

SAFE (Sexual Assault and Abuse Free Environment) Graduate Assistant Student Enrollment, Engagment & Services



- An understanding of the special problems women and students of marginalized genders may face on Old Dominion University's campus
- An interest in working with non-binary and women-identified students
- The ability to create interesting and exciting new programs to address the population's needs

Employment Schedule/Hours: The GA is expected to work a set schedule totaling 20 hours per week, in accordance with their courses, with the ability to flex time as needed for events/programs.

Academic Qualifications & Preferred Majors: Regular admission in a graduate degree program (Education, Higher Education, Sociology, Humanities, Women's Studies, International Studies, Psychology, Criminology, Health Sciences, Counseling, Public Health) at ODU with good academic standing, maintenance of a full course load of student enrollment during the term of their appointment, and a 3.0 or higher GPA is required. Dropping below the required GPA or reducing one's course load below full-time can be grounds for dismissal.

Knowledge and Skills Derived from Experience:

- GA will obtain in-depth knowledge of community/University agencies that serve as referral resources for students and others.
- GA will gain knowledge about sexual, relationships, and interpersonal violence through coordination of peer education program.
- GA will become familiar with university sexual assault policy and procedures.
- GA will learn about program development/execution, marketing, curriculum development and assessment.
- GA will obtain experience working with committees and teams.
- GA will develop an awareness of sexual, relationship, and interpersonal violence issues through researching and reporting data.
- GA will enhance their communication skills with diverse student populations.

Compensation: Annual stipend of \$18,500 will be paid over fall (\$7,500), spring (\$7,500), and summer (\$3,500) semesters. Out-of-state students will receive a tuition waiver equivalent to in-state tuition. Length of Assistantship: The length of the graduate assistantship is 12 months.

