

Research Assistant Positions

Summer 2022

Opportunity 1: 3 positions available | 1-2 units | Sessions A & B

Opportunity 2: 4 positions available | 2-4 units | Sessions A & B

Opportunity 3: 5 positions available | 1-2 units/flexible | Sessions A & B

Opportunity 4: 2 positions available | 2-3 units | Session B

Opportunity 5: 6 positions available | 2 units | Sessions A & B

Opportunity 6: 5 positions available | 1-3 units | Session B

Opportunity #1

Study about online incivility and hate. Study seeking some research assistance with students who have some experiences doing literature reviews and study designs. Korean language ability is preferred but not mandatory.

- Conducting literature reviews
- Designing study materials
- Literature search and review

| 3 positions available
| 1-2 units
| Session A & B

Researcher: Yeweon Kim
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Opportunity #2

I will be designing an experiment to test the role of trust in shaping online networking practices; I will also be transcribing interviews with community non-profit staff; I will also be conducting data analyses on a very large data set using CDC data.

- Recruiting & managing research participants
- Programming & testing surveys in Qualtrics
- Transcribing interviews
- Conducting literature reviews
- Designing study materials

| 4 positions available
| 2-4 units
| Session A & B

Researcher: Amy Gonzales
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Opportunity #3

1. Interviewing recipients of beds and furniture from a non-profit in order to assess impact.
2. Coding sample demographics of published articles for ethnicity and other aspects of identity.

- Data coding
- Interviewing

| 5 positions available
| 1-2 units/flexible
| Session A & B

Walid Afifi

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Opportunity #4

This research is for my master's thesis. I'll be conducting qualitative interviews concerning chronic depression (and related symptoms) and mental health communication within the family system. One sample of interviewees will be comprised of young adults (18-25yrs) who have a sibling with depression or depressive symptoms. With this sample, interview questions will center on the challenges, goals, roles, and tensions faced by the sibling of a depressed individual. The second sample will be young adults who have depression or depressive symptoms (not in the same family as sample 1). These interviews will supplement the first sample's data, providing the depressed individual's perspective (i.e., the challenges and tensions they face within the family).

- Recruiting & managing research participants
- Transcribing interviews
- Conducting semistructured interviews

| 2 positions available
| 2-3 units
| Session B

Jade Salmon

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Opportunity #5

Research assistants will assist in coding responses from participants outlining why they decided to report certain social media posts and not others. We will extract specific themes from the responses to find patterns underlying people's motivations for liking, not liking, and reporting social media content.

- Data coding
- Programming is an added benefit
- Past experience with coding qualitative data is an added benefit

| 6 positions available
| 2 units
| Session A & B

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Opportunity #6

The research project is an online experiment focusing on understanding how people perform everyday communication tasks.

- Recruiting & Managing research participants
- Data coding
- Acting as confederates/running the study

| 5 positions available
| 1-3 units
| Session B

Carmen Chan
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To Get Started...

Email the researcher leading the study you'd like to participate in. Please note that each unit corresponds with the amount of hours that you'll be working.

Units	1	2	3	4	5
Hours/Term	25	50	75	100	125
Hours/Wk (6-week term)	~4	~8-9	~12-13	~16-17	~20-21