

Job Title: Student Success and Support Graduate Assistant for the Graduate College

The Graduate College (GC) is seeking a detail-oriented and motivated Graduate Assistant (GA) to support our Director of Marketing, Communications, and External Relations. This position offers the opportunity to be involved in a wide range of tasks focused primarily on student success and support (particularly for online learners). These tasks are likely to include event planning and support, collaborating with the Graduate Student Senate, managing student support platforms, and enacting additional student success initiatives with the Graduate College.

APPOINTMENT DURATION

- Start Date: May 26, 2026, or August 10, 2026
- End Date: May 14, 2027 (may be eligible for reappointment)
- Coverage: Fall and Spring Semesters (Summer 2026 tuition/fee waiver coverage available)

SKILLS AND PROFICIENCIES

- Student support skills: Demonstrated ability to provide student-centered support in online and in-person environments.
- Event Planning: Experience and knowledge of event planning.
- Project Management: Experience with planning, organizing, setting timelines, and goals.
- Brand Management: The ability to maintain the Missouri State and Graduate College brand through a variety of communication channels.
- Data Analysis: The ability to collect and analyze data to make informed decisions.
- Website Editing Experience: Knowledge of and experience with best practices for website design and implementation.
- Microsoft Office Proficiency: Skilled in using Microsoft Office Suite for various administrative tasks.
- Online Support Systems and Technology: Proficiency in navigating online systems and tools including online discussion boards, social media, Zoom, our CRM (customer relationship management systems), etc.
- Communication Skills: Strong written and oral communication skills with excellent professionalism and the ability to represent MO State well.
- Self-Motivated & Directed: The ability to work independently with minimal supervision, showing initiative and a proactive approach to tasks.
- Attention to Detail: Keen attention to detail, ensuring accuracy and quality in all tasks.
- Adaptability: Dependable and agile, with the ability to excel in a fluid and fast-paced environment.
- Collaboration: The ability to work on multiple projects with other members of the team and in communication with multiple offices on campus.

Application for the Graduate College Student Success and Support Graduate Assistant

Interested candidates are invited to complete and submit the [application form](#).

Please note: The Graduate College is hiring for multiple GA positions. Applicants may apply to one or more of the open Graduate College GA positions using the single form.

- As part of the application, you will be asked to:
 1. **Complete the [Qualtrics application form](#)** in full.
 2. **Rank the GA positions** in which you are interested (from highest to lowest preference).
 3. **Upload a current resume** highlighting relevant skills and experience.
 4. **Respond to position-specific questions/prompts** related to how your skills and experience might align with various roles.

Incomplete submissions will not be considered.

Review of applications will begin **March 23, 2026**, and continue until the position is filled. Zoom interviews will be scheduled as needed on a rolling basis.

For more inquiries about the position or the application process, please contact the Graduate College (GradCollegeServices@MissouriState.edu).

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