage of time spent on each area of responsibility.

Percentage (%)

☐ Assist in the instruction of students by conducting small discussion groups related to large lecture, online/remote courses and the like

☐ Supervise laboratory periods, workshops, production courses or other course activities

☐ Assist instructor by handling equipment

☐ Perform demonstrations related to instruction

☐ Maintain office hours to provide direct individual contact between students and graduate assistant

☐ Clarify course material or course content for students

☐ Assist in the conduct of experiments, etc.

☐ Assist faculty in evaluating student work and examinations

☐ Prepare course materials and aids under the direction of the faculty supervisor

☐ Perform other instructionally related functions requiring knowledge and background beyond that generally possessed by undergraduate students

Totals: ___________________________

The supervisor will perform class observations. ☐ Yes ☐ No

Graduate Assistants are non-exempt employees. CSU policy limits their work assignment to no more than 20 hours in a week during periods of instruction.