Graduate Teaching Assistant

**Start Date:** September 2019  
**End Date:** April 2020  
**Hours:** 6 hours per week, over 8 months  
**Salary:** $1,003.71 – $1,215.63 per month  
**Research Supervisors:** Dr. Sara Carpenter  
**Application Deadline Date:** August 1st, 2019

**Description of the context for the teaching activities:**

**Specific duties:**

GTA will assist with delivery of EDU 100. The student will participate in lesson planning, classroom facilitation and instruction, and marking.

**EDU 100: Contexts of Education**

This course focuses on the different contexts of professional practice within education. It critically examines the complex social relationships among educators as professionals and learners as participants in educational institutions. Teacher identity will be explored as a dynamic, reformatory process in response to competing tensions that require an awareness of the positionality of educators. Preservice teachers will learn about the relationships between education and practice that are nested in social relations of learning that are also economic, political, and cultural. Engagement from a variety of perspectives they will develop professional knowledge for critical reconstructive practice.

**Qualifications:**

• Strong research and writing skills and an ability to work independently  
• Maintain a GPA of 3.0 or above throughout the academic year  
• Desired skills/experience (please include any/all in your cover letter)

Applications should be sent to **Izabela Martyniak** (martynia@ualberta.ca)