

Winter 2024 TA Job Posting for ECON 207

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

The course explores the defining economic challenges of the developing world. They include poverty and inequality, rapid population growth and emigration, poor health and education, and the political economy of underdevelopment, chiefly: inferior institutions, social fractionalization, civil conflict, and corruption. The canonical economic models of growth and development will be covered to provide broader guiding frameworks for the class. The course gets underway with discussions of important concepts, measures, and indicators of economic development; it concludes with some hopeful notes that are based on the recent experiences of the developing world.

Any necessary knowledge or skills needed:

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 Winter 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	4 hours	
Class preparation	6 hours	
Attending lectures		
Student consultation; office hours	2 hours	
Lecturing		
Conducting tutorials		
Grading	12 hours	
Proctoring exams		
Other duties (describe/explain)		
Totals	24 hours	