

Subject: L&S Upcoming TA Trainings

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To: L&S Department Chairs, Directors and Administrators

ACTION REQUESTED:

Please share the reminders below about Spring 2022 L&S TA Training and ESR course teacher training with graduate students in your program.

On **January 20, 2022 (10am - 4:30pm CST)**, L&S will host a virtual training and orientation for Teaching Assistants.

Please register to attend by January 17. See instructions and details: <https://kb.wisc.edu/ls/111802>

All new TAs are strongly encouraged to attend, and returning TAs are also invited. TAs will complete several learning modules independently in Canvas prior to the live event, which will be hosted in Zoom. TAs will learn about essential policies and resources, and spend time designing activities and developing strategies for use in the classroom.

On **January 21, 2022 (10am - 1pm CST in Union South)**, the Ethnic Studies Subcommittee will host an in-person training and orientation for grad students teaching in Ethnic Studies Requirement courses (both TAs and lecturers). This event is targeted to grad students who are teaching an ESR course in Spring 2022 for the first time, but is also open to grad students who have previous ESR teaching experience. It is focused on establishing a classroom dynamic for promoting respect when discussing race/racism, and teaching to students of both majority and minority identities.

Please register to attend by January 7. See instructions and details: <https://kb.wisc.edu/ls/112707>

Best,
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