

Appointment Dates 2026-2027

Summer 2026				
	Graduate Teaching Assistant (GTA) or Temporary Lecturer (Lect/T)		Graduate Research Assistant (GRA)	
	Appointment Start	Appointment End	Appointment Start	Appointment End
3-Week Session	Monday, May 18, 2026	Friday, June 5, 2026		
1st 8-Week Session	Monday, May 18, 2026	Friday, July 10, 2026		
1st 5-Week Session	Monday, June 8, 2026	Friday, July 10, 2026		
2nd 8-Week Session	Monday, June 22, 2026	Thursday, August 13, 2026		
2nd 5-Week Session	Monday, July 13, 2026	Thursday, August 13, 2026		
Research			Monday, May 18, 2026	Friday, August 14, 2026

Academic Year 2026-2027				
	Graduate Teaching Assistant (GTA) or Temporary Lecturer (Lect/T)		Graduate Research Assistant (GRA)*	
	Appointment Start	Appointment End	Appointment Start	Appointment End
Full Academic Year	Monday, August 17, 2026	Friday, May 14, 2027	**Earliest: August 1, 2026 Latest: September 1, 2026	Earliest: May 14, 2026 Latest: May 31, 2027
Fall Semester	Monday, August 17, 2026	Sunday, January 3, 2027	Earliest: August 1, 2026 Latest: September 1, 2026	Earliest: December 18, 2026 Latest: January 3, 2027
Spring Semester	Monday, January 4, 2027	Friday, May 14, 2027	Earliest: January 1, 2027 Latest: February 1, 2027	Earliest: May 14, 2027 Latest: May 31, 2027

* Graduate Research Assistants must work 120 continuous days within a semester in order to receive tuition remission for that semester

** Typical academic year dates for Graduate Research Assistants are August 17, 2026 to May 14, 2027.