Seeking Teaching Assistant for Fall 2021

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Background
The Phillips Ambassadors Program, a program of the Carolina Asia Center at UNC Chapel Hill, awards a scholarship to 20-25 undergraduate students annually to study abroad in Asia. These Phillips Ambassadors attend a three credit Global Studies 281 course taught by Academic Director Dr. Michael Tsin of the History department. The program seeks to hire a graduate student to serve as teaching assistant for the course for the fall 2021 term only. Candidates should have either studied abroad in Asia or have academic/research interests in South, East and/or Southeast Asia.

Eligible candidates will be encouraged to apply separately for the 2022 Graduate Phillips Ambassador position. This student will assist with 5-6 classes in 2022 and conduct research in Asia in summer 2022. The application for this position is expected to open in late 2021.

Duties
The fall 2021 teaching assistant will:

- Assist Academic Director during three sessions of Global Studies 281 during the fall 2021 term, to be held in person on UNC’s campus on:
  - Saturday 9/25/21 8:30am-5:00pm
  - Saturday 10/30/21 8:30am-5:00pm
  - Saturday 11/13/21 8:30am-5:00pm
- Assist in grading final papers

Eligibility
- Ph.D. candidate preferred; Master’s students with significant teaching experience will be considered
- Studied abroad in Asia and/or research interests in Asia (strongly preferred)
- All majors welcome

Stipend
A $2500 stipend will be awarded to the fall 2021 teaching assistant. Please note that stipends are considered part of a student’s overall financial aid package, are reported to the Office of Scholarships and Student Aid and are subject to tax.

Application Process
Submit cover letter including details of any teaching experience, UNC transcript (official or unofficial), undergraduate transcripts (optional) and resume/CV to Dori Brady at dori.brady@unc.edu by the deadline. Letter of recommendation should be emailed directly from advisor.

Application Period
August 1, 2021 – September 1, 2021

Contact
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