

ON-LINE TEACHING ASSISTANT POSTING

DALHOUSIE UNIVERSITY

Halifax, Nova Scotia, Canada B3H 4R2

POSTING DATE: February 9, 2026

APPLICATION DEADLINE: March 8, 2026

POSITION: TA 110 **OCCU 5035: Research II (21-Jul-2026 - 21-Aug-2026)**

DEPARTMENT/LOCATION: School of Occupational Therapy, Faculty of Health (Carleton Campus)

PAY RATE: As per CUPE Collective Agreement.

WORK ASSIGNMENT:

OCCU 5035.03

The Teaching Assistant (TA) will be involved in Brightspace management, evaluating student assignments that focus on critically appraising research methodologies used in qualitative and quantitative studies. The TA will grade assignments in conjunction with the instructor and communicate regularly with the instructor. Although many activities can be done remotely, the TA will need to be on campus for some activities and is expected to participate in one or two interactive sessions.

Please note, the hours for this position will be worked over a condensed period in the Summer term rather than spread over a typical full semester (4 month) course. Grading and return of student assignments will need to be rapid and will likely involve working weekends.

REQUIREMENTS OF POSITION:

The TA will need to understand research methodologies and evaluate students understanding of these methodologies in a fair and equitable manner by applying a rubric. The TA needs to have good written and verbal communication skills to address student questions regarding assignments. Experience working with Brightspace is an asset. Masters required but PhD preferred. Prior teaching experience an asset. **Experience working with Brightspace is required.**

IF YOU ARE INTERESTED IN THE ABOVE POSITION, PLEASE APPLY BY THE APPLICATION DEADLINE NOTED ABOVE.

Please forward a letter of application outlining your experience, qualifications, and a current C.V. to the attention of Michael Crawford, at michael.crawford@dal.ca.

All offers of employment as a TA are conditional upon sufficient student enrolment in the course and approval by the University. All qualified candidates are encouraged to apply, however, Canadian and permanent residents will be given priority.

Dalhousie University commits to achieving inclusive excellence through continually championing equity, diversity, inclusion, and accessibility. The university encourages applications from Indigenous Peoples of Turtle Island (especially Mi'kmaq), persons of Black/African descent (especially African Nova Scotians), and members of other racialized groups, persons with disabilities, women, persons identifying as members of 2SLGBTQIA+ communities, and all candidates who would contribute to the diversity of our community. In accordance with our Employment Equity Policy, preference will be given in hiring processes to candidates who self-identify as members of one or more of the equity-deserving groups listed above. For more information, including details related to our Employment Equity Policy and Plan and definitions of equity-deserving groups please visit www.dal.ca/hiringfordiversity.

If you require any support for the purpose of accommodation, such as technical aids or alternative arrangements, please let us know of these needs and how we can be of assistance. Dalhousie University is committed to ensuring all candidates have full, fair, and equitable participation in the hiring process. Our complete Accommodation Policy can be viewed [here](#).