



### **Graduate Assistantships**

The Department of Sociology offers a limited number of graduate assistantships to students who have been admitted to the Graduate Program. Most assistantships pay a 4-month stipend (~\$3100) for in-state students in addition to a 50% tuition waiver and are awarded based on qualifications. Out-of-state assistantships are available in some cases. Graduate assistants work closely with professors in teaching and/or research activity and are appointed on a semester-by-semester basis. Students seeking assistantships must submit a formal application for each semester.

### **Assistantship Obligations**

Graduate assistantships provide the opportunity for students to work with faculty members. Graduate students receiving departmental support are expected to actively engage in departmental research and/or perform services assisting professors' instruction. Assistantships require that the student be enrolled 6-9 credit hours per semester. Audited courses do not count toward assistantship credit hour levels. Each semester (Fall and Spring), all half-time assistants are expected to be available and perform services related to teaching and/or research for an average of 9 hours per week.



## Sociology Graduate Assistantship Application

**Due 5:00 p.m. Wednesday, October 16**

Email applications to [angie.schultz@unco.edu](mailto:angie.schultz@unco.edu)

Assistantship funding availability depends on many factors. The tuition and partial fee waiver associated with your assistantship is a student financial resource. As such, an adjustment or reduction may be necessary in other financial aid (e.g., loans or scholarships) should you exceed your maximum eligibility. A student may not hold a graduate assistantship while utilizing employee/dependent tuition waivers. A student must maintain good academic standing at UNC with a minimum of a 3.0 GPA.

*Applying for a sociology assistantship acknowledges you have read the above and are currently eligible to apply for an assistantship position.*

All positions are for Spring 2025. Select Graduate Assistantship position you are applying for – you may apply for more than one position on one application or submit separate applications for each position:

Dr. Dr. Kyle Nelson: Research Assistant for Departmental Assessment Activities, SOC 400 (Senior Seminar) assessment plans, and Immigration & Racism Book Project (9 hours/week)

Dr. Dr. Harmony Newman: TA for GNDR 240 (Gender, Race, Class, and Sexuality) and RA for Equity in STEM (9 hours/week)

Professor Sandra Harmon: TA for SOC 310/311 (Social Research Methods), SOC 305 (Soc of Disability) & SOC 231 (Intro to Soc Practice) (9 hours/week)

Dr. Angie Cameron Schultz: Research Assistant for Social Research Lab (18 hours/week)

Name

e-mail:

Bear number:

Current address:

Greeley address (if different from above):

Current phone number:

Relevant Classes Completed:

If awarded, does your schedule next semester have any activities that could impact your availability for this assistantship? If so, what are they?

*For each assistantship you are applying for, please provide a synopsis of your relevant research skills and experiences. Describe how these skills would apply to this graduate assistantship.*

Discuss what benefits you hope to gain from this experience.