

# GRADUATE ASSISTANT APPLICATION

Texas A&M University-Corpus Christi  
Department of Kinesiology  
College of Education and Human Development

The Kinesiology Graduate Program has available a limited number of assistantships for graduate students. Awards are made on the basis of the applicant's academic record and demonstrated skills that pertain to the various graduate assistantships. These half-time positions pay up to \$10,800, with benefits, for a 9-month appointment (fall and spring semesters).

## Requirements:

As a prospective Kinesiology Graduate Assistant (GA), you must meet the following requirements:

- Complete all university requirements (submit official application, pay mandatory fees, submit a 300–400-word goal statement, send official transcripts confirming a BA or BS) and be **fully admitted** to the graduate program in kinesiology.
- Complete the form below and send directly to the email address indicated.
- **Provide two letters of reference** from a former professor, advisor, or work supervisor. Reference letters can be emailed directly to the Graduate Program Coordinator (not required for returning GA's).
- Enroll in and successfully complete at least 9 credit hours of Kinesiology graduate courses each semester (fall and spring). GA support does not apply to summer terms.

## Types of assistantships:

Teaching/Research Assistant

## Selection of GAs:

The Kinesiology Graduate Committee will review all completed applications, make decisions and notify applicants by June 15, 2025.

***Completed applications are due by May 1, 2025. Submit to:***

***frank.spaniol@tamucc.edu***

***Dr. Frank Spaniol, Graduate Program Coordinator***

***Department of Kinesiology***

***Texas A&M University-Corpus Christi***

***6300 Ocean Drive, Unit 5820***

***Corpus Christi, TX 78412***

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## Contact Information

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Banner ID#: \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing  
Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
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Cell Phone  
Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone  
Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Email  
Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Undergraduate Major: \_\_\_\_\_

Undergraduate GPA: \_\_\_\_\_

Anticipated Date of Graduation from Master's Program: \_\_\_\_\_

## Statement of Qualifications:

1. Please discuss how a graduate assistantship could benefit your pursuit of a graduate degree in kinesiology and how it could impact your career goals.

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2. Please describe the specific skills and interests you will bring to the position and department.
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
3. What specific area(s) of kinesiology do you enjoy most and what are your specific research interests?
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
4. What courses/labs/activities would you feel most comfortable teaching? Are there any classes/labs/activities you would not feel comfortable in teaching?
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
5. How would your former employers describe you as an employee?
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
  
6. Please make any additional comments that might be useful in evaluating your application.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_