Please see the Graduate College website for full definitions of each position (RAI, RAI, TA, TI).

**GRADUATE ASSISTANT POSITION**

**Employing Office:** Africana Studies/ Asian Studies/ International Studies

**Type of Graduate Assistant Position (RAI, RAI, TI, TA):** RAI

**Hours to work (per vacancy):** 20

**Stipend rate** *(Note: Hiring units must pay the stipend rate associated with the student’s graduate degree program):* Program Stipend Rate- Maximum of $12,000

**Term:** ☐ Summer   ☒ Academic Year   ☐ Fall   ☐ Spring Semester

1. **Eligible Program Applicants** *(Applicants will preferably be from one of the following graduate programs. Note: Hiring units should think broadly about acceptable programs.):*
   - Any College of Arts and Sciences graduate program

2. **Qualifications/preferred skills**
   - Strong communication and writing skills
   - Strong organizational skills
   - Experience/interest in Asian cultures and languages, African cultures, and/or international issues
   - Social media competence
   - Adobe Acrobat, Photoshop, Zoom, Microsoft Office experience

3. **Position Description** *(primary and secondary responsibilities)*
   Assist Interdisciplinary Program Directors with student recruitment and student retention through outreach events, promotional efforts, and the development, implementation, and coordination of co-curricular activities. Assist the directors in supporting current students by maintaining regular contact hours in the programs’ office in Shatzel Hall. Supervise and collaborate with undergraduate interns in the development of social media presence, social media campaigns, other digital efforts, and face-to-face outreach efforts, e.g., class visits, Preview Day, Expand Your Horizons Fair. Compile content and coordinate promotional communications for AFRS/ASIA/INST events and other program-related communications. Maintain and update program websites. Perform other duties as assigned in support of program growth and student success, e.g., help implement program events and conferences.

**Application Process:**
Applicants wishing to apply for this Graduate Assistant position must: 1) be admitted or accepted for admission as a full-time student in a graduate program at BG SU; and 2) remain in academic good standing to maintain the position.

1. **To apply for this position, send the following materials:** Letter of Interest that speaks to qualifications listed above and candidate’s ability to carry out position responsibilities, and CV

2. **Send GA application materials to:** Beka Patterson, rpatter@bgsu.edu

3. **GA position application due date:** Accepting applications by April 6, 2022, or until the position is filled.