Anatomy

G.A. Position: Anatomy

Department: Physical Therapy

Supervisor: Dr. Tim Smith

Job Description:

The GA's with this position will work with another anatomy GA to inventory, bag, and assist in removal of previous year's cadavers; assist in acquisition/receipt of new cadavers, inventory lab equipment/supplies, harvest cadaveric material for teaching/research purposes, supervise students in lab cleaning duties, generate and assign special/joint dissections, assists students in locating various anatomical structures on human cadavers, edit the lab dissector, edit lectures, help set up and tear down practical examinations, assist students in performing safe cadaveric dissection practices, assist students in composing peer evaluations, act as contact for community group to tour the lab facilities, and assist with these tours.

Job Functions/Responsibilities:

- As outlined above -- inventory, bag, and assist in removal of previous year's cadavers
- As outlined above -- assist in acquisition/receipt of new cadavers
- As outlined above -- inventory lab equipment/supplies
- As outlined above -- harvest cadaveric material for teaching/research purposes
- Other duties listed above as there is not enough room to enumerate them here

Desired Qualifications:

- Applicant should have taken and passed PT 630 (Gross Anatomy I) and PT 635 (Gross Anatomy II)
- Applicant should possess superior dissection skills as demonstrated in the above courses
- Applicant should possess superior communication skills with regard to a varied population (age, sex, cultural background)

Graduate Student Outcomes:

- A further, deepened understanding of human functional anatomy
- How to manage their time with respect to handling multiple tasks
- The beginnings of how to design an educational experience that focuses on human anatomy
- The effects of aging on human anatomy

Appropriate SRU Graduate Majors:

- Physical Therapy
Supervisor’s Expectations:

- 14 hours of assigned work per week
- Assigned work schedule: hours that PT 630 and PT 635 run (TBA)
- Keep anatomy lab open in the evenings for students taking PT 630 and PT 635
- Assist students in locating anatomical structures during lab hours
- Assist course director in all aspects of the anatomy courses

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