Department: Chemistry Department
Working Title: Research Assistant
Classification: Instructional Student Assistant
Number of Openings: 1
Pay Rate: $15/hour
Appointment: 1-20 hrs/wk
Expected Dates of Employment: Sept 3, 2020 - May 27, 2021
Deadline to Apply: September 2, 2020

Requisition #: CHEM_ISA_2021_2

DUTIES OF THE POSITION
Development and troubleshooting online activities for intro chemistry students. This work will allow for a student perspective in the development of online tools that will be disseminated through an open access website to help students and faculty close the opportunity gap for student success in science. It is critical that a student do this work since that perspective is valuable for a robust product. Most work will be done remotely. The PIs are applying for campus access to their research lab for this student to video additional lab experiments for the online activities. The student will meet regularly with Drs. Works/Lillig to monitor task progress.

MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS
The ability to learn and perform assigned work; work cooperatively with faculty, staff, and other student; and accept responsibility. Completion of specific coursework may be required in order to teach, grade or tutor a course. Admission or registration as a University student. Note: Exceptions to the minimum eligibility qualifications may be granted at the sole discretion of the University.

HIRING CRITERIA
Student with a major in Chemistry or Biochemistry

HOW TO APPLY
Send a statement explaining your interest to Dr. Carmen Works at works@sonoma.edu

HIRING NOTIFICATION
Applicants will be notified by email

SUPERVISOR
Dr. Jennifer Whiles-Lillig

OTHER INFORMATION

Faculty Affairs
The classification, Instructional Student Assistant, is one of three classifications in a collective bargaining unit, Unit 11. Instructional Student Assistants, who must be currently enrolled University students, perform tutoring, grading, or teaching-related duties under the supervision of faculty or professional staff.

Sonoma State University hires only individuals lawfully authorized to work in the United States. All offers of employment are contingent upon presentation of documents demonstrating the appointee’s identity and eligibility to work, in accordance with the provisions of the Immigration Reform and Control Act.

The university is an Affirmative Action/Equal Opportunity Employer. We consider qualified applicants for employment without regard to race, religion, color, national origin, ancestry, age, sex, gender, gender identity, gender expression, sexual orientation, genetic information, medical condition, disability, marital status, or protected veteran status.

This position is considered a “mandated reporter” under the California Child Abuse and Neglect Reporting Act and is required to comply with the requirements set forth in CSU Executive Order 1083 as a condition of employment.

Successful candidates may be required to do a background check (including a criminal records check) before work in the position can begin.

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