Faculty Member Contact Information

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1 Funded, 1 Unfunded URCA Assistant

	This position is ONLY 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.	0
/	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?

No

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)

6 to 9

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?

The student will provide support in the form of literature searches, summaries of the literature, data entry, data collection, assistance with manuscript writing for publication and conference presentation writing. The focus will be various research projects including:

- 1) A longitudinal study exploring human trafficking knowledge, perceptions, and readiness to respond among undergraduate nursing students before and after implementation of human trafficking virtual simulation.
- 2) Student satisfaction and differences in performance outcomes before and after implementation of an endocrine virtual simulation in pathophysiology.
- 3) Exploring preceptor competencies before and after implementation of a regional online preceptor program across six states in the region.
- 4) Exploring malnutrition metrics before and after implementation of a water filtration system in a rural area in Guatemala.

Brief description of student responsibilities?

The URCA assistant will be responsible for conducting literature searches, summarizing findings from the literature, data collection, data entry, and contributing to writing of conference presentations and manuscripts for publication.

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 URCA work will be completed virtually and face to face at the SIUE campus in the health sciences building. This will include a mix of Team meetings, assigned work to be performed remotely, and work to be performed on campus in the health sciences buil

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

Location will be on campus and on Teams.

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

Nursing students that have been accepted into the nursing program and that are at Junior or Senior level. Sophomores in their second semester of sophomore year may also be considered.

Other requirements or notes to applicants:

N/A