



CALIFORNIA STATE UNIVERSITY, FULLERTON

Department of Human Communication Studies
Graduate Committee, M.A. in Communication Studies

Application for Graduate Student Assistantship (Teaching Associate or Forensics Assistant)

Name: _____ CWID: _____

Date: _____ Semester for which application is made: _____

*Please return this form (and an accompanying letter of application) before **March 1st for Fall applications** or **October 1st for Spring applications** to:*

Dr. Summer Martin, Graduate Advisor
Department of Human Communication Studies, PO Box 6868
Fullerton, CA 92834-6868

Applying for (please indicate which type of position):

_____ Teaching Associate (TA) _____ Forensics Assistant (FA)

Please indicate which of the following statements applies to you, and follow the instructions below it:

_____ I am a prospective graduate student (applying to be a TA or FA at the same time that I am applying for admission to the M.A. program).

Instructions for prospective graduate students: *Please have your references indicate (in their general letters of recommendation for admission) their belief in your ability to succeed in such a position (e.g., as a TA). You do not need additional letters (beyond those required for your admission application). Please include this form (and a letter of application for the TA or FA position) with your other department materials when applying for admission.*

_____ I am a current graduate student in the Communication Studies M.A. program at CSUF.

Instructions for current graduate students in our program: Three recommendations are required with this application. Please ask your references to submit their recommendations via email to sumartin@fullerton.edu, or as a hard copy to the address above, by the deadline. In addition, please include a current copy of your CSUF unofficial transcript from your student portal (indicating your academic performance in our graduate program) with this form (and the accompanying letter of application).

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Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____

Phone: _____ Email address: _____

Undergraduate GPA: _____ Graduate GPA (for those already in program): _____

Undergraduate major: _____

***** Please attach a letter to the graduate committee in which you address your interest in the position for which you are applying. You should indicate your qualifications – for example, any relevant experience, coursework, and personal characteristics – as well as your motivations for applying for this position. You might also include additional information, such as how this experience applies to your career goals. *****