

**Fall 2024 TA Job Posting for ECON \_\_\_\_393\_\_\_\_\_ (Please fill in your course number)**

**Please give a brief description of the course content or a link to the course outline:**

Market Failures: the course reviews consumer and firm maximization and Walrasian equilibrium. It then covers: Non-competitive Markets (Monopoly, Monopsony, Cournot and Bertrand Competition, possibly Hotelling (location)); asymmetric information (search goods, experience goods, adverse selection, moral hazard); externalities; public goods

**Any necessary knowledge or skills needed:**

Utility and Profit Maximization; General Equilibrium (computation/characterization)

Please fill out this chart as closely as you can for the TA duties and hours you predict the course will be using for the entire Fall 2024 term. This will be used as an estimation only. Graduate TAs are not permitted to work more than 140 hours for the term or more than 10 hours in any given week (70 hours or 5 hours a week for a ½ TA). When thinking of the duties you might have for your TA, we ask that you be mindful of this constraint and try not to come up against it. TAs own coursework comes first. Negotiations for a reasonable amount of time for returning marked assignments, etc. will occur as needed.

| <b>Duty</b>                        | <b>Estimated Hours for the Term or N/A</b> | <b>Brief description of unusual or especially time-consuming features of the duty, if any</b> |
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| Meetings with Course Instructor    | 5  |   |
| Class preparation                  | NA   |   |
| Attending lectures                 | NA   |   |
| Student consultation; office hours | NA   |   |
| Lecturing                          | NA   |   |
| Conducting tutorials               | NA   |   |
| Grading                            | 60   | Likely 6 assignments for about 60-70 students   |
| Proctoring exams                   | See office                                 |   |
| Other duties (describe/explain)    |  |   |
| <b>Totals</b>                      | <b>65</b>                                  |   |