

Fall 2024 TA Job Posting for ECON _____212_____ (Please fill in your course number)

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

Game theory is the study of strategic interactions between agents. In this course I not only cover the theory but also students engage in weekly games against each other. The primary responsibility of the TA assigned to this course will be to run the weekly games (the TA will be given the code to run the weekly games that play the different student strategies against each other). Students love this course – and I have also been told that it is a fun course to TA.

1. Run weekly games where the students play against each other, summarise the results, generate grades
2. Grade the midterm
3. Grade part of the final exam (typically 33-50% of the exam)

Any necessary knowledge or skills needed:

1. Some knowledge of game theory (ideally have taken the course)
2. Knowledge of Stata (the code for running the weekly games is in Stata). If they don't know Stata they should at least know a language like R or Python.

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.

Duty	Estimated Hours for the Term or N/A	Brief description of unusual or especially time-consuming features of the duty, if any
Meetings with Course Instructor	3	Meeting at start of term, prior to and after midterm grading, prior to and after final grading
Class preparation	0	
Attending lectures	0	
Student consultation; office hours	0	
Lecturing	0	
Conducting tutorials	0	
Grading	30	Midterm and half of exam
Proctoring exams		

Other duties (describe/explain)	107	Running games, summarizing results, generating grades
Totals	140	