## **Faculty Member Contact Information**

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## 1 Funded, Unfunded URCA Assistant

	This position is <b>ONLY</b> open to students who have declared a major in this discipline.	M
	This project deals with social justice issues.	•
	This project deals with sustainability (green) issues.	
<b>/</b>	This project deals with human health and wellness issues.	+
	This project deals with community outreach.	*
	This mentor's project is interdisciplinary in nature.	I

Are you willing to work with students from outside of your discipline? If yes, which other disciplines?

Yes

How many hours per week will your student(s) be required to work in this position? (Minimum is 6 hours per week; typical is 9)

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Will it be possible for your student(s) to earn course credit?

No

Location of research/creative activities:

### Brief description of the nature of the research/creative activity?

Counseling is a critical component of speech-language pathology and audiology. It serves as the basis for developing a strong therapeutic relationship with a client. More specifically, the ability to engage in effective, active listening skills is a core component of counseling. The purpose of this research is to survey speech-language pathologists and audiologists about their perception of their own listening abilities as well as the perception of the importance of varying listening skills.

# Brief description of student responsibilities?

The student will be asked to assist in design of the research study, submit the IRB approval request, complete the literature review, collaborate on writing the methods protocol, analyze data to determine statistical significance, and provide a discussion of results. Student will also assist in submission of a proposal for conference presentation.

URCA Assistant positions are designed to provide students with *research or creative activities* experience. As such, there should be measurable, appropriate outcome goals. What exactly should your student(s) have learned by the end of this experience?

Yes

## **Requirements of Students**

If the position(s) require students to be available at certain times each week (as opposed to them being able to set their own hours) please indicate all required days and times:

The hours are flexible based upon the student's availability.

If the location of the research/creative activities involves off campus work, must students provide their own transportation?

No off-campus work is involved.

Must students have taken any prerequisite classes? Please list classes and preferred grades:

Academic prerequisites classes are not required.

## Other requirements or notes to applicants:

Interest in the area of speech-language pathology and audiology is preferred.