

Student Research Assistant Position

Center for Social Work Research, School of Social Work Wayne State University

Job Description

The Center for Social Work Research Student Research Assistant works with a team of students and research technicians to support various School of Social Work (SSW) faculty and staff and external clients with a variety of research projects.

Duties:

- Provide SSW faculty/staff and external clients research support on a variety of projects through
 use of SPSS, literature searches, data entry and coding, data analysis and reporting, online survey
 software, and transcription of narrative interviews
- Create surveys to be utilized for SSW assessments and Research Center purposes
- Program surveys into questionnaire formats (Remark and Qualtrics)
- Administer surveys, conduct interviews and focus groups to SSW students and external clients
- Assist in data processing and analysis using Remark, SPSS, Qualtrics, and Excel
- Assist in the preparation of user-friendly reports for internal SSW administrators and external clients
- Assist with Research Center website content entry

Qualifications:

- Experience working on social science research projects
- Experience with SPSS
- Completion of at least one Research, Research Methods and/or Research Statistics course required
- Comfortable with a variety of computer programs
- Ability to learn computer applications quickly
- Detail-oriented and organized, with excellent time-management skills
- Incoming or current WSU Social Work students are given preference
- Students with more than 1 year remaining in program are given preference
- Available to work during the summer and the school year

The position:

- Part-time hourly for 15-20 hours per week with no benefits
- Located in the School of Social Work
- Hours can be worked Monday-Friday, 9am-6pm. No evening or weekend hours available
- Compensation: up to \$14.00/hour depending on experience

If interested, please send your <u>resume and cover letter</u> to Kendra Wells (<u>kendrajwells@wayne.edu</u>), Interim Manager of Research Support. Please make sure to include your social work program, graduation date, experience with SPSS, and availability in your cover letter.

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