Athletic Training Graduate Assistant (2 Positions)

PROGRAM OVERVIEW
Campus Recreation and Wellness at East Carolina University provides the following programs and services for the campus community: wellness, intramural sports, physical activity & fitness, informal recreation, club sports, adventure leadership programs, summer camps, and special events. Facilities include a state of the art 150,000 square foot Student Recreation Center; 30,000 square foot Health Sciences Student Center; an 18-acre multi-sport field complex; a team challenge course; and a 129-acre sports complex which includes eight sport fields, a six-acre lake, disc golf course, boathouse, walking/jogging trails, outdoor fitness equipment, sandy beach area, beach volleyball courts, and an Odyssey challenge course.

THE UNIVERSITY
East Carolina University is a constituent institution of the University of North Carolina System and has an enrollment of over 29,000 students, making it North Carolina’s fourth largest institution of higher learning. The main campus is adjacent to uptown Greenville, NC, a city of over 70,000 people. Greenville is the hub of the eastern North Carolina coastal plains and a business, medical, and educational center. It is 80 miles east of Raleigh, the state capital, accessible by highway and nearby airports, and within easy driving distance of coastal resorts.

REQUIREMENTS FOR CANDIDACY
Bachelor's degree in Athletic Training from an appropriately accredited institution is required. Certified Athletic Trainer (ATC) as designated by the Board of Certification. Must be a Licensed Athletic Trainer by the North Carolina Board of Athletic Training Examiners or eligible to apply. The candidate must possess an academic background which will satisfy the graduate entrance requirements of East Carolina University.

SCOPE OF POSITION
As a result of this Graduate Assistant position, students will employee and gain the following areas of experience based on the NATA Core Competencies:

- Evidence-based practice
- Prevention and health promotion
- Clinical examination and diagnosis
- Acute care of injury and illness
- Therapeutic interventions
- Psychosocial strategies and referral
- Healthcare administration
- Professional development and responsibility

Campus Recreation and Wellness empowers student employees to become leaders by gaining valuable experience within a departmental Student Staff Leadership framework.

RESPONSIBILITIES
The Athletic Training Graduate Assistant is expected to fulfill the following general responsibilities:

- Serve under the director of the CRW Assistant Director of Athletic Training
- Coordinate the supervision, prevention, care, management and disposition of injuries, illnesses sustained by student athletes to include 37 club sports with 1500 total athletes and 25 Intramural Sports with 6,000+ annual participants.
- Communicate with Club Coaches, CRW Medical Director, and Club Sports staff regarding participant injury status
- Maintain appropriate documentation of all injuries and illnesses to student athletes
- Maintain current knowledge and skills of standards of practice in the field as established by the NATA, NCAA and other appropriate, recognized organizations
- Assist with management of the CRW Concussion Protocol
- Assist with management of the CRW Return to Play Protocol
- Provide clinical service for drop-in/informal recreation, intramural, club and instructional program participants.
- Provide on-site athletic training supervision for club, intramural, and other special event services at CRW and satellite facilities to include work in outdoor environments
- Serve as a mentor to undergraduate students completing on-site clinical hours
- Perform other duties as assigned by the CRW Asst. Director of Athletic Training, CRW professional staff, or the CRW Medical Director.

DATES OF EMPLOYMENT & COMPENSATION

- Expected work dates are August 1, 2019 – December 13, 2019 and January 2, 2020 – May 1, 2020 (excluding all student observed holidays).
- Stipend of $10,500.00, for 9½ months. Professional development support available. Full In-State Tuition and Student Fees included. Out of state students are responsible for paying the amount of the difference between out of state and in-state tuition. Room and board is the responsibility of the incumbent.
- Additional opportunities are available for summer employment.
- This is typically a 2-year position with a satisfactory evaluation required to continue to second year.
- Position is open until filled. PRIORITY APPLICATION DEADLINE: FEBRUARY 1, 2019.
- Funding for this position is contingent on the continued availability of auxiliary funds.
APPLICATION PROCESS
To apply for this position please send a resume and list of three professional references to Associate Director of CRW Programs Dr. Greg Corack at corackg16@ecu.edu or contact by phone at 252-328-1564.

Federal Law requires proper documentation of identity and employability at the time of employment. It is requested that this documentation be included with your application. East Carolina University is an affirmative action, equal opportunity employer and as such encourages applications from qualified women and minorities.