The Department of Language & Literacy Education has opportunities for Graduate Teaching Assistant (GTA I or II) positions in the UBC–Ritsumeikan Academic Exchange Program (UBC-Rits AEP) for 2021W1.

The incumbent(s) will work with the Ritsumeikan Director and section instructor to provide language support to international students. The program will be online in 21W1.

Course: LLED 212, Introduction to Language Communities and Variation in Language Practices - Seminar
Start/End Dates: September 7 to December 7, 2021
Hours: 44 hours total (0.23 FTE)
Salary: $33.14-$34.44/hour per the CUPE 2278 salary scale
No. of positions: One

Duties
- Attends planning meetings with course coordinator and instructor
- Plans, books and organizes course-wide instructional activities and field trips
- Assists course instructor with curriculum planning and assigned teaching responsibilities
- Communicates with course instructor and guest speakers as needed
- Gathers, organizes, and maintains instructional resources on Canvas
- May be required to assist with prep-work prior to the start of the course
- Performs other such associated duties, as may be assigned.

Qualifications
At minimum, candidates must have advanced training and/or be enrolled in a relevant master’s degree. Applicants who have completed their master’s degree are preferred. Relevant teaching experience and academic expertise in TESL, excellent professional communication skills, experience with digital learning technologies, experience with Canvas, and an ability to work collaboratively is strongly preferred. They must demonstrate a thorough knowledge of and practice in teaching English language learners.

Eligibility
Applicants must be registered as a student at UBC to be eligible for a Teaching Assistant position.

Application Instructions
Updated CV (required) and cover letter (optional) can be submitted as a PDF to lled-posting.educ@ubc.ca.
Please indicate in the subject line that you are applying for the LLED 212 GTA position.

Application deadline: 4pm, Wednesday, June 30, 2021

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